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Shelly Boss
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Via email : Shelly.Boss@iaac-aeic.gc.ca

Dear Shelly Boss,

RE: Review of new designation request and information for the Vivian Sand Project

ECCC has reviewed What the Frack Manitoba's Designation Request dated September 8, 2021 and Questions for CanWhite Virtual Open House for the Vivian Sand Extraction Project and Hydrogeological Report dated August 20, 2021 for the above-noted project as requested in the Impact Assessment Agency of Canada's (the Agency) September 23, 2021 letter. The information and questions do not change what ECCC previously indicated about the project in our FAARs dated September 14, 2020 and August 16, 2021. ECCC has no further comment to provide based on the available information for the Vivian Sand Project.

Should you require further information, please do not hesitate to contact:

- Heather Konopski, Environmental Assessment Officer, at (204) 918-4670 or heather.konopski@ec.gc.ca
- Orlagh O'Sullivan, A/ Senior Environmental Assessment Officer, at (431) 276-4506 or orlagh.osullivan@ec.gc.ca
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Sincerely,

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