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**SENT VIA EMAIL**

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Dear Sandra Webster:

I am writing in response to Prince Rupert Gas Transmission Ltd.'s November 19, 2024, request to the Environmental Assessment Office (EAO) for a Substantially Started Determination of the Prince Rupert Gas Transmission Pipeline project (PRGT).

Pursuant to [Section 31](#) of the *Environmental Assessment Act* (2018) (the Act), I have determined that the project has been substantially started. My decision is taken in consideration of the information provided in the report titled "The EAO's Analysis of a Substantially Started Determination Request", the EAO Compliance and Enforcement Branch's Substantial Start Field Evaluation Report and correspondence submitted by First Nations, Gitksan Wilps and members of the public.

The EAO's report and this letter will be posted on the [EAO Project Information Centre \(EPIC\)](#) for PRGT.

This determination means that the Environmental Assessment Certificate (EAC) remains in effect for the life of PRGT, subject to the Minister's power to cancel and suspend an EAC under Section 56 of the Act.

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If you have any comments or questions, please contact Executive Project Director Kelly Wintemute at 236 475-4421 or at [Kelly.Wintemute@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Kelly.Wintemute@gov.bc.ca).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Alex MacLennan', with a stylized, flowing script.

Alex MacLennan  
Chief Executive Assessment Officer and Associate Deputy Minister

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