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ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT

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NATURE OF UNDERTAKING	TO REMOVE GRAVEL FROM OUR QUARRY SITE, LOCATED ON PISSIMERE POND ROAD TRAYTOWN. WE SELL TO VARIOUS COMPANIES, AS WELL AS THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT, DEPT OF NATIONAL DEF ENSE, TO MANUFACTURE STONE, AND WINTER ROAD SAND FOR THE WORKS SERVICES & TRANSPORTATION. WE ALSO HAVE GENERAL CUSTOMERS AROUND THE AREA USING OUR STONE & SAND TO MANUFACTURE CONCRETE, USE IT IN LANDSCAPING, AND SEPTIC SYSTEMS. OUR QUARRY IS ACROSS THE BROOK AT THE QUARRY SITE IN PISSIMERE POND THERE ARE NO OTHER LANDMARKS AVAILABLE. PLEASE CHECK GOOGLE MAP ATTACHED FOR APROX. LOCATION.
PURPOSE	TO SCREEN GRAVEL TO PRODUCE SAND & STONE, TO SELL TO CUSTOMERS. FOR VARIOUS USES AS LISTED ABOVE
EQUIPMENT	HONDA GAS OPERATED PUMP FOR WATER SUPPLY, WATER HOSES FROM NEARBY STREAM TO PUMP, 170B NEW HOLLAND FRONT END LOADER, AND A MARK TWO POWER SCREENED. 320 CAT. EXCAVATOR & OR, 80C JOHN DEERE EXCAVATOR TO PREPARE SITE FOR EXCAVATION.
GEOGRAPHICAL LOCATION	PISSIMERE POND ROAD TRAYTOWN NL FILE REFERENCE # 7119518 MINES & ENERGY. MAP ATTACHED.

 PHYSICAL FEATURES EXHISTING QUARRY ALREADY STRIPPED THERE ARE TO BE NO BUILDING TO BE ERECTED. AND THE ROAD TO THE QUARRY IS ALREADY EXHISTING AS WE HAVE A QUARRY PERMIT FOR THIS LOCATION. WE ARE SEEKING AN EXTENSION TO OUR QUARRY. THE VEGITATION CONSISTS OF BARREN, SCRUB, AND WOODED AREA. WE ARE APROX 50 M FROM A SMALL STREAM WHERE WE CAN GET WATER FOR THE SCREENING PLANT. AND THE WASTE WATER USED FOR WASHING THE MATERIAL, FILTERS IN THE SAND AT THE SITE.

CONSTRUCTION

THERE IS NO CONSTRUCTION TO TAKE PLACE. ONLY THE REMOVAL OF SAND AND GRAVEL.

OCCUPATIONS

THIS UNDERTAKING WILL EMPLOY APROX. 5-6 PEOPLE PER SEASON. THREE PEOPLE WILL RUN THE PROCESS & DELIVERY OF THE MATERIALS, ONE OFFICE PERSONEL, AND ONE SAFETY OFFICER. THIS WILL BE IN OPERATION FROM APRIL – DECEMBER, WEATHER PERMITTING. THIS WILL BE OPERATED AS LONG AS THE QUARRY IS VIABLE. LABOUR CODES FOR WORKERS ARE 7421-3, 7411-1, 2264-1, 1221-1

POLLUTION	THERE IS LITTLE POTENTIAL FOR POLLUTION, OTHER THEN THE NORMAL, NOISE, AIR EMMISSIONS, RELEASE OF HYDROCARBONS, ETC WE ARE VERY ENVIRONMENTALLY CONCIOUS. ALL OF OUR EQUIPMENT, ARE EQUIPED WITH SPILL KITS, AND ARE INSPECTED DAILY FOR ANY LEAKS. ALL OF OUR EMPLOYEES HAVE BEEN TRAINED IN ENVIRONMENTAL AWARENESS TRANING, AND WE TRY VERY HARD TO ADHERE TO. ANY FUEL TAKEN TO THE SITE ARE IN APPROVED FUEL CANS. NO FUEL IS STORED ON SITE.
EMERGENCY EQUIP.	FIRE EXTINGUISHERS,FIRST AID EQUIPMENT AND CELL PHONES ON SITE. WE HAVE ALL OF OUR EQUIPMENT SUPPLIED WITH SAFETY CONTACT PHONE AND EMERGENCY NUMBERS FOR THE LOCAL AREA AND PROVINCE, SHOULD ANYTHING NEED TO BE REPORTED.
WATER BODIES	WE ARE LOCATED ABOUT 50 M FROM A SMALL STREAM THAT RUNS NEARBY SMALL TROUT MAY RUN THROUGH THERE. NO DUCKS OR WATERFOWL HAVE BEEN SPOTTED THERE.

QUARRIES

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WE ARE LOCATED AT THE END OF THE QUARRIES OWNED BY OTHER CONTRACTORS. WE ARE AWAY FROM THE POWER LINE THAT RUNS THROUGH IT. AS PER NL POWER RULES & REGULATIONS. SEE ATTACHED GOOGLE MAPS.

SCHEDULE	SEASONAL FROM APRIL TO DECEMBER
FUNDING	THIS WILL BE FUNDED BY CROSSROADS CONTRACTING LIMITED MR. ROBERT KEAN
ONE YEAR PLAN	WE WILL BE STRIPPING APROX ONE HECTOR OF THE NEW SITE OF SCRUB, BRUSH, ALDER AND TREES. THIS WILL BE DONE WITH AN EXCAVATOR CAT. 320. OR J.D. 80 DEPENDING ON THE TERRAIN FOUND WHEN WE COME TO THIS PHASE OF THE PROJECT. PERSON CUTTING DOWN ANY LARGE TREES TO BE USED FOR FIREWOOD. THE SITE WILL THEN BE MINED FOR PIT RUN, TO BE USED FOR BACKFILL OR PROCESSED INTO WASHED SCREENED SAND & STONE OF VARIOUS SIZES & TYPES.
FIVE YEAR PLAN	WITHIN FIVE YEARS WE SHOULD
	HAVE THE QUARRY CLEARED AND PROBABLY BE USING THE MATERIALS FROM DIFFERENT LOCATIONS OF THE AREA, DEPENDING ON THE QUALITY OF THE MATERIAL TO BE MINED. THE SITE WILL NOT HAVE BEEN CHANGED MUCH, AS WE HAVE NO PLANS TO CONSTRUCT ANY BUILDINGS AT THE SITE, WE PLAN TO LEAVE THINGS AS UNDISTURBED AS POSSIBLE.

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