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File: A-112352

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**Lhtako Gas & Convenience Store Ltd.
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Attention: Raymond Aldred

RE: Amendment of Waste Discharge Approval 112352

Dear Mr. Aldred,

Thank you for your amendment application on behalf of Lhtako Gas & Convenience Store Ltd., to amend approval 112352. Reviewing the submission, the application was to:

- i. Add an additional five recovery wells;
- ii. Add an additional five injection wells through the establishment of a Southern injection field;
- iii. Undergo alterations to system appurtenances including:
 - a. Upgrading the system enclosure and adding bag filters;
 - b. Use of a chemical additive (Clear Hib) to prevent precipitation and scaling;
 - c. Removal of the sediment/light non-aqueous liquid separation chamber; and
 - d. Reduction of activated carbon capacity.

Upon review it was determined that components requiring a director's approval are:

1. Updating the Appendix A illustrating the location of the additional wells; and
2. Amending section 3.5 to include the additional quarterly metals testing while the chemical additive is in use.

In accordance with sections 14 and 16 of the Environmental Management Act I hereby amend Waste Discharge Approval 112352 as follows:

Section 3.5 now reads

3.5 Analyses

3.5a Monthly

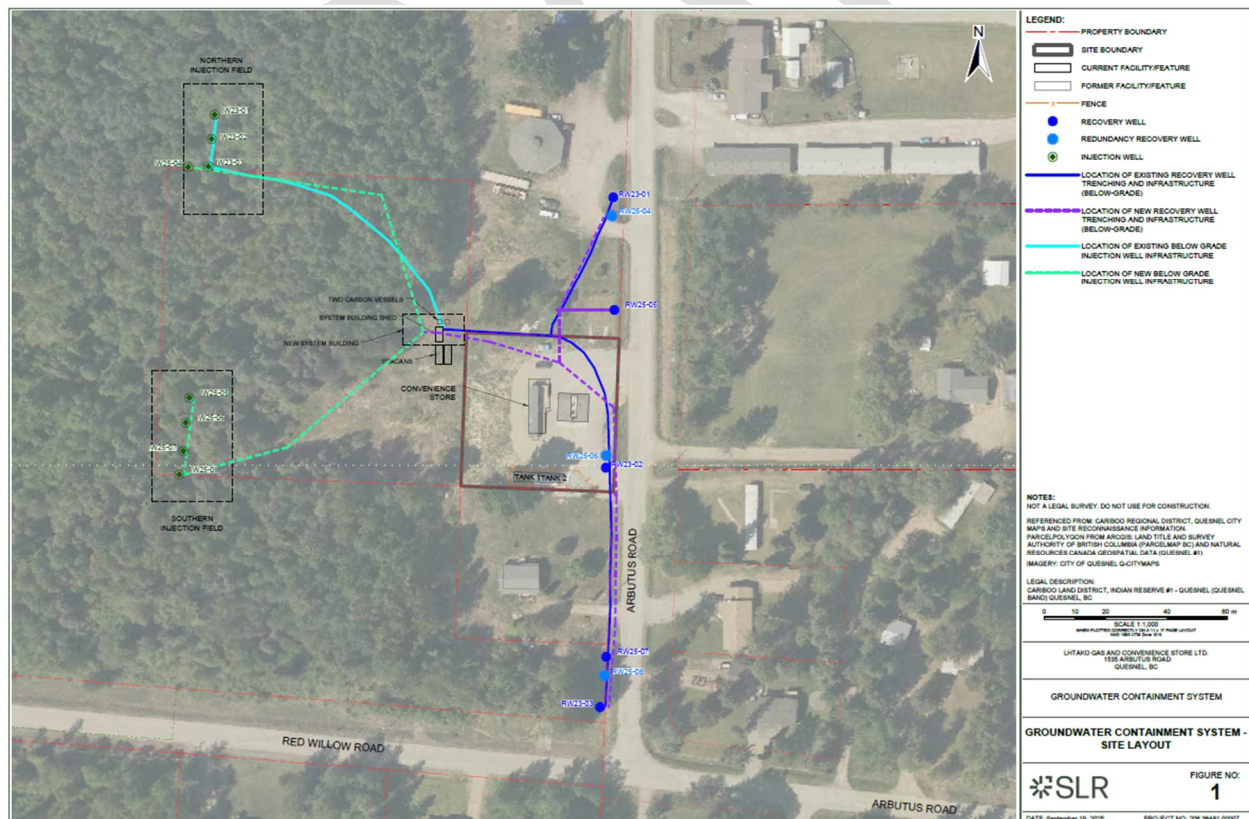
The approval holder must collect sample(s) on a monthly frequency and obtain analyses of the samples of effluent from the groundwater treatment system for the following:

Benzene, Toluene, Ethylbenzene, Xylenes, Styrene, MTBE, Volatile Hydrocarbons (VHw6-10), Extractable Petroleum Hydrocarbons (EPHw10-19), PAHs (listed in section 1.1.3) and VOCs (listed in section 1.1.3)

3.5b Quarterly

When the polyphosphate additive water treatment chemical ClearHib 5 or similar formulation is used, samples must be taken quarterly from the sentinel wells, analyzed for uranium, vanadium, and arsenic and compared to the applicable CSR Standard for metals.

The Site Plan Appendix A is now replaced with



Please ensure that this letter of amendment is included on the publicly available website as well as provided to the occupants of the adjacent properties and advise the ministry when complete.

All other terms and conditions of waste discharge approval 112352 remain in full force and effect.

This decision may be appealed to the Environmental Appeal Board in accordance with Part 8 of the Environmental Management Act. An appeal must be delivered within 30 days from the date that notice of this decision is given. For further information, please contact the Environmental Appeal Board at (250) 387-3464.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Peter Lawrie at 250-645-9432.

Yours truly,

Karen Moores, P.Ag
for Director, *Environmental Management Act*
Industrial Waste Authorizations