

February 26, 2024

Permit No. 2019-0213 Application No. 11200-30/19A0261

Greg Scarborough BC Hydro - Site C Project 6911 Southpoint Drive Burnaby, BC V3N 4X8 AND Greg Holland

Ecofor Consulting Ltd. 882 Stuart Drive Box 1270 Fort St James, BC V0J1P0

Re: Amendment 007 to Alteration Permit 2019-0213 - Granted

Dear Greg Scarborough and Greg Holland:

Further to your request of November 3, 2023, the terms of the enclosed permit have been **revised to add site HbRh-190**. Please keep a copy of the amended permit for your records; the original will be retained in the Archaeology Branch permit file.

The results of your alterations are to be presented in a permit report, submitted in both double-sided hard copy and PDF formats, by **March 31, 2026**.

Should you have any questions regarding this permit, please contact your Permitting Archaeologist, **Kira Kristensen**, who can be reached by calling **(236) 478-3331** or emailing <u>ArchPermitApp@gov.bc.ca</u>.

Please note that the permit number listed above must be referenced in the subject line of all permit-related emails sent to the Archaeology Branch.

Sincerely,

Nathan Friesen

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Manager – Commercial and Resource Development

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pc: See attached Amendment Distribution List

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HERITAGE CONSERVATION ACT

ALTERATION PERMIT

AMENDMENT (007)

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that Greg Scarborough of BC Hydro - Site C Project, and Greg Holland of Ecofor Consulting Ltd. are hereby authorized to conduct alterations as described below, subject to the terms and conditions on the back hereof.

Type of alteration, archaeological site number(s) and location(s):

Proposed alterations of 514 archaeological sites from the BC Hydro Site C Clean Energy Project.

All work is to conform with the "Application for Permit" dated May 30, 2019, and the amendment requests dated September 12, 2019, February 28, 2020, March 17, 2021, February 14, 2022, October 4, 2022, June 14, 2023, and November 3, 2023.

Disposition of materials collected: Fort St. John North Peace Museum

Issued July 23, 2019
Amended (001) December 4, 2019
Amended (002) July 24, 2020
Amended (003) November 10, 2021
Amended (004) June 7, 2022
Amended (005) December 2, 2022
Amended (006) October 5, 2023
Amended (007) February 26, 2024
Expires March 31, 2026

Minister of Forests

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(See back for Conditions)

- 1. Permits shall be valid for the term stipulated on the front of the permit unless otherwise suspended or cancelled. Extensions to the term of the permit, or other amendments, will be considered upon submission of a request to the Archaeology Branch at least 45 days prior to the expiry date of the permit.
- 2. The permit-holder shall provide the Archaeology Branch with one (1) bound copy, if longer than five (5) pages, and one (1) electronic copy in PDF format of a written report outlining the work carried out under the terms of the permit.
- 3. The title page of all reports must indicate the name(s) of the copyright owner(s) and, where agreed to, a Grant of License statement completed and signed by the copyright owner(s).
- 4. The permit-holder shall provide the Archaeology Branch with an updated British Columbia Archaeological Site Inventory Form for any site altered under authority of the permit.
- 5. A person appointed by the Branch may at any time inspect any aspect of a project conducted under the terms of this permit. To further their inspection, the appointee may request field data, or conduct excavations within the study area. Notwithstanding the expiration or earlier termination of the term of the permit this provision will remain and continue in full force and effect.
- 6. Where a condition for archaeological monitoring of development is attached to the permit, the permit-holder shall arrange for a secure repository to curate any materials recovered under authority of the permit.
- 7. Heritage objects and associated materials recovered under authority of the permit may not be sold or exchanged for financial gain. Any other transfer of heritage objects, materials and records, or changes to the conditions identified under the "Disposition of materials collected..." section of the permit, may only be carried out with prior consent of the Minister.
- 8. A permit issued under Section 12.4(1) does not authorize the holder of the permit to enter property, or to make any alteration to property, without the permission of the owner or occupier.
- 9. In the event that human remains are encountered, all work must cease in the vicinity of the remains and the Archaeology Branch and affected indigenous communities must be contacted for direction, unless otherwise provided for in the permit application.
- 10. Where concurrent archaeological studies are required, per Section 5 of the application, an Eligible Archaeologist, as approved by the Branch, will be retained by the applicant. Any ground-altering activities must be conducted under the direction of the archaeologist.
- 11. Where known, First Nation file numbers will be reference in permit-related correspondence.
- 12. The permit-holder shall arrange for a secure repository to curate any materials recovered under authority of the permit.
- 13. The permit-holder shall conform to all requirements that may be imposed by the institution or organization named in the "Disposition of materials collected..." section of the permit.
- 14. Any other conditions that may be specified in the permit.

15. **N/A**