



**Conservation and Water Stewardship**

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Mr. David Huck  
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Dear Mr. Huck:

**Re: Simplot Canada (II) Limited - Potato Processing Plant and Wastewater Pre-treatment Facility-Environment Act Licence No. 2518 R7**

Receipt of the July 4, 2013 letter and associated documentation regarding the Simplot Canada (II) Limited - Environment Act Licence No. 2518 R7 is acknowledged as a Notice of Alteration (NoA) in accordance with Section 14 of *The Environment Act*.

The requested change to the Development as Licenced is to operate a wastewater treatment pilot project. The objective of this pilot project is to evaluate the suitability of Ostara's Pearl Process to effectively remove phosphorus from the facility's wastewater effluent.

The potential environmental effects of the requested change(s) are considered to be minor. Accordingly, the request as indicated in the July 4, 2013 letter is approved as a minor alteration in accordance with section 14(2) of *The Environment Act*.

If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Rafiqul Chowdhury, P.Eng. at (204) 945-2614 or by e-mail at [Rafiqul.Chowdhury@gov.mb.ca](mailto:Rafiqul.Chowdhury@gov.mb.ca).

Yours truly,

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