



## MUNICIPAL DRINKING WATER LICENCE

**Licence Number: 224-101**

**Issue Number: 2**

Pursuant to the *Safe Drinking Water Act*, 2002, S.O. 2002, c. 32, and the regulations made thereunder and subject to the limitations thereof, this municipal drinking water licence is issued under Part V of the *Safe Drinking Water Act*, 2002, S.O. 2002, c. 32 to:

### **The Corporation of the Town of Fort Frances**

**320 Portage Avenue  
Fort Frances, ON  
P9A 3P9**

For the following municipal residential drinking water system:

### **Fort Frances Drinking Water System**

This municipal drinking water licence includes the following:

#### **Schedule**

#### **Description**

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DATED at TORONTO this 13th day of May, 2016

Signature

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Indra R. Prashad, P.Eng.  
Director  
Part V, *Safe Drinking Water Act*, 2002

## Schedule A: Drinking Water System Information

System Owner	The Corporation of the Town of Fort Frances
Licence Number	224-101
Drinking Water System Name	Fort Frances Drinking Water System
Schedule A Issue Date	May 13th, 2016

The following information is applicable to the above drinking water system and forms part of this licence:

### Licence

Licence Issue Date	May 13th, 2016
Licence Expiry Date	May 12th, 2021
Application for Licence Renewal Date	November 12th, 2020

### Drinking Water Works Permit

Drinking Water System Name	Permit Number	Issue Date
Fort Frances Drinking Water System	224-201	May 13th, 2016

### Permits to Take Water

Water Taking Location	Permit Number	Issue Date
Rainy River	7280-6UAMD9	October 05, 2006

### Financial Plans

The Financial Plan Number for the Financial Plan required to be developed for this drinking water system in accordance with O. Reg. 453/07 shall be:	224-301
Alternately, if one Financial Plan is developed for all drinking water systems owned by the owner, the Financial Plan Number shall be:	224-301A

### Accredited Operating Authority

Drinking Water System or Operational Subsystems	Accredited Operating Authority	Operational Plan No.	Operating Authority No.
Fort Frances Drinking Water System	The Corporation of the Town of Fort Frances	224-401	224-OA1

## Schedule B: General Conditions

System Owner	The Corporation of the Town of Fort Frances
Licence Number	224-101
Drinking Water System Name	Fort Frances Drinking Water System
Schedule B Issue Date	May 13th, 2016

### 1.0 Definitions

**1.1** Words and phrases not defined in this licence and the associated drinking water works permit shall be given the same meaning as those set out in the SDWA and any regulations made in accordance with that act, unless the context requires otherwise.

**1.2** In this licence and the associated drinking water works permit:

**“adverse effect”, “contaminant” and “natural environment”** shall have the same meanings as in the EPA;

**“alteration”** may include the following in respect of this drinking water system:

- (a) An addition to the system,
- (b) A modification of the system,
- (c) A replacement of part of the system, and
- (d) An extension of the system;

**“compound of concern”** means a contaminant that, based on generally available information, may be emitted from a component of the drinking water system to the atmosphere in a quantity that is significant either in comparison to the relevant point of impingement limit or if a point of impingement limit is not available for the compound, then based on generally available toxicological information, the compound has the potential to cause an adverse effect as defined by the EPA at a point of impingement;

**“Director”** means a Director appointed pursuant to section 6 of the SDWA for the purposes of Part V of the SDWA;

**“drinking water works permit”** means the drinking water works permit for the drinking water system, as identified in Schedule A of this licence and as amended from time to time;

**“emission summary table”** means the table that was prepared by a Professional Engineer in accordance with O. Reg. 419/05 and the procedure document listing the appropriate point of impingement concentrations of each compound of concern emitted from a component of the drinking water system and providing comparison to the corresponding point of impingement limit;

**“EPA”** means the *Environmental Protection Act*, R.S.O. 1990, c. E.19;

**“financial plan”** means the financial plan required by O. Reg. 453/07;

**“licence”** means this municipal drinking water licence for the municipal drinking water system identified in Schedule A of this licence;

