# IN THE MATTER OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT ACT, S.B.C. 2018, c. 51 [ACT (2018)]

#### AND

# AN APPLICATION TO EXTEND ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT CERTIFICATE # E15-02 (CERTIFICATE)

BY
WOODFIBRE LNG LIMITED

FOR THE

WOODFIBRE LNG PROJECT (PROJECT)

## **EXTENSION UNDER SECTION 31**

#### WHEREAS:

- A. The Certificate issued to Woodfibre LNG Limited. (Certificate Holder) on October 26, 2015 included a deadline of October 26, 2020, by which time the Project is required to be substantially started;
- B. The Holder applied to the Chief Executive Assessment Officer for an extension of this date on March 24, 2020, under Section 31(2) of the Act (2018);
- C. Under Section 31(4) of the Act (2018), the Chief Executive Assessment Officer may extend the deadline specified in the Certificate, on one occasion only, for not more than five years; and
- D. I have considered the Certificate Holder's application, the Environmental Assessment Office's Extension Report, and a submission from Tsleil-Waututh Nation.

### **NOW THEREFORE:**

Pursuant to Section 31(4) of the Act (2018), I extend the date specified in the Certificate by which the Certificate Holder must have substantially started the Project to October 26, 2025.

Elenore Arend

Chief Executive Assessment Officer Environmental Assessment Office

Issued this 25th day of October, 2020