

Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks Ministère de l'Environnement, de la Protection de la nature et des Parcs

AMENDED ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE APPROVAL

NUMBER A580732

Issue Date: October 28, 2019

Waste Management of Canada Corporation

117 Wentworth Court Brampton, Ontario

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Site Location: German Waste Disposal Site

Lot 3, Concession 1, German

Timmins City, District of Cochrane

You have applied under section 20.2 of Part II.1 of the <u>Environmental Protection Act</u>, R.S.O. 1990, c. E. 19 (Environmental Protection Act) for approval of:

a Waste Disposal Site used only for the disposal of the following categories of waste:

domestic and sewage sludge wastes

For the purpose of this environmental compliance approval, the following definitions apply:

"Approval" or "ECA" means this Environmental Compliance Approval, including all items, conditions and Schedules attached to and forming part of this Approval, as amended by the Director;

"Company" means any person that is responsible for the establishment or operation of the Site being approved by this ECA, and includes Waste Management of Canada Corporation, its successors and assigns;

"Director" means any Ministry employee appointed by the Minister pursuant to Part II.1 of the EPA, as amended;

"District Manager" means the District Manager of the local district office of the Ministry in which the Site is geographically located;

"EPA" means Environmental Protection Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. E. 19, as amended;

"Ministry" means the Ontario Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks;

"Operator " means any person, other than the Company's employees, authorized by the Company as having the charge, management or control of any aspect of the Site its successors or assigns;

"OWRA" means the Ontario Water Resource Act, R.S.O 1990, Chapter O.40;

"PA" means the Pesticides Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. P-11, as amended from time to time;

"Provincial Officer" means any person designated in writing by the Minister as a provincial officer pursuant to section 5 of the OWRA or section 5 of the EPA or section 17 of PA;

"Site" means the the entire waste disposal site, including the buffer lands, located on Part 1, Part of Lot 3, Concession 1, formerly Township of German, District of Cochrane, Ontario as approved by this ECA.

You are hereby notified that this environmental compliance approval is issued to you subject to the terms and conditions outlined below:

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

General

Compliance

- 1. The Company shall ensure that any person authorized to carry out work on or operate any aspect of the Site is notified of the ECA and the conditions herein and shall take all reasonable measures to ensure the person complies with the same.
- 2. Any person authorized to carry out work on or operate any aspect of the Site shall comply with the conditions of this ECA.

In Accordance

3. Except as otherwise provided for in this ECA, the Site shall be designed, developed, constructed, operated and maintained in accordance with the applications for this ECA and the supporting documentation incorporated into this ECA in Schedule "A".

Other Legal Obligations

- 4. The issuance of, and compliance with, this ECA does not:
 - a. relieve any person of any obligation to comply with any provision of the EPA or any other applicable statute, regulation or other legal requirement; or
 - b. limit in any way the authority of the Ministry to require certain steps be taken or to request that any further information related to compliance with this ECA be provided to the Ministry;

unless a provision of this ECA specifically refers to the other requirement or authority and clearly states that the other requirement or authority is to be replaced or limited by this ECA.

Adverse Effect

5. The Company or Operator remain responsible for any contravention of any other condition of this ECA or any applicable statute, regulation, or other legal requirement resulting from any act or omission that caused an adverse effect or impairment of air and/or water quality.

Furnish Information

- 6. Any information requested by the Director or a Provincial Officer concerning the Site and its operation under this ECA, including but not limited to any records required to be kept by this ECA shall be provided in a timely manner.
- 7. The receipt of any information by the Ministry or the failure of the Ministry to prosecute any person or to require any person to take any action, under this ECA or under any statute, regulation or subordinate legal instrument, in relation to the information, shall not be construed as:
 - a. an approval, waiver, or justification by the Ministry of any act or omission of any person that contravenes any condition of this ECA or any statute, regulation or other subordinate legal requirement; or
 - b. acceptance by the Ministry of the information's completeness or accuracy.
- 8. Any information related to this ECA and contained in Ministry files may be made available to the public in accordance with the provisions of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act, RSO 1990, CF-31.

