# **LETTER OF UNDERSTANDING #2**

# Jansen Potash Project

## BHP CANADA INC.

# JANSEN POTASH MINE DEVELOPMENT

### -BETWEEN-

The CLR Construction Labour Relations Association of Saskatchewan Inc. ("CLR") as Representative Employers' Organization on behalf of contractors signatory to a Collective Agreement with one or more of the building trade unions working on the Project (herein referred to as the "Representative Employers' Organization")

#### -AND-

The Saskatchewan Provincial Building & Construction Trades Council, Affiliated and other building trade unions signatory hereto (herein referred to as the "Trade Unions")

#### -AND-

BHP Canada Inc. (hereinafter referred to as the "Owner")

WHEREAS the Parties have negotiated a Project Labour Conditions Agreement for the various aspects of the Jansen Potash Mine Development.

AND WHEREAS the Parties negotiated a prior Letter of Understanding which provided certain classifications and amendments to the Project Labour Conditions Agreement (the "Letter of Understanding #1").

AND WHEREAS the Parties agree that BHP has made significant investments to support the recruitment, training and employment of local female and indigenous apprentices as part of the BHP Apprentice Program.

AND WHEREAS the Parties met on February 24, 2023 to discuss and review the Project Labour Conditions Agreement.

AND WHEREAS the Parties agreed to certain clarifications and amendments to the Project Labour Conditions Agreement in this Letter of Understanding #2, as set out below.

The parties agree as follows:

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- a. The Owner agrees to the suspension of the second paragraph of Schedule D Wage Tables that references a 10% wage reduction effective the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_, 2023 (the "Suspension"). The Suspension to all work currently being executed and any future work awarded while this Letter of Understanding is in effect, subject to paragraphs (b) and (c) below.
- b. The Suspension may be terminated any time at the sole discretion of the Owner by providing 30 days' advance written notice provided to the parties.
- c. The Suspension will apply to all work performed under a contract or change order signed by the parties thereto prior to the effective date of the termination of this Letter of Understanding and such work shall remain subject to the Suspension until its completion, notwithstanding the termination of the Suspension pursuant to paragraph (b) above. The Suspension will not apply to any work awarded after the effective date of the termination of the Suspension (whether by virtue of a new contract, change order, change directive, work package instruction, purchase order or otherwise).

## 2. BHP Apprentice Program

- a. The BHP Apprentice Program is in addition to the Apprentice Program referenced in 15.8 of the Project Agreement.
- The Trade Unions agree to support the BHP Apprentice Program the acceptance as permit members Program Participants during their employment with signatory contractors.
- c. Program Participants will be subject to union by-laws and procedures.
- d. The Trade Unions agree to support employment continuity and apprentice mobility.
- e. During construction, the Employers agree to make all reasonable efforts to ensure all union jurisdictional requirements are respected and maintained regarding work assigned to Program Participants.
- f. During construction, the Employers agree to make all reasonable efforts to maintain Program Participant union affiliation when possible if continuity of employment requires a change in employers.

Dated this	27th	day of June,	2023

Signed on behalf of:						
Executed on behalf of BHP Canada Inc.						
Executed on behalf of CLR Construction Labour Relations Association of Saskatchewan Inc.						
Ron J Balzer Ron J Balzer (Jul 5, 2023 16:43 MDT)	W Douglas					
Executed on behalf of the Saskatchewan Provincial Building & Construction Trades Council						
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**UNIONS** 

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The International Union of Operating Engineers, Hoisting, Portable and Stationary, Local 870

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The United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, Local Union #1985

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Local Union 529 of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers

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The International Association of Bridge, Structural and Ornamental Iron Workers and Reinforcing Iron Workers, Local Union No. 771

Nathan Jaeb (Jury 28, 2023 13:23 MDT)

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john sedor (Jul 5, 2023 12:16 CDT)

International Brotherhood of Painters and Allied Trades, Local 739

TJ king TJ king (Jul 4, 2023 10:25 MDT)

The Sheet Metal Workers, International Association Local Union 296, Saskatchewan

Local 179 of the United Association of Journeymen and Apprentices of the Plumbing and Pipefitting Industry of the United States and Canada

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