

May 25, 2022

Enforcement File: 2021-0023

Coastal Gaslink Pipeline Ltd.
450-1st Street SW
Calgary, Alberta T2P 5H1

Attention: **Coastal GasLink Pipeline Ltd.**

Re: General Order 2021-0023-01

On February 2nd, 2021, the BC Oil and Gas Commission (Commission) issued General Order 2021-0023-01 to Coastal GasLink Ltd. (CGL)

CGL has satisfied all the requirements of the Order.

Please be advised that pursuant to section 49(8) of the *Oil and Gas Activities Act*, General Order 2021-0023-01 is hereby terminated.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact the Commission.

Sincerely,



Dax Bourke
A/Executive Director Compliance and Enforcement
BC Oil and Gas Commission

GENERAL ORDER 2021-0023-01
Section 49 *Oil and Gas Activities Act*

Issued to:

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Calgary, Alberta T2P 5H1

Attention: Coastal GasLink Pipeline Ltd.

Order:

Pursuant to section 49(1) (e)(ii) of the *Oil and Gas Activities Act* (the Act), I, Patrick Smook, order that Coastal GasLink Pipeline Ltd. (CGL) must immediately:

1. Cease all construction activity within five (5) meters of s.18

Conditions:

- A. This order shall remain in effect until amended or terminated in whole or in part by the BC Oil and Gas Commission (Commission).

Reasons:

I make this order for the following reasons:

- i. CGL is the Permit Holder for the Coastal GasLink Pipeline Project section 3 (AD100082299).
- ii. Archaeological Assessments were conducted in 2013 and 2014 where six (6) areas of potential (AOP) were noted s.18
- iii. The six (6) AOPs were absent from the interim report and the final report prepared for the permit.
- iv. The AOPs were rediscovered in 2020 during CGL's review of the archaeological field data collected for the CGL Pipeline Project and found to have been untested and located s.18
- v. Ecofor Consulting Ltd. (Ecofor) located and evaluated the AOPs on behalf of CGL.

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- vi. Ecofor conducted subsurface testing at seven (7) shovel test locations associated with the six (6) AOPs.
- vii. One (1) lithic artifact was recovered from one (1) of the seven (7) shovel test locations (figure 1).
- viii. A section 12.4 Site Alteration Permit issued under the *Heritage Conservation Act* (HCA) is required before planned construction can continue within the site area.
- ix. I am of the opinion that this order is necessary to protect the environment.

Review and Appeal

CGL may request a review of this order under section 70 of the Act by submitting a request for review to: ogc.determinationreviews@bcogc.ca.

CGL may appeal this order to the Oil and Gas Appeal Tribunal under section 72 of the Act. The process for appeals may be found at www.ogat.gov.bc.ca and a notice of appeal may be sent to the Oil and Gas Appeal Tribunal at:

Oil and Gas Appeal Tribunal
PO Box 4925 Stn Prov Govt
Victoria, BC V8W 9V1



Patrick Smook
Executive Director, Compliance & Enforcement
BC Oil and Gas Commission

DATED AT Fort St. John, in the Province of British Columbia, this 2nd day of February, 2021.

