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October 22, 2021

Cari Vanderperk  
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Hamilton Water  
Public Works, City of Hamilton  
E-Mail: Cari.Vanderperk@hamilton.ca

Dear Cari Vanderperk:

**Re: Extension Request of Item No.6 of Director's Order No.1-PE3L3**

I am in receipt of your September 30, 2021 request for an extension of the compliance date specified in Item No. 6 of the Order from October 31, 2021 to December 31, 2022.

I have reviewed your request and supplementary revised schedule, '*Revised Chedoke Creek Targeted Dredge Project Schedule, September 2021*' and have consulted with Ministry staff. Based on my review of the documents provided to support the City's request I understand that after assessing the permit and approval process and the in-water construction restrictions, the targeted dredge portion of the workplan will be completed by December 31, 2022. Having considered your submissions and further to our discussions held on Monday October 18, 2021, I am of the view that the compliance date can be extended.

As such, pursuant to my authority under sections 157.3 of the *Environmental Protection Act*, s.16.4 of the *Ontario Water Resources Act*, and sections 49 and 54 of the *Legislation Act, 2006*, I hereby alter the compliance date in Item No. 6 as requested so that Item No. 6 now reads as follows:

6. By December 31, 2022, complete the approved Chedoke Creek Workplan.

All other Items in the Order remain in effect, and unaltered. This order alters and constitutes part of Director's Order No. 1-PE3L3, issued on December 4, 2020. You may require a hearing before the Ontario Land Tribunal in respect of this amendment to the compliance date in accordance with the EPA and the OWRA.

I encourage you to inform the various stakeholders who are interested in the work that is to be completed pursuant to my Order, of this amendment.

If you have any questions concerning this amendment, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Regards,

A rectangular box containing a handwritten signature in black ink. The signature is stylized and appears to be 'SB'.

Stephen Burt

District Manager & Director appointed for the purposes of s.157.3 EPA, s.16.4 OWRA.

Cc. Brittney Wielgos, Supervisor, MECP  
Susan Girt, Compliance & Regulations Manager, Hamilton Water