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BEL 225291

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via email: hashem@timesgroup.ca

Re: 11430 Leslie Street, City of Richmond Hill, York Region

Dear Mr. Ghadaki:

Beacon Environmental Limited (“Beacon”) prepared a Natural Heritage Features Constraints Analysis Report for the Times Group, regarding the potential for development of lands at 11430 Leslie Street in the City of Richmond Hill, York Region (hereinafter the “subject property”; **Figure 1**) in the context of applicable natural heritage policies. This letter is a summary of that report.

The areas reviewed are within the Natural Heritage System (NHS) of the Protected Countryside in the Greenbelt Plan area. The NHS consists of core areas and linkage areas with the highest concentration of the most sensitive and/or significant natural features and functions, including Key Natural Heritage Features (KNHFs) and Key Hydrologic Features (KHF). Under the Greenbelt Plan, the Protected Countryside designation is intended to promote the maintenance of agricultural lands and rural character. The Plan includes policies to protect KNHFs and KHF throughout the Plan area, including within Settlement areas, Protected Countryside and the NHS.

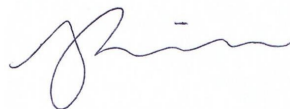
Site investigations were conducted to confirm and refine the extent of the KNHFs and KHF within the study areas to determine those lands that are within the NHS of the Protected Countryside but outside any KNHF, KHF or their Minimum Vegetation Protection Zones (MVPZs). The report identified a total area of approximately 1.13 ha of land that is within the mapped NHS of the Protected Countryside designation but are outside of the KNHF/KHF and their required MVPZs (**Figure 2**). These lands may be suitable for development as they consist of recently abandoned agricultural lands with no natural heritage features or MVPZs that require protection under the Greenbelt policies.

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Site Location		Figure 1
11430 Leslie Street, Richmond Hill		
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Natural Features Delineation Figure 2

11430 Leslie Street, Richmond Hill

Legend

- Subject Property
- Watercourse (MNR 2024)
- Meander Belt (TRCA)
- Staked Top of Slope (October 2011)
- Staked Wetland (July 2017/August 2018)
- Wetland (Beacon 2025)
- Staked Dripline (June 2008/August 2017)
- Dripline (Beacon 2025)
- Floodline (TMIG)
- Greenbelt Outer Boundary (MMAH 2017)
- Ultimate Constraint Line
- Greenbelt Areas Outside of NHS (1.13 ha)

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