

Date: April 18<sup>th</sup>, 2018

ARC Resources Ltd  
Suite 1200-308- 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue SW  
Calgary, AB T2P 0H7

Attention: Mark Roblin, Environmental Coordinator

Re: ARC Resources Certificate of Restoration Application (Part-II) for the Well Site ARCRes DOE 03-32-80-14 W6M (WA # 22510)

This office has received an Application for a Certificate of Restoration (CoR-Part II), and a Surface Reclamation Assessment (Schedule B) Report for wellsite (**Never Drilled**) for the above referenced well authorization (WA # 22510) submitted by NewAlta Corporation on behalf of ARC Resources Ltd on April 16<sup>th</sup>, 2018.

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 # 5869).

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."**

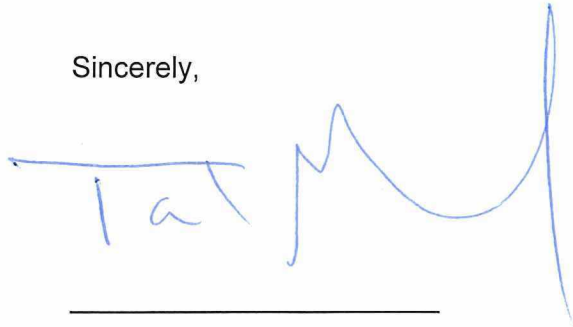
And:

**"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 ARC Resources Ltd remains liable for any contamination presently on site.

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

Sincerely,



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Taher Morsi, Ph.D., P.Ag

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Resource Development & Stewardship Branch  
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cc: Blake Bouzek, NewAlta Corporation, 211-11 Avenue SW., Calgary AB, T2R0C6



**CERTIFICATION OF RESTORATION APPLICATION FORM – PART 2**  
 Physical Address: 6534 Airport Road,  
 Fort St. John, B.C. V1J 4M6  
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 V1J 2B0  
 Phone: (250) 794-5200

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| <b>COMMISSION USE ONLY</b>   |                            |  | <b>A</b>                          |
| Commission File No.:   |                            | Document:  |                                   |
| <b>ADMINISTRATION</b>  |                            |  | <b>B</b>                          |
| Well Permit No.: <b>22510</b>  |                            |  |                                   |
| Well Name: <b>Built Not Drilled</b>  |                            | Well Location: <b>03-32-080-14 W6M</b>   |                                   |
| Petroleum Title ( <i>Permit, Lease, Number, etc</i> ):   |                            |  |                                   |
| Title Holder(s) ( <i>Permittee, Lessee, etc</i> ): <b>Arc Resources Ltd.</b>                     |                            |  |                                   |
| Surface Landowner: <b>Dorothee Walburga Luise Huenseler</b><br><i>(Attach Letter of Release)</i> |                            | Surface Occupant: <b>Barry Follensbee</b><br><i>(Attach Letter of Release)</i> |                                   |
| Applicant's Agent in Field   |                            |  |                                   |
| Name: <b>Blake Bouzek, P. Eng.</b>   |                            |  |                                   |
| Company: <b>Newalta Corporation</b>  |                            | Position: <b>Technical Manager</b>   |                                   |
| Address: <b>211 - 11<sup>th</sup> Ave SW</b>   |                            | City: <b>Calgary</b>   | Province: <b>Alberta</b>          |
| Postal Code: <b>T2R 0C6</b>  | Phone: <b>403-806-7000</b> | Fax: <b>403-806-7349</b>   | Email: <b>BBouzek@newalta.com</b> |
| Agent Signature: <i>B. Bouzek</i>  |                            | Date: <i>April 10, 2018</i>  |                                   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$1500 Application Fee Attached                              |                            |  |                                   |

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| <b>RESTORATION INFORMATION</b>  |  |  | <b>C</b>  |
| Description of Area(s) Restored ( <i>Location, Remote Sump, Access and other disturbed areas affiliated with this location</i> ):   |  |  |   |
| <b>The Built Not Drilled lease site at 03-32-080-14 W6M has been restored. The wellsite measures 130 m x 120 m and has an associated access road .</b>  |  |  |   |
| Details of any areas left unrestored at Landowner's request:  |  |  |   |
| <b>A culvert and approach (measuring 22 m by 5 m adjacent to the road allowance) remain in place. Ms. Huenseler, the landowner, resides in Germany. Multiple attempts to contact the landowner by phone and fax have been made dating back to November 2017; however, to date the landowner has not responded. A signed release for surface facilities remaining in place and acknowledging satisfaction with the reclamation work has not been obtained from Ms. Huenseler. The occupant has signed off for the facilities to remain in place.</b> |  |  |   |
| Attempts to contact Ms. Huenseler include:  |  |  |   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- November 15, 2017 – Phone call, left voicemail with the landowner</li> <li>- November 24, 2017 – Phone call, left voicemail with the landowner</li> <li>- December 11, 2017 – Faxed surface release and reclamation release documents to landowner</li> <li>- December 11, 2017 – Phone call, left voicemail with the landowner</li> <li>- December 13, 2017 – Phone call, left voicemail with the landowner</li> <li>- January 8, 2018 – Phone call, left voicemail with the landowner</li> </ul>         |  |  |   |
| Was "Approval to Construct" subject to any reclamation conditions?  |  |  | <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO |
| Reclamation Inspection Report included?   |  |  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO |

Is this location within the Agricultural Land Reserve? If YES, attach Schedule B

YES  NO

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CERTIFICATE OF RESTORATION

CERTIFICATE NO.

5869

This is to certify that the surface of the land held in conjunction with, or incidental to, the above application is deemed 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:

April 18<sup>th</sup>, 2018

  
Authorized Commission Employee

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