**“operational plan”** means an operational plan developed in accordance with the Director’s Directions – Minimum Requirements for Operational Plans made under the authority of subsection 15(1) of the SDWA;

**“owner”** means the owner of the drinking water system as identified in Schedule A of this licence;

**“permit to take water”** means the permit to take water that is associated with the taking of water for purposes of the operation of the drinking water system, as identified in Schedule A of this licence and as amended from time to time;

**“point of impingement”** means any point in the natural environment that is not on the same property as the source of the contaminant and as defined by section 2 of O. Reg. 419/05;

**“point of impingement limit”** means the appropriate standard from Schedule 1, 2 or 3 of O. Reg. 419/05 and if a standard is not provided for a compound of concern, the appropriate criteria listed in the Ministry of the Environment and Climate Change publication titled “Summary of Standards and Guidelines to support Ontario Regulation 419: Air Pollution – Local Air Quality (including Schedule 6 of O. Reg. 419 on Upper Risk Thresholds)”, dated February 2008, as amended;

**“procedure document”** means the Ministry of the Environment and Climate Change procedure titled “Procedure for Preparing an Emission Summary and Dispersion Modelling Report” dated July 2005, as amended;

**“Professional Engineer”** means a Professional Engineer who has been licenced to practice in the Province of Ontario;

**“provincial officer”** means a provincial officer appointed pursuant to section 8 of the SDWA;

**“publication NPC-300”** means the Ministry of the Environment and Climate Change publication titled “Environmental Noise Guideline: Stationary and Transportation Sources – Approval and Planning” dated August 2013, as amended;

**“SDWA”** means the *Safe Drinking Water Act*, 2002, S.O. 2002, c. 32;

**“sensitive populations”** means any one or a combination of the following locations where the health effects of nitrogen oxides emissions from emergency generators shall be considered using the point of impingement limit instead of the Ministry of the Environment and Climate Change screening level for emergency generators:

- (a) health care units (e.g., hospitals and nursing homes),
- (b) primary/junior public schools,
- (c) day-care facilities, and
- (d) playgrounds;

**“subsystem”** has the same meaning as in Ontario Regulation 128/04 (Certification of Drinking Water System Operators and Water Quality Analysts);

**“surface water”** means water bodies (lakes, wetlands, ponds - including dug-outs), water courses (rivers, streams, water-filled drainage ditches), infiltration trenches, and areas of seasonal wetlands;

## 2.0 Applicability

- 2.1 In addition to any other requirements, the drinking water system identified above shall be established, altered and operated in accordance with the conditions of the drinking water works permit and this licence.

## 3.0 Licence Expiry

- 3.1 This licence expires on the date identified as the licence expiry date in Schedule A of this licence.

## 4.0 Licence Renewal

- 4.1 Any application to renew this licence shall be made on or before the date identified as the application for licence renewal date set out in Schedule A of this licence.

## 5.0 Compliance

- 5.1 The owner and operating authority shall ensure that any person authorized to carry out work on or to operate any aspect of the drinking water system has been informed of the SDWA, all applicable regulations made in accordance with that act, the drinking water works permit and this licence and shall take all reasonable measures to ensure any such person complies with the same.

## 6.0 Licence and Drinking Water Works Permit Availability

- 6.1 At least one copy of this licence and the drinking water works permit shall be stored in such a manner that they are readily viewable by all persons involved in the operation of the drinking water system.

## **7.0 Permit to Take Water and Drinking Water Works Permit**

- 7.1** A permit to take water identified in Schedule A of this licence is the applicable permit on the date identified as the Schedule A Issue Date.
- 7.2** A drinking water works permit identified in Schedule A of this licence is the applicable permit on the date identified as the Schedule A Issue Date.