Interpretation

- 9. This ECA revokes and replaces the previous Environmental Compliance Approval (formerly Certificate of Approval) and all subsequent amendments issued to this Site.
- 10. Where there is a conflict between a provision of any document, including the application, referred to in this ECA, and the conditions of this ECA, the conditions in this ECA shall take precedence.
- 11. Where there is a conflict between the application and a provision in any documents listed in Schedule "A", the application shall take precedence, unless it is clear that the purpose of the document was to amend the application and that the Ministry approved the amendment in writing.
- 12. Where there is a conflict between any two documents listed in Schedule "A", other than the application, the document bearing the most recent date shall take precedence.
- 13. The conditions of this ECA are severable. If any condition of this ECA, or the application of any

condition of this ECA to any circumstance, is held invalid or unenforceable, the application of such condition to other circumstances and the remainder of this ECA shall not be affected thereby.

Certificate of Requirement

- 14. Pursuant to Section 197 of the EPA, no person having an interest in the Site shall deal with the Site in any way without first giving a copy of this ECA to each person acquiring an interest in the Site as a result of the dealing.
- 15. In the event any land is acquired that will be included as part of the Site, two (2) copies of a completed Certificate of Requirement, containing a registerable description of the Site, shall be submitted to the Director for the Director's signature within sixty (60) calendar days of a notice being issued for the Site that incorporates the land into the ECA.
- 16. In the event any land is acquired that will be included as part of the Site as discussed in Condition 15 then the Certificate of Requirement shall be registered in the appropriate land registry office on title to the Site and a duplicate registered copy shall be submitted to the Director within ten (10) calendar days of receiving the Certificate of Requirement signed by the Director.

No Transfer or Encumbrance

17. No portion of this Site shall be transferred or encumbered prior to or after closing of the Site unless the Director is notified in advance and is satisfied with the arrangements made to ensure that all conditions of this ECA will be carried out and that sufficient financial assurance is deposited with the Ministry to ensure that these conditions will be carried out.

Change of Site Ownership

- 18. The Company shall notify the Director, in writing, and forward a copy of the notification to the District Manager, within 30 days of the occurrence of any changes in the following information:
 - a. the ownership of the Site;
 - b. the Operator of the Site;
 - c. the address of the Company or Operator;
 - d. the partners, where the Company or Operator is or at any time becomes a partnership and a copy of the most recent declaration filed under the Business Names Act, R. S. O. 1990, c. B.17, shall be included in the notification; and
 - e. the name of the corporation where the Company or Operator is or at any time becomes a corporation, other than a municipal corporation, and a copy of the most current information filed under the Corporations Information Act, R. S. O. 1990, c. C.39, shall be included in the notification.
- 19. In the event of any change in the ownership of the Site, other than a change to a successor municipality, the Company shall notify in writing the succeeding Company of the existence of this ECA, and a copy of such notice shall be forward to the Director and District Manager.

Inspections by the Ministry

- 20. No person shall hinder or obstruct a Provincial Officer from carrying out any and all inspections authorized by the EPA, OWRA or the PA, of any place to which this ECA relates, and without limiting the foregoing:
 - a. to enter upon the premises where the approved works are located, or the location where the records required by the conditions of this ECA are kept;
 - b. to have access to, inspect, and copy any records required to be kept by the conditions of this ECA;
 - c. to inspect the Site, related equipment and appurtenances;
 - d. to inspect the practices, procedures, or operations required by the conditions of this ECA; and
 - e. to sample and monitor for the purposes of assessing compliance with the terms and conditions of this ECA, or the EPA, OWRA or the PA.

Financial Assurance

21. a. The Company shall maintain with the Ministry, Financial Assurance as defined in Section 131 of the EPA, in the amount of \$1,126,976. This Financial Assurance shall be increased (to the total amount required) in accordance with the schedule outlined in the table below. This Financial Assurance shall be in a form and amount acceptable to the Director and shall provide sufficient funds for the closure and post-closure care of the Site;

Financial Assurance (total amount)	Date
\$ 1,177,771	April 30, 2020
\$ 1,228,566	April 30, 2021
\$ 1,279,361	April 30, 2022

