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Gerard MacLellan gerard.maclellan@epra.ca

Dear Gerard MacLellan:

Thank you for your letter of November 9, 2023, regarding amendments to your current EPRA Electronic Products Stewardship Program Plan, which you submitted on behalf of the producers that you represent. In it you note that the amendments align with obligations to meet the recent changes to the *Solid Waste-Resource Management Regulations* pertaining to electronic products.

Your letter, which outlines additional obligated materials, collection depot preparedness to accept targeted electronics, and public, municipal, and obligated party communications, will be attached to your current program plan as previously approved. Furthermore, the revised list of Product Definitions and Clarifications, as included in your letter, will now be added to Appendix D of your previously approved program plan. The updated EPRA Electronic Products Stewardship Program Plan is approved to meet the obligations of the producers, attached to your letter, as outlined in 18L (3) and 18M (1) of the *Solid Waste Resource Management Regulations*.

If you have any questions or require clarification, Bob Kenney, Recycling Development Officer, is available to assist you and can be reached at 902-499-2178.

Thank you for the work EPRA does on behalf of producers to recycle electronics in Nova Scotia.

Sincerely,

Honourable Timothy Halman, MLA

Minister of Environment and Climate Change

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