## **8.0 Financial Plan**

- 8.1** For every financial plan prepared in accordance with subsections 2(1) and 3(1) of O. Reg. 453/07, the owner of the drinking water system shall:
- 8.1.1** Ensure that the financial plan contains on the front page of the financial plan, the appropriate financial plan number as set out in Schedule A of this licence; and
- 8.1.2** Submit a copy of the financial plan to the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing within three (3) months of receiving approval by a resolution of municipal council or the governing body of the owner.

## **9.0 Interpretation**

- 9.1** Where there is a conflict between the provisions of this licence and any other document, the following hierarchy shall be used to determine the provision that takes precedence:
- 9.1.1** The SDWA;
- 9.1.2** A condition imposed in this licence that explicitly overrides a prescribed regulatory requirement;
- 9.1.3** A condition imposed in the drinking water works permit that explicitly overrides a prescribed regulatory requirement;
- 9.1.4** Any regulation made under the SDWA;
- 9.1.5** Any provision of this licence that does not explicitly override a prescribed regulatory requirement;
- 9.1.6** Any provision of the drinking water works permit that does not explicitly override a prescribed regulatory requirement;
- 9.1.7** Any application documents listed in this licence, or the drinking water works permit from the most recent to the earliest; and
- 9.1.8** All other documents listed in this licence, or the drinking water works permit from the most recent to the earliest.
- 9.2** If any requirement of this licence or the drinking water works permit is found to be invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining requirements of this licence and the drinking water works permit shall continue to apply.

- 9.3** The issuance of and compliance with the conditions of this licence and the drinking water works permit does not:
- 9.3.1 Relieve any person of any obligation to comply with any provision of any applicable statute, regulation or other legal requirement, including the *Environmental Assessment Act*, R.S.O. 1990, c. E.18; and
  - 9.3.2 Limit in any way the authority of the appointed Directors and provincial officers of the Ministry of the Environment and Climate Change to require certain steps be taken or to require the owner to furnish any further information related to compliance with the conditions of this licence or the drinking water works permit.
- 9.4** For greater certainty, nothing in this licence or the drinking water works permit shall be read to provide relief from regulatory requirements in accordance with section 46 of the SDWA, except as expressly provided in the licence or the drinking water works permit.

## **10.0 Adverse Effects**

- 10.1** Nothing in this licence or the drinking water works permit shall be read as to permit:
- 10.1.1 The discharge of a contaminant into the natural environment that causes or is likely to cause an adverse effect; or
  - 10.1.2 The discharge of any material of any kind into or in any waters or on any shore or bank thereof or into or in any place that may impair the quality of the water of any waters.
- 10.2** All reasonable steps shall be taken to minimize and ameliorate any adverse effect on the natural environment or impairment of the quality of water of any waters resulting from the operation of the drinking water system including such accelerated or additional monitoring as may be necessary to determine the nature and extent of the effect or impairment.
- 10.3** Fulfillment of one or more conditions imposed by this licence or the drinking water works permit does not eliminate the requirement to fulfill any other condition of this licence or the drinking water works permit.

## **11.0 Change of Owner or Operating Authority**

- 11.1** This licence is not transferable without the prior written consent of the Director.
- 11.2** The owner shall notify the Director in writing at least 30 days prior to a change of any operating authority identified in Schedule A of this licence.
- 11.2.1 Where the change of operating authority is the result of an emergency situation, the owner shall notify the Director in writing of the change as soon as practicable.

## 12.0 Information to be Provided

- 12.1** Any information requested by a Director or a provincial officer concerning the drinking water system and its operation, including but not limited to any records required to be kept by this licence or the drinking water works permit, shall be provided upon request.

## 13.0 Records Retention

- 13.1** Except as otherwise required in this licence or the drinking water works permit, any records required by or created in accordance with this licence or the drinking water works permit, other than the records specifically referenced in section 12 of O. Reg. 170/03, shall be retained for at least 5 years and made available for inspection by a provincial officer, upon request.

