



### REGIONAL DISTRICT OF BULKLEY-NECHAKO

# RURAL DIRECTORS COMMITTEE SUPPLEMENTARY AGENDA

Thursday, September 4, 2014

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Referral File 7409700 CTF Enterprises Inc. Electoral Area "C"

**NEW BUSINESS** 

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Recommendation

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## **MEMORANDUM**

To:

Rural Directors

From:

Maria Sandberg, Planner

Date:

August 28, 2014

Re;

Land Referral File No. 7409700, Direct sale of Crown land for Extensive

Agricultural purposes – amended application area size

This application was initially referred to the Regional District in March 2014 regarding a direct sale of 4.83 ha of Crown Land for agricultural purposes. The applicant has now increased the application area to 66.643 ha.

The application area is located west of Highway 27, approximately 15 kilometres south of the District of Fort St James. The applicant owns an adjacent parcel east of the application area and wishes to purchase the Crown land to extend their holdings. To be able to sell the land the Province must raise title for the land.

The application area is zoned Rural Resource (RR1). The proposed agricultural use of the application area complies with Regional District Zoning Bylaw No. 700, 1993. Our previous referral response indicated that the 4.83 ha application area did not meet the 28 ha minimum parcel area requirement of the RR1 zone. Therefore a consolidation with the applicant's adjacent parcel or a rezoning would be required, as the creation of a parcel of land smaller than 28 ha, in this area, is not permitted. The new application area complies with the RR1 Zone minimum parcel area requirement.

As the application area is located in the Agricultural Land Reserve (ALR), the Province is advised to consult with the Agricultural Land Commission regarding the proposed subdivision.

#### Recommendation

That the attached comment sheet be provided to the Province as the Regional District's comments on Crown land application 7409700.

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Rural Directors – All/Directors/Majority

Reviewed by:

Jason Llewellyn

Director of Planning

Written by:

Maria Sandberg

Planner



# REGIONAL DISTRICT OF BULKLEY-NECHAKO COMMENT SHEET ON CROWN LAND REFERRAL 7409700 (August 2014 amendment)

Electoral Area:

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Applicant:

CTF Enterprises Inc.

**Existing Land Use:** 

Vacant

Zoning:

Rural Resource (RR1) in Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako

Zoning Bylaw No. 700, 1993

Plan Designation

Agricultural (AG) in the Fort St James Rural OCP Bylaw No.

1578, 2010

**Proposed Use Comply** 

With Zoning:

Yes

If not, why?

Agricultural Land Reserve:

In the ALR

Access Highway:

Highway 27

Archaeological Site:

Not according to our mapping

**Building Inspection:** 

Within the building inspection area

Fire Protection:

Outside Rural Fire Protection Area

Other comments:

The Province is advised to consult with the Agricultural Land

Commission regarding the proposed subdivision, as the

application area is located in the ALR.

