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John Godbold
Project Director
Bear Head LNG Corporation
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Dear Mr. Godbold:

**Re: Environmental Assessment
Bear Head LNG Project, Richmond County, Nova Scotia**

The environmental assessment of the proposed Bear Head LNG Project located in Richmond County, Nova Scotia has been completed.

Following a review of the information provided by Bear Head LNG Corporation, and from comments received from agencies and persons that participated in this environmental assessment review, I have approved the above project with conditions in accordance with Section 40 of the *Environment Act*, S.N.S., 1994-95 and subsection 13(1)(b) of the Environmental Assessment Regulations, N.S. Reg. 348/2008, made under the Act.

This approval is subject to any other approvals required by statute or regulation, including but not limited to, approvals under Part V of the Nova Scotia *Environment Act* (Approvals and Certificates section).

If you have any questions regarding the approval of this project, please contact Peter Geddes, Director of Policy at (902) 424-6250 or via email at geddespi@gov.ns.ca.

Sincerely,

Randy Delorey, MLA
Minister of Environment

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c: Peter Geddes