- b. Commencing on April 30, 2022 and on a three year basis thereafter, the Company shall provide to the Director a re-evaluation of the amount of the Financial Assurance to facilitate the actions required under Condition 21 a. The re-evaluation shall include an assessment based on any new information relating to the environmental conditions of the Site and shall include the costs of additional monitoring and/or implementation of alternative measures required by the Director upon review of the annual reports. The Financial Assurance must be submitted to the Director within twenty (20) days of written acceptance of the re-evaluation by the Director;
- c. Commencing on April 30, 2020, the Company shall prepare and maintain at the Waste Management of Canada Corporation's Timmins Office an updated re-evaluation of the amount of Financial Assurance required to implement the actions required under Condition 21 a. for each of the intervening years in which a re-evaluation is not required to be submitted to the Director under Condition 21 b. The re-evaluation shall be made available to the Ministry, upon request; and

d. The amount of Financial Assurance is subject to review at any time by the Director and may be amended at his/her discretion. If any Financial Assurance is scheduled to expire or notice is received, indicating Financial Assurance will not be renewed, and satisfactory methods have not been made to replace the Financial Assurance at least sixty (60) days before the Financial Assurance terminates, the Company shall forthwith replace the Financial Assurance with cash.

Site Operations

- 22. No waste shall be deposited at this Site until such time as Land Use Permit or Lease has been issued by the Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry for the use of part of this land for a waste disposal site.
- 23. Except as otherwise provided by these conditions, the waste disposal Site shall be operated in accordance with the application dated February 23, 1987 and with the documents listed in Schedule "A".
- 24. The Company shall install temporary (i.e. snow fence or construction fencing) around the perimeter of the trench to prevent unauthorized use.
- 25. The Company shall post signs which indicates the presence of sewage sludge and advise against unauthorized use.
- 26. The Company shall install a lockable barrier chain at the entrance to the access road to prevent unauthorized use.
- 27. Within five (5) working days of trench being filled, the Company shall cover the trench with 0.6 metres of soil and 0.15 m topsoil. The final cover shall be seeded with grass seed within six months of the trench being filled.
- 28. The Company shall, upon digging of the trench, provide berms at the edge of the trench.

Revised Closure Plan

29. At such a time when the Site reaches its final capacity, the Site shall be closed in accordance with the document entitled "Waste Management of Canada Corporation, German Township, Sludge Disposal Site, Revised Closure Plan", dated March 2009 and prepared by Jagger-Hims Limited.

Environmental Monitoring Program

30. Environmental monitoring shall be performed in accordance with Schedule "B" of this ECA.

Trigger Mechanism and Contingency Plan

- 31. a. The Trigger Mechanisms are outlined in Item 11 of the supporting documentation listed in Schedule "A".
 - b. In the event that the Trigger Mechanisms are are exceeded, the company shall implement the contingency plan which shall include:
 - i. Verification sampling within three (3) months of the initial sampling exceedance event, if the Waste Disposal Site is determined to be the source of the exceedance, and
 - ii. If the verification sample confirms the exceedance, a contingency system will be designed and submitted to the Director for approval within (3) months of the verification sampling exceedance event.

Contaminant Attenuation Zone (CAZ)

32. The Company is approved to establish a 7.799 hectares Contaminant Attenuation Zone (CAZ), by way of a groundwater easement, all in accordance with Items 16 and 17 of Schedule "A". The description of the CAZ land is as follows:

Part 2, Location CL 18419, Plan 6R-9043, Part of Lot 3, Concession 1, Geographic Town of German

Changes to the Trigger Mechanism and Monitoring Program

- 33. Changes to the Environmental Monitoring Program and Trigger Mechanisms may be authorized by the District Manager prior to approval by the Director via an amendment to this ECA.
- 34. The environmental monitoring programs and trigger mechanisms, as approved by the Director by means of this ECA, shall be amended and revised as follows:
 - a. The Company may request to make changes to the monitoring program(s) to the District Manager in accordance with the recommendations of the Monitoring and Development Report as described in Condition No. 33.
 - b. Within fourteen (14) days of receiving the written correspondence from the District Office confirming that the District Office is in agreement with the proposed changes to the environmental monitoring program(s), the Company shall forward a letter identifying the proposed changes and a copy of the correspondences from the District Manager and all other correspondences and responses related to the changes to the Director requesting the ECA be amended to approve the proposed changes to the environmental monitoring plan prior to implementation.
 - c. In the event any other changes to the environmental monitoring program are proposed outside of the recommendations of the annual report, the Company shall follow current ministry procedures for seeking approval for amending this ECA.

