

NOTICE

Registration of Undertaking for Environmental Assessment ENVIRONMENT ACT

This is to advise that on March 03, 2020, Dexter Construction Company Limited registered the Gabarus Quarry Expansion Project for environmental assessment, in accordance with Part IV of the *Environment Act*.

The purpose of the proposed undertaking is to expand an existing quarry located at 605 Grand Mira Gabarus Road, Gabarus Lake, Cape Breton Regional Municipality, Nova Scotia. The existing quarry has been in operation for approximately 20 years. The land associated with the expanded quarry will occupy a maximum of 13 hectares, which includes the existing quarry footprint. A project life of up to 40 years is expected. The expanded quarry will support continued extraction and production of aggregate products used primarily in the road construction industry in CBRM. It is expected that the continued use of the quarry will be identical, or very similar, to historic use at the site. The project is anticipated to commence during the 2020 construction season with production volumes of approximately 50,000 tonnes per year during years in which the quarry is active.

Copies of the environmental assessment registration information may be examined at the following locations:

- Gabarus Canada Post Office: 8841 NS-327, Gabarus, NS
- Marion Bridge Canada Post Office: 3970 Gabarus Highway, Marion Bridge, NS
- Nova Scotia Environment, Sydney Office: 1030 Upper Prince Street, Suite 2, Sydney, NS
- NSE EA website (when available) <https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/ea/>

The public is invited to submit written comments to:

Environmental Assessment Branch, Nova Scotia Environment
P.O. Box 442, Halifax, Nova Scotia B3J 2P8

on or before April 02, 2020 or contact the Department at (902) 424-3600, (902) 424-6925 (Fax), or e-mail at EA@novascotia.ca.

All comments received from the public consultation will be posted on the department's website for public viewing. In the case of an individual, the address, email and contact information will be removed before being placed on the website. By submitting your comments, you are consenting to the posting of your comments on the department's website.

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