

AN ORDER OF THE CLEAN ENVIRONMENT COMMISSION  
UNDER THE CLEAN ENVIRONMENT ACT

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Jan. 30/78  
C-6-1741

RE: THE CLEAN ENVIRONMENT COMMISSION and THE TRAPPIST FATHERS, Applicant,

WHEREAS pursuant to the provisions of the Clean Environment Act, the Trappist Fathers filed a proposal with the Department of Mines, Resources and Environmental Management in connection with the operation of a sewage lagoon system located in the NW¼ of Section 2, Township 7, Range 11 WPM in the Rural Municipality of Victoria, with discharge of treated effluent onto agricultural lands;

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 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 9th day of January, 1977;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT

1. The Applicant shall ensure that the said sewage lagoon system is constructed, maintained and operated in such a manner that:
  - (a) the contamination of groundwater is prevented;
  - (b) the release of offensive odours is minimized;
  - (c) the organic loading on the primary cell, in terms of the five-day biochemical oxygen demand, is not in excess of 50 pounds per acre per day;
  - (d) no discharge of effluent from the said sewage lagoon system takes place between the 1st day of November of any year and the 15th day of May of the following year without express written permission from the Environmental Management Division of the Department of Mines, Resources and Environmental Management;

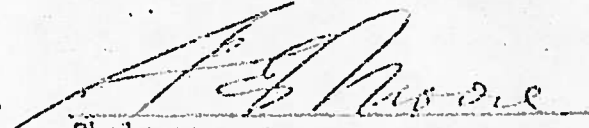
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1. (e) the five-day biochemical oxygen demand of the effluent from the sewage lagoon system does not exceed 30 milligrams per litre;
- (f) the total coliform content of the effluent from the sewage lagoon system, as indicated by the MPN Index, is not in excess of 1500 per 100 millilitres of sample.
2. The Applicant shall notify the said Division at least two weeks in advance of any discharge of effluent from the said sewage lagoon system.
3. The Applicant shall ensure that the effluent from the said sewage lagoon system:
  - (a) is discharged only to agricultural land owned or lawfully controlled by the applicant;
  - (b) is not discharged within 1,000 feet of any residence which is off the property owned or lawfully controlled by the applicant;
  - (c) is discharged in one of the following manners:
    - (i) to land where crops are scheduled for industrial use and not used for human consumption without processing;
    - (ii) on a cultivated summerfallow field or a stubble field;
    - (iii) to land which will not be utilized for fodder crops, grazing, or similar uses for at least 20 days after the effluent is discharged.
4. The Applicant shall ensure that no livestock wastes are deposited in the said sewage lagoon system.

Order No. 769

Dated at the City of Winnipeg

this 30th day of January, 1978.  
Chairman,  
The Clean Environment Commission.