

## **NOTICE OF MINOR AMENDMENT**

### **CLASS ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT FOR WATERPOWER PROJECTS**

The Ontario Waterpower Association proposed amendments to the Class Environmental Assessment for Waterpower Projects.

On October 31, 2017, the Ontario Waterpower Association submitted its request to the Ministry of the Environment and Climate Change, Environmental Assessment and Permissions Branch. Additional minor amendments were also proposed by the Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry and the Ministry of the Environment and Climate Change. The Director has determined that the accepted minor amendments, with and without modifications, will not substantially change the Class Environmental Assessment, do not compromise environmental protection, and will improve the implementation of the Class Environmental Assessment by providing additional clarity and guidance.

Pursuant to Subsection 8.2.1 of the Ontario Waterpower Association Class Environmental Assessment, minor amendments, with and without modifications; have been accepted by the Director of the Environmental Assessment and Permissions Branch. A copy of the Notice of Minor Amendment has been placed in the public record file and a copy has been provided to the Ontario Waterpower Association.

The Ontario Waterpower Association Class Environmental Assessment has been amended to include the following minor amendments, with and without modifications, as outlined in Table 1.

Copies of the Notice of Minor Amendment and associated attachments can be obtained from the public record file located at:

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Environmental Assessment and Permissions Branch  
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Further information on the Ontario Waterpower Association Class Environmental Assessment can be obtained at the Ontario Waterpower Association Web Site at <http://www.owa.ca>.

This notice is dated January 26, 2018.