NOTICE

Registration Of Class II Undertaking and Preparation of Terms of Reference for Environmental Assessment Pursuant to the Nova Scotia Environment Act

This is to advise that on December 17, 1999, the Nova Scotia Department of Transportation and Public Works, Purdy's Wharf, Tower II, 4th Floor 1969 Upper Water Street, Halifax, registered the Beaver Bank Bypass Project for environmental assessment, in accordance with Part IV of the Environment Act.

The purpose of the proposed Class II undertaking is to construct an arterial roadway extending from Highway 101 to the Beaver Bank Road. The proposed roadway is a 10.4 km limited access four-lane divided arterial intended to alleviate current and projected congestion on the local highway network.

Copies of the environmental assessment registration information and Proposed Terms of Reference may be examined at the following locations:

- Halifax Regional Municipality Customer Service Centre, Acadia Centre, 636 Sackville Dr., Sackville, Nova Scotia
- Sackville Sports Stadium, 409 Glendale Drive, Sackville, Nova Scotia
- The Clean Nova Scotia Foundation, 126 Portland Street Dartmouth, Nova Scotia
- Ecology Action Centre, Suite 31, 1568 Argyle St., Halifax, Nova Scotia
- Nova Scotia Department of the Environment, Bedford Regional Office, 1595 Bedford Highway, Mezzanine Level, Suite 224, Bedford, Nova Scotia
- Nova Scotia Department of the Environment, 5th Floor Library, 5151 Terminal Road, Halifax, Nova Scotia

The public is invited to submit written comments on the Proposed Terms of Reference in preparation of the Final Terms of Reference for the environmental assessment report to:

Nova Scotia Department of the Environment
Environmental Assessment Branch
P.O. Box 2107, Halifax, N.S. B3J 3B7

or contact the department at (902) 424-2574, (902) 424-3571 (Fax) or e-mail at mcleanmg@gov.ns.ca

on or before February 7, 2000

All comments received will be placed in the public file located on the 5th floor of the Nova Scotia Department of the Environment, Halifax Office and will be made available to Nova Scotians through the Environmental Registry.