

Government of Newfoundland and Labrador Department of Environment and Conservation Water Resources Management Division

WATER USE LICENCE (Commercial)

Pursuant to the Water Resources Act, SNL 2002 cW-4.01

Date of Issuance: JULY 25, 2016

No: WUL-16-8784

File: 514

Licensee:

61839 Newfoundland and Labrador Litmited

PO Box 188, Riversdie Drive Corner Brook NL A2H 6C7

Attention:

Gary Oke

Re:

Water Withdrawal and Use from Little North Pond near Pasadena

The Minister of Environment and Conservation (the "Minister") hereby grants a non-exclusive water right to: 61839

Newfoundland and Labrador Litmited (the "Licensee") to withdraw water from Little North Pond, as indicated in Schedule A, and use it for the purpose of supplying water for commercial irrigation and private residential system at the Licensee's resort near the Town of Pasadena in reference to the application received on October 16, 2015 and further information received on or before April 22, 2016.

This Licence is subject to the terms and conditions, reservations, exceptions, and provisions stated herein and the *Water Resources Act* and regulations thereunder. Appendices A, B and Schedule A (attached) form part and parcel of this Licence.

This Licence does not release the Licensee from the obligation to obtain appropriate approvals, permits or licences from other concerned municipal, provincial and federal agencies.

The Licensee shall complete and return the attached Notification of Acceptance of Water Use Licence to the Water Rights and Investigations Section of the Department of Environment and Conservation within thirty (30) days of receipt of this Licence.

Failure to comply with the terms and conditions, reservations, exceptions, and provisions set out herein will render this Licence null and void, place the Licensee and/or its agents in violation of the Water Resources Act, and cause the Licensee to be responsible for any and all remedial measures which may be prescribed by the Department of Environment and Conservation.

MINISTER

GOVERNMENT OF NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND CONSERVATION

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APPENDIX A TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR WATER USE LICENCE

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- 1. Ownership of water rights remains with the Crown and is not transferred. This Water Use Licence only provides permission for the Licensee to withdraw and use water for the designated purpose indicated in this Licence.
- 2. The non-exclusive rights and privileges hereby demised by this Licence shall not be sold, assigned, transferred, leased, mortgaged, sublet or otherwise alienated by the Licensee.
- 3. The Licensee acknowledges and agrees that this Licence does not grant any interest in land.
- 4. This Licence shall expire on July 31, 2026 or earlier if suspended or modified or cancelled by the Minister due to reasons that include, but is not limited to, non-compliance with the Water Resources Act, 2002 and terms and conditions, reservations, exceptions, and provisions, lack of utilization of approved water for the designated purpose or prompt reporting pursuant to this Licence. Also, this Licence may be renewed by the Minister for such renewal term as the Minister deems appropriate, on such terms and conditions as the Minister considers appropriate and in the public interest, provided the Licensee applies for an extension at least hundred and eighty (180) days before the expiry of this Licence.
- 5. The designated purpose of the water use is commercial irrigation and private residential system.
- 6. The maximum estimated annual water withdrawal from the said body of water shall not exceed 190,000 cubic meters, subject to water availability without changing the hydraulic characteristics of or causing impact on fish and fish habitat in the said body of water and other water users of the said body of water. The Licensee shall not at any time withdraw and use amounts of water in excess of the need of water to the designated purpose of the water use indicated in this Licence, irrespective of the amount of water authorized by this Licence. The Licensee shall withdraw and use the water from the said body of water at the intake approved by Certificate of Approval C.A. 02-05-6759. Also, the water withdrawal pipe of the intake must be fitted with a screen to protect fish from impingement or entrainment. In addition, the Licensee shall take all necessary measures to avoid damage of fish habitat and disturbance of the material of the said body of water.
- 7. The Licensee shall not at any time impair, pollute or cause to be polluted the quality of water in the said body of water or any nearby body of water. Also, this Licence shall not be interpreted as granting any rights to cause adverse effect(s) on water and other water users in or outside the withdrawal and use activities areas and all operations must be carried out in a manner that prevents damage to land, vegetation, and bodies of water. The Water Resources Management Division of the Department of Environment and Conservation must be informed if water withdrawal and use activities or any ongoing activity has a potential to impair, pollute or cause to be polluted the quality of water in the said body of water or any nearby body of water. In addition, any and all waste material that may result from water withdrawal and use activities must be removed and disposed at a site approved by the regional Government Service Centre of the Department of Service NL. The Departments of Environment and Conservation and Service NL may require samples to be submitted for testing and analysis.
- 8. The Licensee shall prudently maintain in good faith records, accounts and statements of the rates and amounts of water withdrawals and uses, and any other information that the Minister may require in whatever form, manner and time. Copies of such records, accounts, statements, all information required to exercise the non-exclusive rights and privileges demised under this Licence, and a form following the format of Appendix B shall be submitted to the Water Rights and Investigations Section of the Department of Environment and Conservation on or before March 31st of each year or as required at any time during the term created by this Licence. Also, the Licensee may be required to monitor and assess water use, water quality and quantity of the water use and availability in such manner as the Minister considers necessary including, but is not limited to, the installation of flowmeter(s) and/or other necessary measures to record the exact water used.
- 9. The Licensee shall not make changes in the purpose, plans and rates and amounts of water authorized by this Licence or construct any systems or works or divert the course or alter the physical features of the said body of water or any nearby body of water without the prior written approval from the Minister.

