
MEMORANDUM ON SUPPLEMENTAL *LAND ACT* DELEGATIONS AND DESIGNATIONS
UNDER THE *ENERGY RESOURCE ACTIVITIES ACT*, SBC 2008 c. 36

The Deputy Minister of Water, Land and Resource Stewardship has exercised authority to delegate to the BC Energy Regulator certain *Land Act* authorities for use in relation to:

- Authorizations described in the *Land Act*, section 11 (2) (b)-(d) related to geothermal resources, as defined in the *Geothermal Resource Act*, except for roads,
- Authorizations described in the *Land Act*, section 11 (2) (d) in the Northeast Land Recording District as they relate to the Northeast Restoration Permitting Pilot Project, and
- Authorizations described in the *Land Act*, section 11 (2) (b)-(d) related to a streamlined project, as defined in the *Renewable Energy Projects (Streamlined Permitting) Act*.

As Commissioner of the BC Energy Regulator, I, Michelle Carr, am empowered by section 9.1 of the *Energy Resource Activities Act* (“**ERAA**”) to further delegate and designate powers and duties of the BC Energy Regulator, including those referenced above, under section 7 of ERAA.

Exercising that authority, I hereby further delegate and designate the following powers and duties as set out in the Appendices attached to this memorandum.

The delegations, designations and authorizations identified herein are effective as of the date of signature and are valid from that date forward, unless withdrawn by the Commissioner or the employee ceases to be employed by the BC Energy Regulator.



Michelle Carr
Commissioner
British Columbia Energy Regulator

July 15, 2025

Date

Attachments:

- **Appendix 1:** Delegation, Designation and Direction by the Commissioner of the BC Energy Regulator of *Land Act* authorizations described in section 11 (2) (b)-(d) of the *Land Act*, related to geothermal resources, as defined in the *Geothermal Resource Act*, except for roads.
- **Appendix 2:** Delegation, Designation and Direction by the Commissioner of the BC Energy Regulator of *Land Act* authorizations described in section 11 (2) (d) of the *Land Act* in the Northeast Land Recording District as they relate to the Northeast Restoration Permitting Pilot Project.
- **Appendix 3:** Delegation, Designation and Direction by the Commissioner of the BC Energy Regulator of *Land Act* authorizations described in section 11 (2) (b)-(d) of the *Land Act* related to a streamlined project, as defined in the *Renewable Energy Projects (Streamlined Permitting) Act*.

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Part	Section Title	Section Number	Delegation by designation of office
Part 2 — Disposition of Crown Land — General	Application for Crown land	10 (3)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Executive Vice President, Resource Management and Stewardship Vice President, Responsible Development and Indigenous Relations Executive Director, Responsible Development Director, Authorizations Review Approval Resource Officer Natural Resource Officer
	Minister may dispose of Crown land	11	
	Interest on deferred payments	26	
	Amendment of area under application	30	
Part 3 — Application Procedure for Disposition of Crown Land	Application procedure for dispositions	32	
	Public notice	33	
	Public comments on notice of application	33.1	
	Feasibility studies, costs	35 (1)	
	Security may be required	36	
	Necessary information to be supplied on request	37	
	Lease	38	
	Licence of occupation	39	
	Right of way and easement	40	
	Failure to complete survey	41	
	Date of disposition	42	
Part 4 — Disposition of Crown Land — Cancellation, Amendment and Abandonment	Cancellation of disposition	43	
	Amendment and cancellation if approval or grant improper	44	
	Debts payable on cancelled disposition	46 (1)	
Part 6 — Trespass on Crown Land	Trespass on Crown land	59	
	Enforcement of payment	61	
Part 8 — Additional Powers	Occupational rental	96	
	Assignment of disposition	99	

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Part 8 – Additional Powers	Execution of documents	109	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Executive Vice President, Resource Management and StewardshipVice President, Responsible Development and Indigenous RelationsExecutive Director, Responsible DevelopmentDirector, AuthorizationsReview Approval Resource OfficerNatural Resource Officer

Directions

The above noted authorities may only be exercised by BC Energy Regulator staff who hold additional delegations, designations or authorizations granted pursuant to section 7 of ERAA.

If the BCER employee is a member or registrant of the British Columbia Institute of Agrologists, Applied Science Technologists and Technicians of British Columbia, the College of Applied Biology, the Association of Professional Engineers and Geoscientists of the Province of British Columbia or Forest Professionals British Columbia (the “regulatory bodies”), the employee shall not exercise any power or perform any duty pursuant to these delegations, designations and authorizations where the employee is required to authenticate any work they have completed in relation to the same matter in accordance with the requirements of the regulatory body.

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