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Mr. Colin Varley Stantec 200-2781 Lancaster Rd Ottawa, ON K1B 1A7

RE: Review and Acceptance into the Provincial Register of Reports: Archaeological Assessment Report Entitled, "Stage 2 Archaeological Assessment, Clarington 01 Site, Proposed Durham/York Residual Waste Facility, Lot 27, Broken Front Concession, Township of Clarington, Regional Municipality of Durham, Ontario.", Report Dated May 25, 2009, Report Received January 25, 2010, Revised Report Received February 8, 2010, Report Addendum Received February 3, 2012, MTCS Project Information Form Numbers P002-152-2008 and P002-270-2009, MTCS RIMS Number 18WT056

Dear Mr. Varley:

This office has reviewed the above-mentioned report, which has been submitted to this Ministry as a condition of licensing in accordance with Part VI of the Ontario Heritage Act, R.S.O. 1990, c 0.18. This review is to ensure that the licensed professional consultant archaeologist has met the terms and conditions of their archaeological licence, that archaeological sites have been identified and documented according to the 1993 technical guidelines set by the Ministry and that the archaeological fieldwork and report recommendations ensure the conservation, protection and preservation of the cultural heritage of Ontario.*

As the result of our review, this Ministry accepts the above titled report and addendum into the Provincial register of archaeological reports. No archaeological sites were documented. It is recommended that there are no further concerns for alterations to archaeological sites for the area that has undergone archaeological assessment. This Ministry concurs with this recommendation.

Given the above, this Ministry is satisfied that concerns for archaeological sites have been met for the area of the Clarington 01 Site Limits as depicted by Figure 4.1 of the above titled report addendum.

I trust this information is of assistance. Should you require any further information regarding this matter, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Andrea Williams

A/ Archaeology Review Officer

cc. Archaeological Licensing Office

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