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Donald Chisholm
Nova Construction Co. Ltd.
3098 Post Road
PO Box 1328
Antigonish, Nova Scotia B2G 2L7

Dear Mr. Chisholm:

**Re: Environmental Assessment – Nova Construction Co. Ltd.
Brierly Brook Quarry, Antigonish County, NS**

The environmental assessment of the proposed Brierly Brook Quarry in Antigonish County, Nova Scotia has been completed.

This is to advise that I have approved the above project in accordance with Section 40 of the Nova Scotia *Environment Act*, S.N.S., 1994-95 and subsection 13(1)(b) of the *Environmental Assessment Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 348/2008, made under the Act. Following a review of the information provided by Nova Construction Co. Ltd. and the information provided during the government and public consultation of the environmental assessment, I am satisfied that any adverse effects or significant environmental effects of the undertaking can be adequately mitigated through compliance with the attached terms and conditions.

This approval is subject to any other approvals required by statute or regulation, including but not limited to approval under Part V of the *Environment Act* (Approvals and Certificates section).

If you have any questions regarding the approval of this project, please contact Mr. Peter Geddes, Director of Policy and Planning, at (902) 424-6250 or via email at peter.geddes@novascotia.ca.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Randy Delorey', written over a horizontal line.

Randy Delorey, MLA
Minister of Environment

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c: Peter Geddes, Director of Policy and Planning