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From: Rosalia Galante [Rosalia.Galante@pwgsc.gc.ca]
Sent: 2004-June-10 10:20 AM
To: Paul Rowe
Cc: Gary Hubbard (E-mail)
Subject: RE: Tiverton, Digby County, N.S. - Wharf Repair - CEAA Screening/Environmental Protection Plan

Paul,

The only project component or activity that is temporally limited is the blasting component. Blasting will not be permitted from July until late December. Blasting will only be conducted from January through to the end of June.

Therefore, dredging can continue beyond the end of June (similar to breakwater construction activities).

Rosalia

> -----Original Message-----

> From: Paul Rowe
> Sent: Wednesday, June 09, 2004 3:15 PM
> To: Rosalia Galante
> Cc: 'Gary Hubbard (E-mail)'
> Subject: RE: Tiverton, Digby County, N.S. - Wharf Repair - CEAA
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> Met on site yesterday with the contractor and reviewed the dredging component of the project. Test pits have dramatically reduced the volume of rock to approx 200 cu meters and will be removed using a hydraulic hammer and be completed before the end of June. This means there will be no blasting done in the harbour, however, the contractor would like to know what time frame would there be for dredging, assuming a silt screen is installed across the harbour, between the breakwater and the wharf. Can the dredging continue beyond the end of June?

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> -----Original Message-----
> From: Rosalia Galante
> Sent: Monday, June 07, 2004 6:26 PM
> To: Paul Rowe
> Cc: Gary Hubbard (E-mail)
> Subject: Tiverton, Digby County, N.S. - Wharf Repair - CEAA
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> Paul,

> I have the final CEAA signed by Habitat (it arrived back today). Everything's a go, we don't need anything else from Habitat.

> DFO-Habitat sought expert advice in the last week from a Marine Mammal specialist in St. Andrews Biological Station, and it came back that there were no concerns for blasting in June. Basically what made Tammy go to this specialist was that she had conflicting information between what I had found out from the Tour Guide (the corrected window) and a time window that had been identified for the White's Point Quarry file (yep! you guessed it) from DFO-Science. She ended up having to go to this specialist in St. Andrews for a third and definitive opinion. Turns out nothing needed to be resigned by Neil Bellefontaine (no change to original HADD Authorization) so everything's a go!

> One condition that Tammy left on my phone was that if the blasting Plan has changed (since the original submission in February), then DFO-HMD will have to look at it again.

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> I'm gone to a Ocean Disposal workshop tomorrow and next, but I'm back on Thursday

June 10.

> I'll come by on Thursday so you can sign the CEAA on the signature page and then
> off it goes to Moncton.
> I'll make you a copy of it for your file too but you might not get it until Friday
> or so.
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> Talk to you later!
> Rosalia
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