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Dear Applicants:

Re: Application for Review, File Number R2016008

Thank you for your Application for Review requesting a review of the *Environmental Assessment Act* (*EAA*), O. Reg. 334 under the *EAA*, O. Reg. 681/94 under the *Environmental Bill of Rights*, 1993 (*EBR*), and all policies and guidance documents published or in use by the MOECC related to the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment process. Our office received your completed Application on February 3, 2017.

Our office forwarded your Application to the Ministry of the Environment and Climate Change on February 8, 2017. Within 20 days of receiving your Application, the ministry must let you know that it has received your Application.

The ministry must consider your Application and decide whether a review is warranted. Within 60 days, the ministry must provide a written decision indicating whether or not it will conduct the review, together with a brief statement of the reasons for that decision.

If the ministry decides to undertake the requested review, the ministry will provide you notice of the outcome of the review within 30 days of completing it.

Please note that the Environmental Commissioner cannot change ministry decisions. However, the Environmental Commissioner reviews how ministries handle Applications.

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If you have any questions, or require further assistance, please contact me at <u>tyler.schulz@eco.on.ca</u> or 416-325-3369.

Sincerely,

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