- 10. The employees of the Department of Environment and Conservation, authorized by the Minister, may at all reasonable times during the term created by this Licence enter into enter into the water withdrawal and use activities areas and the Licensee's designated place(s) of business to inspect all associated systems or works, records, statements, and accounts, and shall be entitled to copy such information as may be required by the Minister in relation to this Licence and may exercise all other powers of inspection as provided for in the Water Resources Act, 2002.
- 11. The Licensee shall keep all systems, works, equipment and vehicles used for water withdrawal and use activities, in clean and good condition and repair, free of oil leaks, or other harmful substances that could impair water quality of the said body of water or any nearby body of water and shall notify the Minister immediately if any problem arises which may adversely affect public safety or other water users in or outside the water withdrawal and use activities areas. Also, the Licensee shall restore all areas that may be affected in or outside the water withdrawal and use activities, to a state that resembles local natural conditions. Further remedial measures to mitigate environmental impacts on water resources can and will be specified, if necessary in the opinion of this Department.
- 12. The Licensee shall pay the applicable charges or royalties for the use of water, if imposed under the Water Resources Act, 2002 during the term of this Licence. Once imposed, the Licensee shall, upon receipt of an invoice stating the amount owing for annual charges or royalties for water use, pay to the Minister the full amount within thirty (30) days of the receipt of the said invoice.
- 13. The Licensee and its agent(s), subcontractor(s), and consultant(s) indemnify and hold the Government and the Minister harmless against any and all liabilities, losses, claims, demands, damages or expenses including legal expenses of any nature whatsoever whether arising in tort, contract, statute, trust or otherwise resulting directly or indirectly from the non-exclusive rights granted under this Licence, systems, works and equipment in or outside the water withdrawal and use activities areas, or any act or omission of the Licensee or its agent(s), subcontractor(s), or consultant(s) in or outside the water withdrawal and use activities areas and all associated systems, works and equipment, or arising out of a breach or non-performance of any of the terms and conditions, and provisions of this Licence by the Licensee or its agent(s), subcontractor(s), or consultant(s).
- 14. If the Licensee or its agent(s), subcontractor(s), or consultant(s) fails to perform, fulfil, or observe any of the terms and conditions, or provisions of this Licence and/or Ministerial orders and guidelines, as determined by this Department, the Minister may, after providing ten (10) day notice to the Licensee, amend, modify, suspend or cancel this Licence in accordance with the Water Resources Act, 2002.
- 15. Should any provision of this Licence be unenforceable, it shall be considered separate and severable from the remaining provisions of this Licence which shall remain in force and be binding as though the provision had not been included.
- 16. This Licence is subject to all provisions of the Water Resources Act, 2002 and any regulations in effect either at the date of this Licence or hereafter made pursuant thereto or any other relevant legislation enacted by the Province of Newfoundland and Labrador in the future.
- 17. This Licence shall be construed and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the Province of Newfoundland and Labrador.

