

# Environment Act Licence

Manitoba  
Environment



Licence No. 1943

Issue Date October 25, 1994

In accordance with the Manitoba Environment Act (C.C.S.M. c. E125)

THIS LICENCE IS ISSUED TO:

**THE RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF RHINELAND; "the Licencee"**

for the construction and operation of the Development being a cleanout and repair of the South Buffalo Channel in Sections 5, 6, 11 and 12-1-3W in the Rural Municipality of Rhineland subject to the following specifications, limits, terms and conditions:

**SPECIFICATIONS, LIMITS, TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

1. The Licencee shall construct the Development in accordance with the Environment Act Proposal dated July 15, 1994.
2. The Licencee shall not undertake construction of the Development between April 1 and July 31 of any year.
3. The Licencee shall design and construct waterway crossings for the Development in accordance with the Manitoba Natural Resources publication "Recommended Fish Protection Procedures for Stream Crossings in Manitoba".
4. The Licencee shall notify the South-Central Regional Office of Manitoba Environment not less than one week prior to the start of construction on the Development.
5. The Licencee shall ensure that measures are taken during the construction of the Development to minimize the deposition of sediment in the South Buffalo Channel.
6. The Licencee shall consult with Central Region staff from Manitoba Natural Resources before removing beaver dams in connection with the Development.
7. The Licencee shall re-vegetate any areas of soil disturbed by the construction of the Development which could be invaded by noxious weeds or which could erode and produce sedimentation in the South Buffalo Channel.
8. The Licencee shall stabilize the channel with riprap or vegetation in the vicinity of culverts and other crossings where erosion could occur due to high water velocities.
9. The Licencee shall maintain a minimum riparian buffer strip of 10 m from the design water level of the watercourse where possible. Where the existing riparian buffer strip is less than 10 m in width, this existing width shall not be reduced.

10. The Licencee shall ensure that all used oil products and other regulated hazardous wastes generated by the machinery used in the construction of the Development are collected and disposed of in accordance with all applicable Manitoba Environment and legislation requirements.
11. The Licencee shall ensure that any temporary fuel storage areas established for the construction of the Development shall be developed at a minimum of 100 metres from the high water mark of the South Buffalo Channel and shall comply with the requirements of *Manitoba Regulation 97/88R* respecting *Storage and Handling of Gasoline and Associated Products*.
12. The Licencee shall ensure that herbicides used to control weeds in the area affected by the Development are applied at recommended rates and in accordance with label instructions and appropriate regulatory approvals.
13. The Licencee shall be limited to the spot spraying of herbicides in the 10 m wide riparian zone on each side of the watercourse. Spraying shall be undertaken only when mechanical methods of weed control are impractical. No herbicides shall be applied within 5 m of the watercourse, and no herbicides shall be applied when rainfall is imminent.

#### REVOCATION

If, in the opinion of the Director, the Licencee has exceeded or is exceeding the limits, or has not complied or is not complying with the specifications, terms or conditions set out herein, the Director may revoke this Licence either temporarily or permanently.



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