

Environment and Climate Change

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Environmental Assessment Bulletin

The Honourable Perry Trimper, Minister of Environment and Climate Change, has announced the following events relative to Part 10 Environmental Assessment of the *Environmental Protection Act*.

MINISTER'S DECISION ON THE APPEAL:

Placentia Bay Atlantic Salmon Aquaculture Project (Reg. 1834)
Proponent: Grieg NL Nurseries Ltd. and Grieg NL Seafarms Ltd.

On July 22, 2016 the minister released the above undertaking from further environmental assessment. The decision was appealed September 19, 2016 in accordance with Section 107 of the *Environmental Protection Act*. The minister has considered the appeal documents and has determined that the original decision to release the project from further environmental assessment will remain in effect. The minister's decision letter to the appellant is available at:

http://www.env.gov.nl.ca/env/env_assessment/projects/Y2016/1834/index.html

MINISTER'S DECISION EXTENDED:

Cormack Hay Farm (Reg. 1856)
Proponent: Larch Grove Farms Inc.

The Department of Environment and Climate Change and the proponent have agreed to extend the deadline for the minister's decision to October 26, 2016.

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