## 14.0 Chemicals and Materials

- 14.1** All chemicals and materials used in the alteration or operation of the drinking water system that come into contact with water within the system shall meet all applicable standards set by both the American Water Works Association ("AWWA") and the American National Standards Institute ("ANSI") safety criteria standards NSF/60, NSF/61 and NSF/372.
- 14.1.1 In the event that the standards are updated, the owner may request authorization from the Director to use any on hand chemicals and materials that previously met the applicable standards.
- 14.1.2 The requirement for the owner to comply with NSF/372 shall come into force no later than July 01, 2018.
- 14.2** The most current chemical and material product registration documentation from a testing institution accredited by either the Standards Council of Canada or by the American National Standards Institution ("ANSI") shall be available at all times for each chemical and material used in the operation of the drinking water system that comes into contact with water within the system.
- 14.3** Conditions 14.1 and 14.2 do not apply in the case of the following:
- 14.3.1 Water pipe and pipe fittings meeting AWWA specifications made from ductile iron, cast iron, PVC, fibre and/or steel wire reinforced cement pipe or high density polyethylene (HDPE);
- 14.3.2 Articles made from stainless steel, glass, HDPE or Teflon®;
- 14.3.3 Cement mortar for watermain lining and for water contacting surfaces of concrete structures made from washed aggregates and Portland cement;
- 14.3.4 Gaskets that are made from NSF approved materials;
- 14.3.5 Food grade oils and lubricants, food grade anti-freeze, and other food grade chemicals and materials that are compatible for drinking water use; or



- 14.3.6 Any particular chemical or material where the owner has written documentation signed by the Director that indicates that the Ministry of the Environment and Climate Change is satisfied that the chemical or material is acceptable for use within the drinking water system and the chemical or material is only used as permitted by the documentation.

## 15.0 Drawings

- 15.1 All drawings and diagrams in the possession of the owner that show any treatment subsystem as constructed shall be retained by the owner unless the drawings and diagrams are replaced by a revised or updated version showing the subsystem as constructed subsequent to the alteration.
- 15.2 Any alteration to any treatment subsystem shall be incorporated into process flow diagrams, process and instrumentation diagrams, and record drawings and diagrams within one year of the substantial completion of the alteration.
- 15.3 Process flow diagrams and process and instrumentation diagrams for any treatment subsystem shall be kept in a place, or made available in such a manner, that they may be readily viewed by all persons responsible for all or part of the operation of the drinking water system.

## 16.0 Operations and Maintenance Manual

- 16.1 An up-to-date operations and maintenance manual or manuals shall be maintained and applicable parts of the manual or manuals shall be made available for reference by all persons responsible for all or part of the operation or maintenance of the drinking water system.
- 16.2 The operations and maintenance manual or manuals, shall include at a minimum:
- 16.2.1 The requirements of this licence and associated procedures;
- 16.2.2 The requirements of the drinking water works permit for the drinking water system;
- 16.2.3 A description of the processes used to achieve primary and secondary disinfection within the drinking water system, including where applicable:
- a) A copy of the CT calculations that were used as the basis for primary disinfection under worst case operating conditions; and
  - b) The validated operating conditions for UV disinfection equipment, including a copy of the validation certificate;
- 16.2.4 Procedures for monitoring and recording the in-process parameters necessary for the control of any treatment subsystem and for assessing the performance of the drinking water system;

- 16.2.5 Procedures for the operation and maintenance of monitoring equipment;
- 16.2.6 Contingency plans and procedures for the provision of adequate equipment and material to deal with emergencies, upset conditions and equipment breakdown;
- 16.2.7 Procedures for dealing with complaints related to the drinking water system, including the recording of the nature of the complaint and any investigation and corrective action taken in respect of the complaint;
- 16.3** Procedures necessary for the operation and maintenance of any alterations to the drinking water system shall be incorporated into the operations and maintenance manual or manuals prior to those alterations coming into operation.
- 16.4** The requirement for the owner to comply with condition 16.2.3 shall come into force on January 01, 2017.