Monitoring and Development Report

- 35. A written report on the development, operation and monitoring of the Site, shall be completed every three years (the "Monitoring and Development Report"). The Monitoring and Development Report shall be submitted to the District Manager by no later than **March 31st** of each required year.
- 36. The Monitoring and Development Report shall include the following:
 - a. the results and an interpretive analysis of the results of all groundwater and surface water monitoring, including: an assessment of the need to amend the monitoring programs, compliance with the Ministry's Reasonable Use Policy (Guideline B-7) and Provincial Water Quality Objectives, an assessment of monitoring results against trigger criteria, and delineation of leachate impacts and plumes;
 - b. an assessment of the need to amend the design or operation of the Site and the adequacy of and need to implement the contingency plans;
 - c. site plans showing the existing conditions of the Site; areas of landfilling operation during the reporting period; areas of intended operation during the next reporting period; areas of excavation during the reporting period; the progress of final cover, vegetative cover, and any intermediate cover application; previously existing site facilities; facilities installed during the reporting period; and site preparations and facilities planned for installation during the next reporting period;
 - d. calculations of the volume of waste and final cover deposited or placed at the Site during the reporting period;
 - e. the adequacy of the Site's contaminant attenuation zone and the potential need to expand or reconfigure the zone;
 - f. a summary of any complaints received and the responses made;
 - g. a discussion of any operational problems encountered at the Site and corrective action taken;
 - h. any changes to the Closure Plan that have been approved by the Director since the last Monitoring and Development Report;
 - i. a report on the status of all monitoring wells and a statement as to compliance with Ontario Regulation 903; and
 - j. any other information with respect to the Site which the District Manager may require from time to time.

Schedules "A" and "B" form part of this Environmental Compliance Approval.

Schedule "A"

- 1. Letter dated May 24, 2005 from Christopher H. Baziner, Waste Management of Canada Corporation, to Daryl Firlotte, Ontario Ministry of the Environment, including the re-evaluation of the financial assurance.
- 2. Application to amend an existing Certificate of Approval dated March 21, 2007, signed by Tim Murphy, Director, Waste Management of Canada Corporation, including all supporting documentation.
- 3. Letter dated April 4, 2007, signed by Jim Roman, Director Physical Services, Town of Kirkland Lake, to A. Mobberley, MOE. re: reason for emergency amendment.
- 4. Application to amend an existing Certificate of Approval dated March 21, 2007, signed by Tim Murphy, Director, Waste Management of Canada Corporation, including all supporting documentation.
- 5. Document entitled "Waste Management of Canada Corporation German Township Sludge Disposal Site: Revised Closure Plan " dated march 2009 and prepared by Jagger Hims Limited.
- 6. Document entitled "Financial Assurance Calculation for the German Township Sludge Disposal Site" dated march 2009 and prepared by GENIVAR Consultants LP.
- 7. E-mail dated September 26, 2011 to Katrina DiRenzo-McGrath, Waste Management Corporation of Canada Corporation from Mr. David Lee, P. Eng., Senior Review Engineer, Ministry of the Environment, Environmental Assessment and Approvals Branch ("EAAB") providing comments on the Financial Assurance and Revised Closure Plan.
- 8. Letter dated November 14, 2011 to Mr. David Lee, P. Eng., EAAB, from Jeff E. Armstrong, P. Eng., Director, Solid Waste Management, GENIVAR Inc. responding to Item 9 of this Schedule.
- 9. E-mail dated November 28, 2011 to Katrina DiRenzo-McGrath, Waste Management Corporation of Canada Corporation from Mr. David Lee, P. Eng., EAAB, providing comments on the revisions provided in Item 10 of this Schedule.
- 10. E-mail dated November 29, 2011 to Mr. David Lee, P. Eng., EAAB, from Katrina DiRenzo-McGrath, Waste Management Corporation of Canada Corporation providing confirmation on the required Financial Assurance amount.
- 11. Document entitled "Waste Management of Canada Corporation, German Township Sludge Disposal Site Contingency Plan" dated December 10, 2010 and prepared by GENIVAR Consultants LP.
- 12. Report entitled "Financial Assurance Calculation for the German Township Sludge Disposal Site" dated March 2014 prepared by WSA Canada.

