

Date: January 30th, 2019

TAQA North Ltd 2100, 308-4<sup>th</sup> Avenue SW Calgary, AB T2P 0H7

Attention: Wes Bell, Northern Environmental Coordinator

Re: <u>TAQA North Certificate of Restoration Application (Part-II) for the Well Site TAQA</u> North Boundary 2-12-85-14 W6M (WA # 1670)

This office has received an Application for a Certificate of Restoration (CoR-Part II), and a Surface Reclamation Assessment (**Schedule B**) Report for wellsite the above referenced well authorization (WA # 1670) submitted by SynergyAspen Environmental on behalf of TAQA North Ltd on December 11<sup>th</sup>, 2018.

Based upon review of the information provided by the applicant, the reclamation inspection assessment report was reviewed and was found that the site has been fully reclaimed and the restoration of the site is satisfactory. Therefore, your application for a Certificate of Restoration is approved and a copy of the Certificate of Restoration is enclosed (Certificate # 5942).

Please note Section 41(3) of the Oil and Gas Activities Act (OGAA) and section 47 (1) of the Environmental Management Act, which respectively read:

"The issuance of a certificate of restoration does not relieve a person from any obligations under section 40 or under an order referred to in subsection (1) (b) of this section in respect of any matter that was not known to the commission at the time the certificate of restoration was issued."

## And:

"A person who is responsible for remediation of a contaminated site is absolutely, retroactively and jointly and separately liable to any person or government body for reasonably incurred costs of remediation of the contaminated site, whether incurred on or off the contaminated site."

Therefore TAQA North Ltd remains liable for any contamination presently on site.

Any questions can be directed to the undersigned at (250) 794-5234

Sincerely,

Taher Morsi, Ph.D., P.Ag

Environmental Management Officer Operational Policy & Environment Resource Development & Stewardship Branch

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cc: Tania Rauscher, Synergy Environmental Strategies Inc, 9904 106 Street, Fort St

John, BC, V1J 1V8



## **CERTIFICATION OF RESTORATION APPLICATION FORM - PART 2**

Physical Address: 6534 Airport Road, Fort St. John, B.C. V1J 4M6 Mailing Address: Bag 2, Fort St. John, B.C. V1J 2B0 Phone: (250) 794-5200



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Commission File No. or AD No.	:		Document:			
ADMINISTRATION					В	
Well Permit No.: 01670						
Well Name: TAQA NORTH BOUNDARY 02-12-085-14			Well Location: 02-12-08	Well Location: 02-12-085-14 W6M		
Petroleum Title (Permit, Lease,	Number, etc):	Well Authorization	n No: 01670			
Title Holder(s) (Permittee, Less	ee, etc): TAQA	North Ltd.				
Surface Landowner: Crown Lan	nd		Surface Occupant: None	Surface Occupant: None		
(Attach Letter of Release)			(Attach Letter of Release)	(Attach Letter of Release)		
Applicant's Agent in Field: Dunc	can McLeod					
Name: Tanya Allen						
Company: SynergyAspen Environmental Inc.			Position: Environmental	Position: Environmental Lead Scientist		
Address: 9904 106 Street City: Fort St. John		ohn	Province: BC			
Postal Code: V1J 1V8 Phone: 250-785-1030 Fa			Fax: 250-785-1034	Email: tallen@synergyaspen.ca		
Agent Signature:	-111		Date: November 30, 2018			
X \$1500 Application Fee At	tached					
RESTORATION INFORMATION C						
Description of Area(s) Restored	(Location, Remo	te Sump, Access a	nd other disturbed areas affiliated	I with this location):		
The wellsite is 76 m x 76 m in size and is located within the agricultural land reserve on crown land. A 20 m x 366 m access road was						
also constructed in association	with the site. No	other ancillary s	ites were constructed or affilia	ated with the wellsite. The site is loca	ated	
satisfactorily restored and no ful		uired at the site.		ne wellsite and access road have be	)	
Details of any areas left unrestored at Landowner (TAOA North is the land owner)						
N/A						
Was "Approval to Construct" subject to any reclamation conditions?						
Reclamation Inspection Report included?					⊠no	
Is this location within the Agricultural Land Reserve? If YES, attach Schedule B					 No	

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## APPROVAL - FOR COMMISSION USE ONLY

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## **CERTIFICATE OF RESTORATION**

CERTIFICATE NO.

5942

This is to certify that the surface of the land held in conjunction with, or incidental to, the above application is defined to be satisfactorily restored. Despite the issuance of this Certificate, the Ministry of Environment has the authority to order further site investigation or remedial action upon inspection of the site or file. Issuance of this certificate does not relieve the Applicant of any restoration requirements for which the Applicant is subsequently held responsible by the Commission.

Approval Date:

2019

Authorized Commission Employee

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