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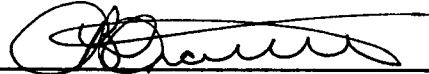
DEPARTMENT OF GOVERNMENT SERVICES/EGG LAKE REHABILITATION CAMP; APPLICANT

The following limits, terms, and conditions shall be complied with in connection with the construction and operation of a wastewater collection system and a wastewater treatment lagoon located on the shores of Egg Lake and with discharge of treated effluent into a marsh area that drains into Egg Lake:

1. The applicant shall ensure that all sewage generated within the rehabilitation camp is directed toward the wastewater treatment lagoon.
2. The applicant shall not discharge effluent from the wastewater treatment lagoon:
 - (a) where the organic content of the effluent, as indicated by the five day biochemical oxygen demand, is in excess of 30 milligrams per litre;
 - (b) where the fecal coliform content of the effluent, as indicated by the MPN index, is in excess of 200 per 100 millilitres of sample;
 - (c) where the total coliform content of the effluent, as indicated by the MPN index, is in excess of 1500 per 100 millilitres of sample;
 - (d) between the first day of July of any year and the 15th day of May of the following year, unless prior approval, by the Director, is given.
3. The applicant shall operate and maintain the wastewater treatment lagoon in such a manner that:
 - (a) the release of offensive odours is minimized;
 - (b) the organic loading on the primary cell of the sewage lagoon system, as indicated by the five day biochemical oxygen demand, is not in excess of 56 kilograms per hectare per day;
 - (c) the depth of sewage in the primary cell does not exceed 1.5 metres.

4. The applicant shall, in case of physical or mechanical breakdown of the wastewater collection and/or treatment system:
 - (a) notify the Director immediately;
 - (b) identify the repairs required to the wastewater collection and/or treatment system;
 - (c) complete the repairs in accordance with the written instructions of the Director.
5. The applicant shall prior to the construction of dykes for the wastewater treatment lagoon:
 - (a) remove all organic topsoil from the area where the dykes will be constructed; or,
 - (b) remove all organic material for a depth of 0.3 metres and a width of 3.0 metres from the area where the dyke will be built, providing all the lagoon dykes are lined with clay or other suitable material as required by Clause 6 to a minimum thickness of one metre measured perpendicular to the face of the side wall.
6. The applicant shall construct the wastewater treatment lagoon with clay or other suitable material such that all interior surfaces of the lagoon structure are underlain with a minimum of 1 metre of soil having a hydraulic conductivity of 1×10^{-7} centimetres per second or less.
7. The applicant shall arrange with an Environment Officer a mutually acceptable time and date for any required soil sampling.
8. The applicant shall either:
 - (a) subject undisturbed soil samples from the completed wastewater treatment lagoon to hydraulic conductivity tests, the number and location of said samples to be specified by an Environment Officer up to a maximum of twenty samples; or,

- (b) where undisturbed soil samples cannot be taken, test the soil of 4 plane surfaces of the wastewater treatment lagoon for hydraulic conductivity by an insitu field test method as prescribed by an Environment Officer.
9. The applicant shall, not less than 2 weeks before the wastewater treatment lagoon is placed in operation, submit to the Director the results of the tests carried out pursuant to Clause 8.
10. The applicant shall install a fence around the sewage lagoon facility to limit access.



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