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MINISTER’S DETERMINATION

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

Pursuant to Regulation 87-83 under the Clean Environment Act

September 30, 2016

File Number: 4561-3-1433

1. In accordance with section 6(6) of the Regulation, it has been determined that the undertaking may proceed following approval under all other applicable acts and regulations.
2. Commencement of this undertaking must occur within three years of the date of this Determination. Should commencement not be possible within this time period the undertaking must be registered under the *Environmental Impact Assessment Regulation (87-83)* – Clean Environment Act again, unless otherwise stated by the Minister of Environment and Local Government.
3. The proponent shall adhere to all obligations, commitments, monitoring and mitigation measures presented in the document entitled, “Pulp Dryer Modernization Environmental Impact Assessment, Irving Pulp & Paper, Limited, Reversing Falls Mill, Saint John, New Brunswick (dated May 12, 2016), as well as all those identified in subsequent correspondence during the registration review. Additionally, the proponent shall submit a summary table detailing the status of each Condition listed in this Determination to the Manager of the Environmental Assessment Section of the Department of Environment and Local Government (DELG) every 6 months from the date of this Determination until such a time as all the Conditions have been met.
4. If it is suspected that remains of archaeological significance are found during construction, operation or maintenance of the proposed development, as per the Heritage Conservation Act (2010), all activity shall be stopped near the find and the Resource Manager of the Archaeological Services Unit shall be contacted at (506) 453-3014.
5. The proponent must obtain an *Approval to Construct* from the Impact Management Branch (IMB), before construction activities commence. The proponent shall also make an application to update the *Approval to Operate* before the new project begins operating. For more information, please contact the Manager of the Permitting North Section, DELG, at (506) 453-7945.
6. An Environmental Protection Plan (EPP) must be prepared for the construction, operation, and maintenance phases of this project. The EPP must also include emergency response planning measures. The EPP must be submitted for review and must receive approval from the Manager of the Environmental Assessment Section of DELG prior to the commencement of any project activities. For more information, please contact the Manager at (506) 444-5382.
7. The proponent shall ensure that all permits and approvals required by the City of Saint John are obtained prior to commencement of the project.

8. The proponent shall ensure that periodic updates/meetings be coordinated with DELG Saint John Regional Staff, including the Approvals Engineer, regarding any public complaints, environmental concerns and overall project progress.
9. The proponent shall ensure that any proposed project modifications are submitted for review and approval by the Manager of the Environmental Assessment Section of DELG.
10. The proponent shall ensure that all developers, contractors and operators associated with the development project comply with the above requirements.