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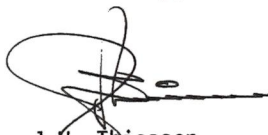
Dear Ms. Kostuch:

This is in response to your letter of February 3, 1992 to the Honourable Ralph Klein, Minister of the Environment, with regard to the Parlbby Creek-Buffalo Lake water management project.

Alberta Environment is aware of the requirements of the Navigable Waters protection Act and the Fisheries Act. Discussions have been ongoing with representatives of Transport Canada and Fisheries and Oceans with respect to this project. Partly resulting from these discussions several features have been changed in the design of the pump intake which will eliminate the need for any obstruction such as a rock weir in the river.

Thank you, for your concern of the environmental impact of this water management project.

Yours truly,



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Director

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