

Province of British Columbia Water Act

PERMIT AUTHORIZING THE OCCUPATION OF CROWN LAND SECTION 26

The Holder of Final Water Licence 120712 which authorizes the storage of water from Whatshan River in the reservoir of Whatshan Lake is hereby authorized to occupy Crown Land by constructing, maintaining and operating thereon the works authorized under the said licence.

- (a) The Crown Land which is authorized to be occupied under this permit is described on attached Schedule A, the location of which is shown approximately on the plans attached to the said water licence.
- (b) The approximate areas of Crown Land authorized to be occupied under this permit is:

 1.3 hectares for the saddle dam, 213 metres in length and 61 metres in width

 150 hectares for flooding

 151.3 hectares total area
- (c) Prior to the cutting, destruction or flooding of any timber, the permittee shall apply for and obtain a licence to cut timber from the District Forest Manager. The amount of stumpage, royalty and (or) compensation payable to the Crown in respect of trees, including merchantable or young growth, cut, removed, damaged, or destroyed by the permittee, shall be the sum or sums fixed by the Forest Service of the Province of British Columbia.
- (d) This permit is appurtenant to the undertaking to which the aforesaid water licence is appurtenant.
- (e) This permit shall become void if the water licence with respect to which the permit is issued should terminate, be abandoned or cancelled, or amended so as to render this permit unnecessary.
- (f) This permit is issued and accepted on the understanding that the permittee shall indemnify and save harmless the Government of the Province of British Columbia for all loss, damage to works, cost or expense suffered by the permittee by reason of the Crown Land or any portion thereof being submerged or damaged by erosion or otherwise affected by flooding.
- (g) The holder of this permit shall not be entitled to compensation if the Crown grants permits to other persons to occupy the land affected by this permit.

- (h) In the event of a dispute at any time with respect to the area or boundaries of the land affected by this permit, the holder shall, at his own expense, have the said land surveyed by a duly qualified surveyor.
- (i) This permit is issued in substitution of Permit # 20857.

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