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*RE: Maine Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Permit #ME0102652
Maine Waste Discharge License (WDL) #W008101-6A-G-R
Termination of Permit*

Dear Mr. Breton:

By this letter, the Department of Environmental Protection (Department) is terminating the above referenced permit last issued on September 3, 2015 to Vassalboro Sanitary District (VSD) for their North Main St. facility. The permit authorized the discharge of 0.036 MGD from October 1st to May 31st of secondary treated sanitary wastewater from the North Main St. facility to Outlet Stream, Class B in Vassalboro.

Based on a letter attached to an email dated February 4, 2020 from you to me, it is our understanding you are requesting to terminate said WDL as the VSD has constructed a new pump station to direct all North Main facility flows to the Town of Winslow collection system (ultimately flowing to the Kennebec Sanitary Treatment District (KSTD)). Your letter states that on or about 12/16/19, the chlorine contact chamber influent pipe was sealed with flowable fill setting up the elimination of the discharge. On or about 12/17/19, the outfall at the North Vassalboro treatment site was visually inspected and it was confirmed that no flow was discharging to Outlet Stream.

The Department will be inactivating the facility in our database so that Discharge Monitoring Reports and billing statements are not sent to the licensee in the future. By copy of this letter, we are notifying the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency of the retirement of the license.

Please be advised that a license may be needed from Department for any future discharge of pollutants from this facility to the surface or ground waters of the State of Maine, either under current ownership or new ownership. Any new permit/license would be based on the characteristics of the effluent being discharged and the impacts of the discharge on the quality of the receiving water.

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If you have any questions regarding the matter, please feel free to call me at 287-7823.

Sincerely,



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