## **Department of Environment**

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Office of the Minister

Original Dated September 25, 2009

Paul Sanford, P. Eng. Vice President Atlantic Industrial Services - Waste Division 660 MacElmon Road PO Box 185 Debert NS B0M 1G0

Dear Mr. Sanford:

## **RE:** Environmental Assessment - Expansion of Waste Management Services

The environmental assessment of Atlantic Industrial Services' (AIS) proposed Expansion of Waste Management Services, Debert, Colchester County has been completed.

This letter is to advise that I have approved the Undertaking in accordance with Section 40 of the *Environment Act*, S.N.S., 1994-95 and subsection 13(1)(b) of the Environmental Assessment Regulations, N.S. Reg. 348/2008, made under the Act. Following a review of the information provided by Atlantic Industrial Services and information collected during the government and public consultation process of the environmental assessment, I am satisfied that any adverse effects or significant environmental effects of the undertaking can be adequately mitigated through compliance with the attached terms and conditions.

This approval is subject to any other approvals required by statute or regulation, including, but not limited to, approval under Part V of the Nova Scotia *Environment Act* (Approvals and Certificates section).

If you have any questions regarding the approval of this project, please contact the manager, Environmental Assessment Branch, Ms. Lorrie Roberts, at (902) 424-6344 or via email at <a href="mailto:ROBERTLA@gov.ns.ca">ROBERTLA@gov.ns.ca</a>

Sincerely,

Original Signed By

Sterling Belliveau Minister

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