SUMMARY OF COMMENTS/RECOMMENDATIONS

PROPOSAL NAME: Burn Off Oven Facility
CLASS OF DEVELOPMENT: N/A
TYPE OF DEVELOPMENT: Hazardous Waste (Dangerous Goods Handling & Transportation Act Application)

OVERVIEW:

On September 1, 2004 the Department received an Application from Canadian Tool & Die Ltd. for the development and operation of a heat cleaning oven facility. The oven will be located at the company property at 1331 Chevrier Blvd. in Winnipeg, Manitoba. On September 13, 2004 the Department placed copies of the Application in the Public Registries located at 123 Main St. (Union Station), the St James-Assiniboia Public Library in Winnipeg, and at the Manitoba Eco-Network. As well, copies of the Application were provided to the Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) members. The Department placed a public notification of the Application in the Winnipeg Free Press on September 18, 2004. The newspaper and TAC notification invited responses until October 18, 2004.

COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC:

A phone call was received on September 21, 2004 from a resident living in Fort Garry. She had concerns about emissions affecting nearby schools. After discussing the licencing process and her concerns about the local schools, she was advised to send her comments to the department in writing. She has not done this. It is thought that her fears/concerns were allayed by the phone discussion.

COMMENTS FROM THE TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE:

Sustainable Resource Management - Information is required on the distance between the operation and the nearest non-industrial zoned property. (i.e. residential or commercial)

Disposition. The facility is located at 1331 Chevrier at the corner of Chevrier and Irene. It is in the (centre of) the Fort Garry Industrial Park. The closest commercial property may be the Century Ice Arena on Clarence Avenue, which is several blocks to the north. The closest homes may be on Hudson which is several blocks to the east.

Intergovernmental Affairs - No comments.

Historic Resources - No concerns.
Highway Planning & Design - No concerns.

Winnipeg Regional Health Authority – It is unlikely that this facility will cause any health concerns for the citizens.

PUBLIC HEARING:

A public hearing is not required.

RECOMMENDATION:

The Applicant should be issued a Licence, in accordance with the attached draft, to operate the Burn Off Oven facility. Enforcement of the Licence should be assigned to the Red River Region.

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