

May 31, 2021

Coastal GasLink Pipeline Ltd.  
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Attention: Coastal GasLink Pipeline Ltd.

**RE: Determination of Application Number 100112771**

**Permit Holder:** Coastal GasLink Pipeline Ltd.

**Date of Issuance:** May 31, 2021

**Effective Date:** May 31, 2021

**Application Submission Date:** February 4, 2021

**Application Determination Number:** 100112771

## **ACTIVITIES APPROVED**

<b>Changes In and About a Stream:</b> 0006632
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## **GENERAL AUTHORIZATIONS AND CONDITIONS**

### **Water Sustainability Act**

1. The Commission, pursuant to section 11 of the *Water Sustainability Act*, authorizes the Changes In and About a Stream, as detailed in the table above, within the activity area for construction and maintenance activities, unless otherwise restricted by this authorization:
  - a. Instream works must be carried out in accordance with the methods and any mitigations, as specified in the application.
2. The authorizations granted under this permit are limited to the area identified in the spatial data submitted to the Commission in the permit application as identified and dated above; herein referred to as the 'activity area'.

## **CONDITIONS**

### **Notification**

3. The permit holder must notify any First Nation(s) who may have Aboriginal Interests identified, as per the BC First Nations Consultative Areas Database, within the area in which the works are to occur at least five (5) working days prior to project commencement.

### **Clearing**

4. The permit holder is permitted to fell any trees located on Crown land within 1.5 tree lengths of the activity area that are considered to be a safety hazard according to Workers Compensation Act

regulations and must be felled in order to eliminate the hazard. Trees or portions of these trees that can be accessed from the activity area without causing damage to standing timber may be harvested.

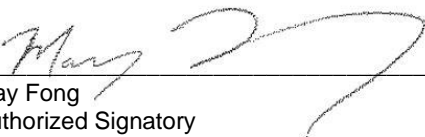
### **Water Course Crossings and Works**

5. Stream, lake and wetland crossings must be constructed in accordance with the methods and any mitigations, as specified in the application.
6. In-stream activities within a fish bearing stream, lake or wetland must occur:
  - a. during the applicable reduced risk work windows as specified in the Skeena Region - Reduced Risk Work Windows;
  - b. in accordance with alternative timing and associated mitigation recommended by a Qualified Professional and accepted by the Commission; or
  - c. in accordance with an authorization or letter of advice from Fisheries and Oceans Canada that is provided to the Commission.
7. At any time, the Commission may suspend instream works authorized under this permit. Suspensions on instream works will remain in place until such time as the Commission notifies permit holders that works may resume. Reasons for suspension of works may include, but are not limited to, drought conditions and increased environmental or public safety risks.
8. Equipment used for activities under this Permit must not be situated in a stream channel unless it is dry or frozen to the bottom at the time of the activity.

### **ADVISORY GUIDANCE**

1. Instructions for submitting notice of construction start, as required by regulation, can be found in the Oil and Gas Activity Operations Manual on the Commission's website.
2. Unless a condition or its context suggests otherwise, terms used in this approval have the same meaning as the Environmental Protection and Management Regulation under the *Oil and Gas Activities Act*.

All pages included in this permit and any attached documents form an integral part of this permit.

  
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May Fong  
Authorized Signatory  
Commission Delegated Decision Maker

Copied to:

First Nations – Haisla Nation Council, Kitselas First Nation (Traditional Territory)