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Dear Colin Javra

**Re: South End Water Pollution Control Centre (SEWPCC) - Environment Act  
Licence No. 2716 RR - Quarterly Progress Report Response**

Thank you for the April 29, 2022, quarterly progress report regarding the upgrade projects at the South End Water Pollution Control Centre (SEWPCC) during the months of January, February, and March 2022.

Upon review of the report, I note the City of Winnipeg has planned to convert the high purity oxygen (HPO) tanks to fermenters and biofilter. I also note the city revised the schedule to complete the conversion from Q1, 2023 to Q3, 2022. This is an exact reversal of a revision the city reported in the previous quarterly progress report, with no explanation. Please provide the rationale for these changes by June 9, 2022.

The city must continue to submit quarterly progress reports covering all of the identified activities and milestones and accurately reflecting what has been accomplished during each reporting period.

Should you have any questions regarding this letter, or have questions on expectations to be included in future reports, please contact Bereket Assefa, Senior Environmental Engineer, Environmental Approvals Branch at [Bereket.Assefa@gov.mb.ca](mailto:Bereket.Assefa@gov.mb.ca) or 204-330-4613.

Sincerely,

Original Signed by

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