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Stephen Matier
Maritime Launch Services Ltd.
President and CEO for Spaceport Development
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1959 Upper Water St., Halifax
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Dear Mr. Matier:

Re: Environmental Assessment – Maritime Launch Services Ltd.
Canso Spaceport Facility, Guysborough County, Nova Scotia

The environmental assessment of the proposed Canso Spaceport Facility (the Project) in Guysborough County, Nova Scotia has been completed.

This is to advise that I have approved the above project in accordance with Section 40 of the Nova Scotia *Environment Act*, S.N.S., 1994-95 and subsection 18(a) of the Environmental Assessment Regulations, N.S. Reg. 348/2008, made under the Act. Following a review of the information provided by Maritime Launch 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 Division IV of the *Environment Act* (Approvals and Certificates section).

If you have any questions regarding the approval of this project, please contact Helen MacPhail, Supervisor, Environmental Assessment Branch, at (902) 483-2696 or via email at Helen.MacPhail@novascotia.ca.

Sincerely,

Gordon Wilson, MLA
Minister of Environment

Encl.

c: Helen MacPhail