

NOTICE

Registration of Undertaking for Environmental Assessment ENVIRONMENT ACT

This is to advise on January 7, 2015, Municipal Enterprises Limited registered the Irish Cove Quarry Expansion Project for environmental assessment, in accordance with Part IV of the Environment Act.

The purpose of the proposed undertaking is to expand the existing Irish Cove Quarry located at 195 Irish Cove Road, Irish Cove, Richmond County, Nova Scotia. It is noted that the existing quarry has been in operation at this location since 2010. The expanded quarry will occupy a maximum of 16 hectares (including the existing quarry) of land, with an expected project life of 20 years. The quarry will provide aggregate, primarily used in the road construction industry on Cape Breton Island. It is intended that the ongoing use of the quarry will be identical, or very similar, to what has taken place at the site since its inception.

Copies of the environmental assessment registration information may be examined at the following locations:

- Potlotek Expedition Gas & Convenience, 12012 Highway # 4, Chapel Island, Richmond County, NS
- Sacred Heart Church, 15338 Highway # 4, Johnstown, Richmond County, NS
- Ecology Action Centre, 2705 Fern Lane, Halifax, NS
- Nova Scotia Environment, Port Hawkesbury Office, 218 MacSween St., Suite 12, Port Hawkesbury, NS
- Nova Scotia Environment Library, Barrington Place, 1903 Barrington St., Suite 2085, Halifax, NS
- EA website (when available)
<http://www.novascotia.ca/nse/ea/>

The public is invited to submit written comments to:

Environmental Assessment Branch, Nova Scotia Environment
P.O. Box 442, Halifax, NS, B3J 2P8

on or before **February 6, 2015** or contact the department at (902) 424-3600, (902) 424-6925 (Fax), or e-mail at EA@novascotia.ca.

All submissions received, including personal information, will be made available for public review in the Nova Scotia Environment Library, Barrington Place, Suite 2085, 1903 Barrington Street, Halifax, NS.

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