## Enclosure 1: Guiding Questions for this Comment Period

## Please respond by March 4, 2022

## Designation Request for the Proposed Lambert La Ronge Peat Harvest Project the Impact Assessment Act

## **Potential Effects and Impacts**

- 1. Please describe whether and how the potential adverse effects of the Project could result in changes to your community's:
  - (a) physical and cultural heritage (e.g. ceremonial sites, burial sites, cultural landscapes)

The adverse affects of the proposed project will result in the deterioration and destruction of physical and cultural heritage sites of the LLRIB including ceremonial sites, cultural landscapes, and medicinal harvesting areas.

(b) current use of lands and resources for traditional purposes (e.g. hunting, fishing, trapping)

The adverse affects of the proposed project will result in the deterioration and destruction of lands and resources used for traditional purposes. Members of the LLRIB, currently utilize the lands identified in the project area for hunting fishing trapping and gathering.

(c) structures, sites or things of historical, archaeological, paleontological or architectural significance (e.g. artifacts, important historic buildings or symbols)

The adverse affects of the proposed project will result in the deteriation and destruction of historically significant sites such as water bodies and tributaries of Lac La Ronge, muskegs used for traditional purposes, and ceremonial sites used by membership.

- 2. Please describe how the Project may result in changes (both positive and negative) to your community's:
  - (a) health, social or economic conditions (e.g. employment opportunities, easier access to goods and services, economic development, accessibility to health-care services);

The project will result in negative impacts to our community's health, social and economic conditions as the areas are utilized for gathering medicines as well as impact the economical opportunities provided through the sale of wild mushrooms and berries in the area. The proposed project will not result in any positive outcomes for the Lac La Ronge Indian Band or its membership.

The project will result in negative impacts to our community's health, social and economic conditions as the areas are utilized for gathering medicines as well as impact the indigenous knowledge, indigenous language and indigenous culture through industrial activity. The proposed project will not result in any positive outcomes for the Lac La Ronge Indian Band or its membership.

- 3. Please describe how the Project may result in any change (positive or negative) to:
  - (a) the intersection of sex and gender with other identity factors (would there be effects to different sub-groups within your community, identified based on factors such as gender, age, race, religion etc. For example, to women, youth, elders);

LLRIB see no positive benefits associated with the proposed project.

(b) sustainability, considering, for example, the interconnectedness and interdependence of human-ecological systems and the well-being of present and future generations.

The LLRIB see no positive benefits associated with the proposed project. Considering the longevity and significant environmental impacts of the proposed project the LLRIB does not consider the proposed project sustainable for both present and future generations.

4. If you expect the Project may impact your community's rights as protected under section 35 of the *Constitution Act, 1982,* please describe how.

The proposed project will impact treaty and inherent rights by removing the ability to practice traditional activities such as hunting, fishing, trapping, gathering, and ceremonial practices that are protected under section 35 of the Constitution Act 1982.

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