

AUTHORIZATION FOR THE DISCLOSURE OF CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION

I, _____, duly authorized on behalf of _____,
(Name and title) (Legal entity — Applicant)

Or

I, _____,
(Physical person — Applicant)

consent to the disclosure to the Bureau de normalisation du Québec (BNQ), the *Ministère de l'Environnement, de la Lutte contre les changements climatiques, de la Faune et des Parcs* (MELCCFP) and personnel of his ministry, personal information and confidential information within the meaning of the *Loi sur l'accès aux documents des organismes publics et sur la protection des renseignements personnels* (L.R.Q., c. A-2.1) and of the trade secret contained in the request for the performance validation of a treatment technology:

(Please check appropriate case)

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Drinking water or

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Domestic Wastewater

and in the accompanying documents, all in the treatment of the validation request (please indicate the title of the application) according to the BNQ document entitled *Drinking water and Domestic wastewater technology treatment — Performance Validation — Administrative procedure*.

This consent to the disclosure all information and trade secrets to BNQ referred to in the previous paragraph also authorizes the BNQ to disclose them to any subcontractor or any external expert thereof acting in connection with the processing of this validation request made in accordance with the BNQ document mentioned in this paragraph. However, the BNQ will have to conclude, a priori, a confidentiality agreement with the subcontractor or external expert.

This consent to the disclosure all information and trade secrets to BNQ referred to in the first paragraph also authorizes the BNQ to disclose to Environment Canada and its agent of ETV program in the context of an application for recognition between ETV program and performance validation made pursuant to BNQ document entitled *Drinking water and Domestic wastewater technology treatment — Performance Validation — Administrative procedure*.

Signature

Place and date