



**Total permitted animal capacity from all permits for this site:**  
40,000 chicken broilers

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In consideration of Decision Summary RA17021A, Registration RA17021A is issued to:

Name: Ronald and Gloria Friesen, and The Light Standard Farm (the “co-permit holders”)  
Address: RR#4, Lacombe, AB T4L 2N4  
Contact person: Stephen Friesen

**Permitted construction** (based on the submitted site plan):

- a new broiler barn (76.2 m x 18.3 m)

The permit holder shall comply with the requirements of the *Agricultural Operation Practices Act* (AOPA) and the regulations passed pursuant to that act.

The permit holder shall adhere to the descriptions contained in the filed applications for Registrations RA17021A and RA17021, together with the site plan, building plans, and other attached documents, unless otherwise noted in the following conditions.

The permit holder shall contact the NRCB at least 10 working days in advance of the desired inspection date to schedule the inspection referenced in condition 2 below.

### **Construction conditions**

1. The concrete used to construct the manure storage and collection system in the new broiler barn must have a minimum 28-day strength of 30 MPa. The co-permit holders shall provide proof to the NRCB to confirm the specifications of the concrete used in the construction. This document must be provided to the NRCB prior to the inspection referenced in condition #2 below or by a later date stated by the NRCB.
2. The co-permit holders shall not place livestock or manure in the new broiler barn until the barn has been inspected by NRCB personnel and determined by them, in writing, to have been constructed in accordance with the terms and conditions of this registration.
3. The co-permit holders shall complete construction of the manure collection and storage portions of the new broiler barn prior to November 30, 2025. Upon request, this deadline may be extended by the NRCB in writing.

### **Operating Condition**

4. Owner/operator to maintain at all times high degree of cleanliness in and around livestock facilities to minimize odour nuisances for neighboring residents.



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This registration becomes effective immediately. The registration conditions will remain in effect unless amended in writing by the NRCB.

Registration RA17021 is therefore superseded and consolidated into Registration RA17021A, unless Registration RA17021A is held invalid following a review and decision by the NRCB's board members or by a court, in which case Registration RA17021 will remain in effect.

May 5, 2023

(Original signed)  
Francisco Echegaray, P.Ag.  
Approval Officer

## **Registration RA17021A – Appendix**

### **Existing permitted facilities**

- Conversion and expansion of the existing swine farrowing barn into a broiler barn (converted dimensions 79.9 m x 16.5 m)

### **Construction conditions** (already met from Registration RA17021)

- The concrete used to construct the manure storage and collection system in the converted and expanded broiler barn must have a minimum 28-day strength of 30 MPa. The permit holder shall provide proof to the NRCB to confirm the specifications of the concrete used in the construction. This document must be provided to the NRCB prior to the inspection referenced in condition #3 below or by a later date stated by the NRCB.
- The permit holder shall not place livestock or manure in the converted and expanded broiler barn until the barn has been inspected by NRCB personnel and determined by them, in writing, to have been constructed in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Registration.
- The permit holder shall decommission the existing hog finisher barn, prior to construction of the new broiler barn, according to Technical Guideline Agdex 096-90, “Closure of Manure Storage Facilities and Manure Collection Areas”.

### **Construction conditions** (brought forward from Lacombe County Development Permit 26/98)

- minimum twelve-month manure storage capacity required for operation
- prior to any development occurring, licence to be obtained from Alberta Environment Protection for all water well and/or other sources of water required for operation. For more information, contact Lois Collier with Water Resources Administration Division of Alberta Environmental Protection at (403) 340-5310