All notices to be given pursuant to the terms and conditions of this Licence shall be given in writing and delivered by facsimile with auto confirmation or registered mail. If a notice is delivered by facsimile, it is deemed to have been received on the day it was sent if that day is a normal business day, if not, it is deemed to have been received on the next normal business day. If a notice is sent by registered mail, it is deemed to have been received three days after the day it was mailed. The address of the Licensee is:

61839 Newfoundland and Labrador Litmited PO Box 188, Riversdie Drive Corner Brook NL A2H 6C7

The address and facsimile number of the Department of Environment and Conservation are:

Water Rights and Investigations Section
Department of Environment and Conservation
PO Box 8700
St. John's NL A1B 4J6
(709) 729-0320

GOVERNMENT OF NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND CONSERVATION $APPENDLX\ B$

Report to Department of Environment and Conservation

To:

Water Rights and Investigations Section Water Resources Management Division Department of Environment and Conservation

PO Box 8700

St. John's NL A1B 4J6

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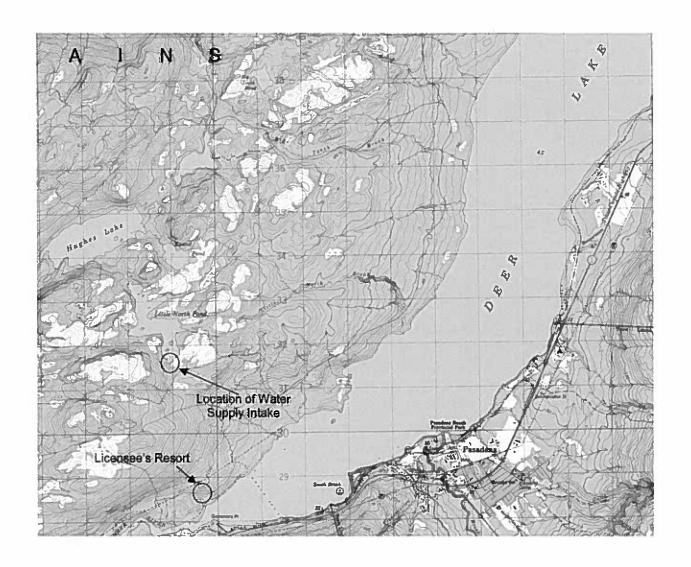
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GOVERNMENT OF NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND CONSERVATION

SCHEDULE A

Water Use Licence No WUL-16-8784

LOCATION OF WATER WITHDRAWAL AND USE FROM LITTLE NORTH POND FOR SUPPLYING WATER FOR COMMERCIAL IRRIGATION AND PRIVATE RESIDENTIAL SYSTEM AT LICENSEE'S RESORT NEAR PASADENA (MAP 12H/4)



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cc: Dr. Abdel-Zaher Kamal Abdel-Razek, Ph. D., P.Eng. Manager, Water Rights and Investigations Section Water Resources Management Division Department of Environment and Conservation P.O. Box 8700
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Regional Lands Manager, Western Regional Crown Lands
Crown Lands Administration Division
Department of Municipal Affairs
P.O. Box 2006
Corner Brook, NL A2H 6J8
JonathanGrandy@gov.nl.ca

cc: Mr. Carl Hann (Western)
GSC - Corner Brook, Western Region
Service NL
Sir Richard Squires Building
Mount Bernard Avenue, P.O. Box 2006
Corner Brook, NL A2H 6J8
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cc: Fisheries Protection Division Ecosystem Management Branch Fisheries and Oceans Canada P.O. Box 5667 St. John's, NL A1C 5X1 FPP-NL@dfo-mpo.gc.ca



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Signed, sealed, and delivered by 61839 Newfoundland and Labrador Litmited, in accordance with its rules and regulations in that behalf at,, this day of,2016 in the presence of:	
Witness	Per:Signing Officer
	Seal:

Important:

The attached Water Use Licence is not valid unless the Licensee completes and returns this notification to the address above within thirty (30) days of receipt.