

**IN THE MATTER OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT ACT S.B.C. 2002, c.43
(ACT)**

AND

**AN ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT OF THE PROPOSED
VOPAK PACIFIC CANADA PROJECT
(PROPOSED PROJECT)**

ORDER UNDER SECTION 10(1)(c)

WHEREAS:

- A. Vopak Development Canada Inc. (Proponent) proposes to construct and operate a bulk liquids tank storage and marine export facility on Ridley Island, within the Port of Prince Rupert.
- B. The Proposed Project constitutes a reviewable project, pursuant to Part 4 of the Reviewable Projects Regulation (B.C. Reg. 370/02), because the Proposed Project includes a new energy storage facility with the capability to store an energy resource in a quantity that can yield by combustion ≥ 3 PJ of energy.
- C. The Executive Director has delegated to the undersigned, powers and functions under the Act, including the power to issue Orders under section 10 of the Act.
- D. The Executive Project Director considers that the Proposed Project may have a potential significant adverse environmental, economic, social, heritage or health effect, taking into account practical means of preventing or reducing to an acceptable level, any potential adverse effects of the Proposed Project.

NOW THEREFORE:

Pursuant to section 10(1)(c) of the Act, the Executive Project Director orders that:

- (i) the Proposed Project requires an environmental assessment certificate; and
- (ii) the Proponent may not proceed with the Proposed Project without an assessment.



Nathan Braun
Executive Project Director
Environmental Assessment Office

Dated July 26, 2018