

File: 10550-20/FRPA Section 52 Authorization

Date: October 30, 2024

BC Hydro & Power Authority 333 Dunsmuir Street Vancouver, British Columbia V6B 5R3

Dear Licensee,

AUTHORIZATION

This is an authorization under FRPA Section 52(1)(b).

BC Hydro & Power Authority is authorized to cut Crown timber for the purpose of another purpose as described below, on the area located in the Authorization map attached to Appendix A of this Authorization. This Authorization expires on **August 24, 2026**. In exercising this Authorization, the Authorization Holder may cut Crown Timber, during the

term of the Authorization for the purpose(s) described below:

(a) Remove non-merchantable brush for the purpose of clearing the area outlined in Exhibit A

The Authorization Holder holds a Licence of Occupation, (#8015393) that includes the right to enter and use the Crown Land under this Authorization, specified in the map.

CONDITIONS AND REQUIREMENTS

The following conditions apply to this Authorization:

- (a) Timber cut under this Authorization may not be removed from the area specified in the Authorization map;
- (b) The Authorization holder while exercising this authorization must ensure that the activities conducted under the authorization does not cause sediment that is harmful to human health to enter a stream, wetland or lake from which water is being diverted for human consumption by licensed waterworks.

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- (c) The Authorization holder while exercising this authorization must ensure that the activities conducted under this authorization does not cause a landslide that has a material adverse effect in relation to one or more of the subjects listed in section 149 (1) of the *Forest and Range Practices Act* (FPRA).
- (d) The holder is expected to contact owner of TR0732T005 prior to commencement of clearing.
- (e) The holder is expected to contact the Range Act Tenure Holders prior to commencement of clearing.

OPERATIONS

 You must contact the District Manager or designate before starting up and on completion of operations.

LIABILITY

- The Authorization Holder must indemnify the Province against and save it harmless from all claims, demands, suits, actions, causes of action, costs expenses and losses faced, incurred or suffered by the Province as a result, directly or indirectly, of any act or omission of:
 - (a) the Authorization Holder;
 - (b) an employee or agent of the Authorization Holder;
 - (c) a contractor of the Authorization Holder who engages in any activity or carries out any operation, including but not restricted to the cutting or removal of timber, under or associated with this Authorization; or
 - (d) any other person who on behalf of or with the consent of the Authorization Holder engages in any activity or carries out any operation, including but not restricted to the cutting or removal of timber, under or associated with this Authorization.
- For greater certainty, the Holder of this Authorization has no obligation to indemnify the Province in respects of any act or omission of:
 - (a) an employee, agent or contractor of the Province, in the course of carrying out his or her duties as employee, agent or contractor of the Province; o
 - (b) a person, other than the Authorization Holder, to whom the Province has granted the right to use or occupy Crown land, in the course of exercising those rights.
- The Province is not liable to the Authorization Holder for injuries, losses, expenses, or costs incurred or suffered by the person as a result, directly or indirectly, of an act or omission of a person who is not a party to the Authorization, including but not restricted to an act or omission of a person disrupting, stopping or otherwise



interfering with the person's operations under the Authorization by road blocks or other means.

Issued by Marianne Johnson, Deputy District Manager of the Peace Natural Resource District (Director Authorizations)

Acceptance of the terms and conditions, by the Authorized Holder or authorized signatory (signature of Authorized Holder)



APPENDIX A – Authorization Map

