

File: 8015205

May 14, 2013

Helen and Eugene Moore

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Dear Helen and Eugene Moore:

Re: Licence of Occupation 814927

It has come to my attention that there may be some confusion around what you believe to be your rights under the Land Tenure (Licence of Occupation 814927) you were issued from this office May 6, 2010.

I would like to make it clear that the licence of occupation grants to you the authority to occupy the area under tenure for quarry purposes, as set out in the Management Plan. Your management plan is specific to "Aggregates and Quarry Materials". You do not have exclusive use of this area (there is also a mineral claim over the area).

You have the right to remove material as defined by the land act in section 28 (a) earth, soil, peat, marl, sand and gravel, (b) rock and natural substances that are used for a construction purpose on land **that is not within a mineral title or group of mineral titles** from which the rock or natural substance is mined, and (c) rock or a natural substance prescribed under section 2(2) of the Mineral Tenure Act.

For your information, decorative or cut rock used for landscaping purposes is defined as a mineral and is not included in the list of materials you have authority to occupy the land for under the land act. You have the right to earth, soil, peat, marl, sand and gravel, and rock that is not within a mineral claim.

Your management plan also includes the method of extraction being "extracted by an excavator and loaded directly onto truck" To implement this plan, you will need to be in possession of a mining permit, you can obtain information about the permit by contacting the Ministry of Energy and Mines and Natural Gas, or by submitting your application to FrontCounterBC.

If you have any questions regarding this information please give me a call at the number below.

Thank you,

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