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Office of the Minister

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Mr. Ward Fitzgerald
Burnside Environmental Services Ltd.
10 Thornhill Drive
Dartmouth, NS B3B 1S1

Dear Mr. Fitzgerald:

Re: Environmental Assessment - Asbestos Transfer/Bulking Facility, Burnside,
Nova Scotia

The environmental assessment of the proposed Asbestos Transfer/Bulking Facility, Burnside, Nova Scotia, has been completed.

This is to advise that I have approved the above project 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. 277/2009, made under the Act. Following a review of the information provided by Burnside Environmental Services Ltd. and the information provided during the government and public consultation 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 Acting Manager, Environmental Assessment Branch, Ms. Helen MacPhail at (902) 424-3960 or via email at macphafh@gov.ns.ca

Sincerely,

Original Signed By

Sterling Belliveau
Minister of Environment

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