

AN ORDER OF THE CLEAN ENVIRONMENT COMMISSION

UNDER THE CLEAN ENVIRONMENT ACT

RE: THE CLEAN ENVIRONMENT COMMISSION AND THE TOWN OF SWAN RIVER, Applicant,

WHEREAS pursuant to the provisions of The Clean Environment Act, the Town of Swan River filed a proposal with the Department of Mines, Resources and Environmental Management in connection with the operation of a sewage lagoon system to be located in the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 27-36-27 WPM in the Rural Municipality of Swan River, Manitoba, with discharge of effluent to the waters of Swan River;

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

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

AND WHEREAS the said Commission considered the said proposal on the 27th day of October, 1975;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT

1. The Applicant shall ensure that all the facilities for the treatment of sewage and the holding of effluent are constructed of impervious materials and the said facilities are maintained and operated in such a manner as to:
 - (a) prevent the contamination of groundwater;
 - (b) minimize the release of offensive odours.
2. The Applicant shall ensure that the biochemical oxygen demand (5-day BOD) loading on the said sewage lagoon does not exceed 50 pounds per acre per day.

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3. The Applicant shall ensure that the quality of the effluent from the said sewage lagoon system is such that:
 - (a) the biochemical oxygen demand (5-day BOD) does not exceed 30 milligrams per litre; and
 - (b) the total coliform content as indicated by the MPN index does not exceed 1500 per 100 millilitres of sample.

4. The Applicant shall ensure that no discharge of effluent from the said sewage lagoon system takes place during the period of the 1st day of November in any year to the 15th day of May of the following year except as approved by the Environmental Management Division of the said Department.

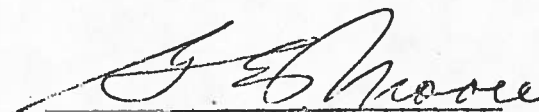
IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED

5. Waste other than domestic sewage and water treatment wastewater are not discharged to the said sewage lagoon system unless adequate provisions is made in the design and construction of the said system to ensure the limits in Clauses 1 and 2 are met.

Order No. 502

Dated at the City of Winnipeg

this 19 day of NOVEMBER, 1975



Chairman,
Clean Environment Commission

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