- 13. Letter dated April 7, 2015 addressed to Rick Li, Ministry of the Environment and Climate Change from Jeff Armstrong, WSP Canada Inc. providing a response to the Ministry's comments on financial assurance and a updated financial assurance re-evaluation.
- 14. Letter dated October 6, 2016 from Ms. Sarah Dignard, WSP to Ms. Sarah Paul, Director, MOECC, providing German Township Sludge Disposal Site Capacity Evaluation information.
- 15. Financial Assurance Calculation for the German Township Sludge Disposal Site. WSP Canada Inc. April 23, 2018.
- 16. ECA application dated November 22, 2018 signed by Katrina Direnzo-McGrath, Director of Environmental Protection, Waste Management of Canada Corporation, including all supporting information.
- 17. Letter dated December 18, 2018 signed by Katrina Direnzo-McGrath, Waste Management of Canada Corporation, to Sarah Sideris, MECP, Re: Response to Letter dated December 6, 2018 for German Waste Disposal Site, including all supporting information.

Schedule "B"

<u>Table 1</u>
<u>Groundwater Quality Monitoring Program</u>

Wells to be sampled	Comprehensive List for
	Groundwater ¹
OW1-6, OW3-8, OW4-8, OW5-8, OW6-8, OW9-1,	Total Ammonia, Chloride, Colour, Conductivity,
OW9-2, OW10	Copper, Iron, Lead, Nitrate, Nitrite, Total
	Kjeldahl Nitrogen, pH, Total Phosphorus,
	Orthophosphate, Zinc, Dissolved Organic Carbon
	(DOC), Phenols, Unionized Ammonia
	(calculated)
	E'-14 Demonstrate
	Field Parameters:
	pH, Conductivity, Temperature, Turbidity, Water
	Level
	Indicator Lists
	Indicator List:
	Primary: Chloride and Nitrate
	Secondary: Ammonia and DOC

NOTE: 1 Sampling of Comprehensive List shall be done twice annually

<u>Table 2</u>
Surface Water Quality Monitoring Program

Stations to be sampled	Comprehensive List for
	Surface Water ¹
SW1, SW2, SW3, SW4	Total Ammonia, Chloride, Colour, Conductivity,
	Copper, Iron, Lead, Nitrate, Nitrite, Total
	Kjeldahl Nitrogen, pH, Total Phosphorus,
	Orthophosphate, Zinc, Dissolved Organic Carbon,
	Phenols, Unionized Ammonia (calculated)
	Field Parameters:
	Temperature, pH, Conductivity, Turbidity

NOTE: 1 Sampling of Comprehensive List shall be done twice annually

The reasons for the imposition of these terms and conditions are as follows:

- 1. The reason for inclusion of the definitions is to define the specific meaning of terms and simplify the wording of conditions in this ECA.
- 2. The reason for Conditions 1 and 2 is to ensure that the Site is designed, operated, monitored and maintained in accordance with the application and supporting documentation submitted by the Company, and not in a manner which the Director has not been asked to consider.
- 3. The reason for Conditions 3, 4, 5, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 is to clarify the legal rights and responsibilities of the Company under this ECA.
- 4. Conditions 6 and 7 are included to ensure that the appropriate Ministry staff have ready access to information and the operations of the Site, which are approved under this ECA.
- 5. Condition 8 has been included in order to clarify what information may be subject to the Freedom of Information Act.
- 6. Conditions 14 to 16 inclusive are included, pursuant to subsection 197(1) of the EPA, to provide that any persons having an interest in the Site are aware that the land has been approved and used for the purposes of waste disposal.
- 7. The reasons for Condition 17 are to restrict potential transfer or encumbrance of the Site without the approval of the Director and to ensure that any transfer of encumbrance can be made only on the basis that it will not endanger compliance with this ECA.
- 8. The reasons for Conditions 18 and 19 are to ensure that the Site is operated under the corporate name which appears on the application form submitted for this approval and to ensure that the Director is informed of any changes.
- 9. The reason for Condition 20 is to ensure that appropriate Ministry staff have ready access to the Site for inspection of facilities, equipment, practices and operations required by the conditions in this ECA. This condition is supplementary to the powers of entry afforded a Provincial Officer pursuant to the EPA and OWRA.
- 10. The reason for condition 21 is to ensure that sufficient funds are available to the Ministry to close the landfill, and to carry out all expected post-closure care activities and any contingencies. Failure to include requirements for financial assurance would not be in the public interest and may result in a hazard or nuisance to the natural environment or any person.
- 11. The reason for condition 22 is that the Ministry of Natural Resources must withdraw the surface rights from any lands required to serve as a buffer zone for the waste disposal Site.