## Schedule C: System-Specific Conditions

System Owner	The Corporation of the Town of Fort Frances
Licence Number	224-101
Drinking Water System Name	Fort Frances Drinking Water System
Schedule C Issue Date	May 13th, 2016

### 1.0 System Performance

#### Rated Capacity

- 1.1** For each treatment subsystem listed in column 1 of Table 1, the maximum daily volume of treated water that flows from the treatment subsystem to the distribution system shall not exceed the value identified as the rated capacity in column 2 of the same row.

Table 1: Rated Capacity	
Column 1 Treatment Subsystem Name	Column 2 Rated Capacity (m <sup>3</sup> /day)
Fort Frances Water Treatment Plant	17,000

#### Maximum Flow Rates

- 1.2** For each treatment subsystem listed in column 1 of Table 2, the maximum flow rate of water that flows into a treatment subsystem component listed in column 2 shall not exceed the value listed in column 3 of the same row.

Table 2: Maximum Flow Rates		
Column 1 Treatment Subsystem Name	Column 2 Treatment Subsystem Component	Column 3 Maximum Flow Rate (L/s)
Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

- 1.3** Despite conditions 1.1 and 1.2, a treatment subsystem may be operated temporarily at a maximum daily volume and/or a maximum flow rate above the values set out in column 2 of Table 1 and column 3 of Table 2 respectively for the purposes of fighting a large fire or for the maintenance of the drinking water system.
- 1.4** Condition 1.3 does not authorize the discharge into the distribution system of any water that does not meet all of the requirements of this licence and all other regulatory requirements, including compliance with the Ontario Drinking Water Quality Standards.

### Residue Management

- 1.5** In respect of an effluent discharged into the natural environment from a treatment subsystem or treatment subsystem component listed in column 1 of Table 3:
- 1.5.1 The annual average concentration of a test parameter identified in column 2 shall not exceed the value in column 3 of the same row; and
- 1.5.2 The maximum concentration of a test parameter identified in column 2 shall not exceed the value in column 4 of the same row.

<b>Table 3: Residue Management</b>			
<b>Column 1 Treatment Subsystem or Treatment Subsystem Component Name</b>	<b>Column 2 Test Parameter</b>	<b>Column 3 Annual Average Concentration (mg/L)</b>	<b>Column 4 Maximum Concentration (mg/L)</b>
Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

### UV Disinfection Equipment Performance

- 1.6** For each treatment subsystem or treatment subsystem component listed in column 1 of Table 4, and while directing water to the distribution system:
- 1.6.1 The UV disinfection equipment shall be operated such that a continuous pass-through UV dose is maintained throughout the life time of the UV lamp(s) that is at least the minimum continuous pass-through UV dose set out in column 2 of the same row at the maximum design flow rate for the equipment;
- 1.6.2 In addition to any other sampling, analysis and recording that may be required, the ultraviolet light disinfection equipment shall test for the test parameters set out in column 4 of the same row at a testing frequency of once every five (5) minutes or less and record the test data at a recording frequency of once every four (4) hours or less;
- 1.6.3 If there is a UV disinfection equipment alarm, the test parameters set out in column 4 of the same row shall be recorded at a recording frequency of once every five minutes or less until the alarm condition has been corrected;
- 1.6.4 A monthly summary report shall be prepared at the end of each calendar month which sets out the time, date and duration of each UV equipment alarm, the volume of water treated during each alarm period and the actions taken by the operating authority to correct the alarm situation;

Table 4: UV Disinfection Equipment			
Column 1 Treatment Subsystem or Treatment Subsystem Component Name	Column 2 Minimum Continuous Pass-Through UV Dose (mJ/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Column 3 Control Strategy	Column 4 Test Parameter
Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

