

July 20, 2016

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Ms. Cory Switzer, P.Eng.
Manitoba Sustainable Development
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160-123 Main Street
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Dear Ms. Switzer:

**Re: Response to TAC Review Comments, Client File No. 5837.00
Prairieview Terminals Ltd.
6 Sabrina Way, Rural Municipality of Headingley, Manitoba**

True Grit Consulting Limited (TGCL), on behalf of the Proponent, Prairieview Terminals Ltd., submits this response to questions from Sonja Bridges with Environmental Compliance and Enforcement in her letter dated July 4, 2016 (Review of DGHT Prairieview Terminals Ltd – Headingley Facility).

The following provides responses to the questions or comments in the above mentioned letter:

1. A Permit to Construct has already been filed by a licensed petroleum contractor, Absolute Petroleum, on behalf of the proponent as required by the *Storage and Handling of Petroleum Products and Allied Products Regulation* M.R. 188/2001. A subsequent Permit to Operate will be filed for in accordance with the construction schedule and proposed completion dates.
2. Fuel blending will take place within the above ground storage tanks located within the engineered containment system (tank farm). Tanks to be used for blending will be designated and labelled for easy on-site identification. Blending will be conducted using the mechanical gear pumps on a truck to transfer products into a specific tank for bulking. The pump will be used to roll the combined fluids inside the tank until a uniform consistency is achieved.
3. The blending process is not expected to generate any fugitive air emissions over and above those normally associated with filling or draining any petroleum storage tank. *The Storage and Handling of Petroleum Products and Allied Products Regulation* (M.R. 188/2001) does not require mitigation of fugitive tank emissions via passive vent stacks. However, the proponent will install a granular activated carbon filter on the passive vent stack of any tank to be used for fuel blending to mitigate potential odours caused by the process.

We trust the above satisfactorily addresses your comments. If you have any questions or require more information, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

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