

AN ORDER OF THE CLEAN ENVIRONMENT COMMISSION

UNDER THE CLEAN ENVIRONMENT ACT

RE: THE CLEAN ENVIRONMENT COMMISSION and THE DEPARTMENT OF TOURISM, RECREATION AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS, Applicant,

WHEREAS pursuant to the provisions of The Clean Environment Act, the Department of Tourism, Recreation and Cultural Affairs filed an application with the Department of Mines, Resources and Environmental Management in connection with the operation of an existing sewage lagoon system located on Section 20-18-7 EPM in Grand Beach Provincial Park, Manitoba, with discharge of effluent to Lake Winnipeg via the Grand Beach Lagoon;

AND WHEREAS in the absence of limits being prescribed by a Regulation under the said Act, the application was referred to The Clean Environment Commission for the prescribing of limits;

AND WHEREAS no representation was made to the Commission by any person who is, or who is likely to be, affected by an Order of the Commission prescribing limits in connection with the said operation;

AND WHEREAS the Commission considered the application on the 25th day of October, 1976;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT

1. The Applicant shall ensure that the said sewage lagoon system is maintained and operated in such a manner as to:
 - (a) prevent the contamination of groundwater;
and
 - (b) minimize the release of offensive odours.
2. The Applicant shall ensure that the organic loading in terms of five-day biochemical oxygen demand on the primary cell of the modified lagoon system does not exceed 50 pounds per acre per day.

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3. The Applicant shall ensure that, subject to Clause 4, prior to any release or discharge of effluent from the said sewage lagoon system, the quality of the effluent is such that:
 - (a) the 5-day biochemical oxygen demand is not in excess of 30 milligrams per litre; and
 - (b) the total coliform content, in terms of the MPN Index, is not in excess of 1500 per 100 millilitres of sample.

4. The Applicant shall ensure that there is no release or discharge of effluent from the said sewage lagoon system from the 1st day of November in any year to the 15th day of September of the following year except with the permission of the Environmental Management Division of the Department of Mines, Resources and Environmental Management.

5. The Applicant shall ensure that, on or before the 1st day of January, 1978, the cells of the said facility are lined with an impervious material.

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Dated at the City of Winnipeg

this 17th day of NOVEMBER, 1976.


Chairman,
The Clean Environment Commission.

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