## 2.0 Flow Measurement and Recording Requirements

- 2.1** For each treatment subsystem identified in column 1 of Table 1 and in addition to any other flow measurement and recording that may be required, continuous flow measurement and recording shall be undertaken for:
- 2.1.1 The flow rate and daily volume of treated water that flows from the treatment subsystem to the distribution system.
  - 2.1.2 The flow rate and daily volume of water that flows into the treatment subsystem.
- 2.2** For each treatment subsystem component identified in column 2 of Table 2 and in addition to any other flow measurement and recording that may be required, continuous flow measurement and recording shall be undertaken for the flow rate and daily volume of water that flows into the treatment subsystem component.
- 2.3** Where a rated capacity from Table 1 or a maximum flow rate from Table 2 is exceeded, the following shall be recorded:
- 2.3.1 The difference between the measured amount and the applicable rated capacity or maximum flow rate specified in Table 1 or Table 2;
  - 2.3.2 The time and date of the measurement;
  - 2.3.3 The reason for the exceedance; and
  - 2.3.4 The duration of time that lapses between the applicable rated capacity or maximum flow rate first being exceeded and the next measurement where the applicable rated capacity or maximum flow rate is no longer exceeded.

## 3.0 Calibration of Flow Measuring Devices

- 3.1** All flow measuring devices that are required by regulation, by a condition in the Drinking Water Works Permit, or by a condition otherwise imposed by the Ministry of the Environment and Climate Change, shall be checked and calibrated in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.
- 3.2** If the manufacturer's instructions do not indicate how often to check and calibrate a flow measuring device, the equipment shall be checked and calibrated at least once every 12 months during which the drinking water system is in operation.

- 3.2.1 For greater certainty, if condition 3.2 applies, the equipment shall be checked and calibrated not more than 30 days after the first anniversary of the day the equipment was checked and calibrated in the previous 12-month period.

## 4.0 Additional Sampling, Testing and Monitoring

### Drinking Water Health and Non-Health Related Parameters

- 4.1 For each treatment subsystem or treatment subsystem component identified in column 1 of Tables 5 and 6 and in addition to any other sampling, testing and monitoring that may be required, sampling, testing and monitoring shall be undertaken for a test parameter listed in column 2 at the sampling frequency listed in column 3 and at the monitoring location listed in column 4 of the same row.

Table 5: Drinking Water Health Related Parameters			
Column 1 Treatment Subsystem or Treatment Subsystem Component Name	Column 2 Test Parameter	Column 3 Sampling Frequency	Column 4 Monitoring Location
Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

Table 6: Drinking Water Non-Health Related Parameters			
Column 1 Treatment Subsystem or Treatment Subsystem Component Name	Column 2 Test Parameter	Column 3 Sampling Frequency	Column 4 Monitoring Location
Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

### Environmental Discharge Parameters

- 4.2 For each treatment subsystem or treatment subsystem component identified in column 1 of Table 7 and in addition to any other sampling, testing and monitoring that may be required, sampling, testing and monitoring shall be undertaken for a test parameter listed in column 2 using the sample type identified in column 3 at the sampling frequency listed in column 4 and at the monitoring location listed in column 5 of the same row.
- 4.3 For the purposes of Table 7:
- 4.3.1 Manual Composite means the mean of at least three grab samples taken during a discharge event, with one sample being taken immediately following the commencement of the discharge event, one sample being taken approximately at the mid-point of the discharge event and one sample being taken immediately before the end of the discharge event; and
- 4.3.2 Automated Composite means samples must be taken during a discharge event by an automated sampler at a minimum sampling frequency of once per hour.

- 4.4** Any sampling, testing and monitoring for the test parameter Total Suspended Solids shall be performed in accordance with the requirements set out in the publication "Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater", 21<sup>st</sup> Edition, 2005, or as amended from time to time by more recently published editions.

**Table 7: Environmental Discharge Parameters**

Column 1 Treatment Subsystem or Treatment Subsystem Component Name	Column 2 Test Parameter	Column 3 Sample Type	Column 4 Sampling Frequency	Column 5 Monitoring Location
Fort Frances Water Treatment Plant	Total Suspended Solids	Composite	Quarterly	Point of discharge to Rainy River

- 4.5** Pursuant to Condition 10 of Schedule B of this licence, the owner may undertake the following environmental discharges associated with the maintenance and/or repair of the drinking water system:

