

AN ORDER OF THE CLEAN ENVIRONMENT COMMISSION

UNDER THE CLEAN ENVIRONMENT ACT

RE: THE CLEAN ENVIRONMENT COMMISSION and DUCK MOUNTAIN SCHOOL DIVISION NO. 34,  
Applicant;

WHEREAS pursuant to the provisions of the Clean Environment Act, Underwood McLellan & Associates Ltd. submitted a proposal to the Department of Mines, Resources and Environmental Management on behalf of Duck Mountain School Division No. 34, in connection with the operation of a sewage lagoon system discharging effluent via a series of ditches to Lake Manitoba, said sewage lagoon system being located at or near the NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 11, Township 28, Range 16 WPM in the Rural Municipality of Lawrence, Manitoba and serving Rorketon Elementary School;

AND WHEREAS in the absence of limits being prescribed by a Regulation under the said Act, the proposal 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 said proposal on the 14th day of November, 1977;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT

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

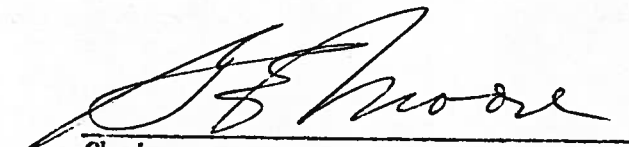
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3. The Applicant shall ensure that the quality of the effluent from the sewage lagoon system is such that:
  - (a) the five-day biochemical oxygen demand is not in excess of 30 milligrams per litre;
  - (b) the total coliform content, in terms of the MPN index, is not in excess of 1500 per 100 millilitres of effluent sample.
  
4. The Applicant shall ensure that there is no discharge of effluent from the sewage lagoon system:
  - (a) between the 1st day of November in any one year and the 15th day of May of the following year without written approval from the Environmental Management Division of the Department of Mines, Resources and Environmental Management;
  - (b) when discharging of the effluent will cause or contribute to ponding of the effluent or overflowing of the effluent onto adjacent land along the discharge route.
  
5. The Applicant shall ensure that domestic sewage only is deposited in the sewage lagoon system unless adequate provision is made for the treatment of industrial wastes.

Order No. 756

Dated at the City of Winnipeg

this 24th day of November, 1977.

  
Chairman,  
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