- 12. The reason for condition 23 is to ensure that this waste disposal Site is operated in accordance with the application submitted for the Provisional Certification of Approval and not on a basis which the Director has not been asked to consider.
- *The reason for conditions 24 and 26 is to prevent unauthorized access or use of the Site.*
- 14. The reason for condition 25 is to inform the public of potential hazard and the wastes that are being disposed.
- 15. The reason for condition 27 is to ensure that the wastes are covered in a timely manner.
- 16. The reason for condition 28 is to ensure the wastes are contained within the trenches.
- 17. The reason for Condition 29 is to ensure that the Site is closed in accordance with the application and supporting documentation submitted by the Company, and not in a manner which the Director has not been asked to consider.
- 18. The reason for Condition 30 is to demonstrate that the landfill Site is performing as designed and the impacts on the natural environment are acceptable. Regular monitoring allows for the analysis of trends over time and ensures that there is an early warning of potential problems so that any necessary remedial/contingency action can be taken.
- 19. The reason for Condition 31 is to ensure that the appropriate steps are taken to minimize and control the impact of leachate production on the natural environment and to operate this Site without such condition may result in hazard to the health and safety of any person or to the natural environment.
- 20. The reason for Condition 32 is to approve a contaminant attenuation zone for the Site.
- 21. The reason for Conditions 33 and 34 is to provide a mechanism for making alterations to the environmental monitoring program, as required.
- 22. The reasons for Conditions 35 and 36 are to ensure that regular review of Site development, operations and monitoring data is documented and any possible improvements to Site design, operations or monitoring programs are identified. A Monitoring and Development Report is an important tool used in reviewing Site activities and for determining the effectiveness of Site design.

Upon issuance of the environmental compliance approval, I hereby revoke Approval No(s). A580732 issued on May 22, 2015 and notices of amendment dated September 29, 2017 and March 8, 2019.

In accordance with Section 139 of the Environmental Protection Act, you may by written Notice served upon me, the Environmental Review Tribunal and in accordance with Section 47 of the Environmental Bill of Rights, 1993, the Minister of the Environment, Conservation and Parks, within 15 days after receipt of this Notice, require a hearing by the Tribunal. The Minister of the Environment, Conservation and Parks will place notice of your appeal on the Environmental Registry. Section 142 of the Environmental Protection Act

provides that the Notice requiring the hearing shall state:

- a. The portions of the environmental compliance approval or each term or condition in the environmental compliance approval in respect of which the hearing is required, and;
- b. The grounds on which you intend to rely at the hearing in relation to each portion appealed.

Pursuant to subsection 139(3) of the Environmental Protection Act, a hearing may not be required with respect to any terms and conditions in this environmental compliance approval, if the terms and conditions are substantially the same as those contained in an approval that is amended or revoked by this environmental compliance approval.

The Notice should also include:

- 1. The name of the appellant;
- 2. The address of the appellant;
- 3. The environmental compliance approval number;
- 4. The date of the environmental compliance approval;
- 5. The name of the Director, and;
- 6. The municipality or municipalities within which the project is to be engaged in.

And the Notice should be signed and dated by the appellant.

AND

This Notice must be served upon:

The Secretary*
Environmental Review Tribunal
655 Bay Street, Suite 1500
Toronto, Ontario
M5G 1E5

The Minister of the Environment, Conservation and Parks 777 Bay Street, 5th Floor Toronto, Ontario M7A 2J3 The Director appointed for the purposes of Part II.1 of the Environmental Protection Act Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks 135 St. Clair Avenue West, 1st Floor Toronto, Ontario M4V 1P5

* Further information on the Environmental Review Tribunal's requirements for an appeal can be obtained directly from the Tribunal at: Tel: (416) 212-6349, Fax: (416) 326-5370 or www.ert.gov.on.ca

This instrument is subject to Section 38 of the Environmental Bill of Rights, 1993, that allows residents of Ontario to seek leave to appeal the decision on this instrument. Residents of Ontario may seek leave to appeal within 15 days from the date this decision is placed on the Environmental Registry. By accessing the Environmental Registry at https://ero.ontario.ca/, you can determine when the leave to appeal period ends.

The above noted activity is approved under s.20.3 of Part II.1 of the Environmental Protection Act.

DATED AT TORONTO this 28th day of October, 2019

Mohsen Keyvani, P.Eng.

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Director

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appointed for the purposes of Part II.1 of the Environmental Protection Act

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c: District Manager, MECP Timmins
Jake Whittamore, WSP Canada Inc., Waste Management of Canada Corporation