- 4.5.1 The discharge of potable water from a watermain to a road or storm sewer;
- 4.5.2 The discharge of potable water from a water storage facility or pumping station:
- 4.5.2.1 To a road or storm sewer; or
- 4.5.2.2 To a watercourse where the discharge has been dechlorinated and if necessary, sediment and erosion control measures have been implemented.
- 4.5.3 The discharge of dechlorinated non-potable water from a watermain, water storage facility or pumping station to a road or storm sewer;
- 4.5.4 The discharge of raw water from a groundwater well to the environment where if necessary, sediment and erosion control measures have been implemented; and
- 4.5.5 The discharge of raw water, potable water or non-potable water from a treatment subsystem to the environment where if necessary, the discharge has been dechlorinated and sediment and erosion control measures have been implemented.

## **5.0 Studies Required**

- 5.1** Not applicable

## **6.0 Source Protection**

- 6.1** Not applicable

## **Schedule D: Conditions for Relief from Regulatory Requirements**

System Owner	<b>The Corporation of the Town of Fort Frances</b>
Licence Number	<b>224-101</b>
Drinking Water System Name	<b>Fort Frances Drinking Water System</b>
Schedule D Issue Date	<b>May 13th, 2016</b>

### **1.0 Lead Regulatory Relief**

- 1.1** Any relief from regulatory requirements previously authorized by the Director in respect of the drinking water system under section 38 of the SDWA in relation to the sampling, testing or monitoring requirements contained in Schedule 15.1 of O. Reg. 170/03 shall remain in force until such time as Schedule 15.1 of O. Reg. 170/03 is amended after June 1, 2009.

### **2.0 Other Regulatory Relief**

- 2.1** Not Applicable.



## Schedule E: Pathogen Log Removal/Inactivation Credits

System Owner	The Corporation of the Town of Fort Frances
Licence Number	224-101
Drinking Water System Name	Fort Frances Drinking Water System
Schedule E Issue Date	May 13th, 2016

### 1.0 Primary Disinfection Pathogen Log Removal/Inactivation Credits

#### Fort Frances Water Treatment Plant

Rainy River [SURFACE WATER]

Minimum Log Removal/ Inactivation Required	Cryptosporidium Oocysts	Giardia Cysts <sup>a</sup>	Viruses <sup>b</sup>
Fort Frances Water Treatment Plant	2	3	4

<sup>a</sup> At least 0.5 log inactivation of Giardia shall be achieved by the disinfection portion of the overall water treatment process.

<sup>b</sup> At least 2 log inactivation of viruses shall be achieved by disinfection.

Log Removal/Inactivation Credits Assigned <sup>c</sup>	Cryptosporidium Oocysts	Giardia Cysts	Viruses
Conventional Filtration	2	2.5	2
Chlorination [CT: Contact chamber, clearwell/reservoir and high lift pump chamber]	-	0.5	2+

<sup>c</sup> Log removal/inactivation credit assignment is based on each treatment process being fully operational and the applicable log removal/inactivation credit assignment criteria being met.

Treatment Component	Log Removal/Inactivation Credit Assignment Criteria
Conventional Filtration	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. A chemical coagulant shall be used at all times when the treatment plant is in operation;</li> <li>2. Chemical dosages shall be monitored and adjusted in response to variations in raw water quality;</li> <li>3. Effective backwash procedures shall be maintained including filter-to-waste or an equivalent procedure during filter ripening to ensure that effluent turbidity requirements are met at all times;</li> <li>4. Filtrate turbidity shall be continuously monitored from each filter; and</li> <li>5. Performance criterion for filtered water turbidity of less than or equal to 0.3 NTU in 95% of the measurements each month shall be met for each filter.</li> </ol>
Chlorination	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Sampling and testing for free chlorine residual shall be carried out by continuous monitoring equipment in the treatment process at or near a location where the intended contact time has just been completed in accordance with the Ministry's Procedure for Disinfection of Drinking Water in Ontario; and</li> <li>2. At all times, CT provided shall be greater than or equal to the CT required to achieve the log removal credits assigned.</li> </ol>
Primary Disinfection Notes	