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Ms. Peggy Day
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RE: Maine Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (MEPDES) Permit #ME0002836
Maine Waste Discharge License (WDL) #W009245-5U-A-N
Permit Retirement

Dear Ms. Day:

Per your request via an electronic mail message dated May 1, 2024, the Maine Department of Environmental Protection is hereby retiring the above referenced combination MEPDES permit/WDL (permit hereinafter) last issued by the Department on June 7, 2022, to the Long Pond Association for a five-year term. The permit authorized the discharge of aluminum sulfate (alum) and/or sodium aluminate to Long Pond in Parsonsfield, Maine, Class GPA, to control the growth of algae in the pond by inactivating iron-bound phosphorus in surficial sediments. The treatment was conducted in calendar year 2022 and no additional treatments are projected during the remainder of the five-year term of the permit.

Therefore, the Department is retiring the permit and we will be inactivating it in our database so that billing statements will no longer be sent to the Long Pond Association. We are also notifying the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency of the permit retirement.

If you have any questions regarding the matter, please feel free to call me at 287-7693.

Sincerely,

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