AN ORDER OF THE CLEAN ENVIRONMENT COMMISSION

UNDER THE CLEAN ENVIRONMENT ACT

RE: THE CLEAN ENVIRONMENT COMMISSION and THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT DISTRICT OF REYNOLDS, Applicant,

WHEREAS pursuant to the provisions of The Clean Environment Act, the Local Government District of Reynolds submitted an application to The Clean Environment Commission to prescribe limits in connection with the operation of a waste disposal ground located in the N½ of Legal Subdivision 4, Section 8-8-12 EPM in the Local Government District of Reynolds, Manitoba;

AND WHEREAS no representation was made to the said 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 said Commission considered the application on the 19th day of August, 1975;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT

1. The Applicant shall ensure that, subject to Clauses 3, 4, and 5 wastes are:

(a) either deposited in trenches not greater than 10 feet in depth below grade prevailing at the particular location but in any event not extending into any underground water table; or

(b) deposited on the ground surface but not extending more than 7 feet above the prevailing grade except as required to comply with Clause 9.
2. The Applicant shall ensure that, subject to Clauses 3, 4, and 5, the deposited wastes are concentrated and covered with six inches of earth every month with the exception of the winter period from the 1st day of December in any year to the 30th day of April of the year following.

3. The Applicant shall ensure that bulky metallic wastes such as derelict vehicles, farm machinery, household appliances and other large metal objects are placed together on or above the prevailing grade in a separate section of the said waste disposal ground.

4. The Applicant shall ensure, in regard to the disposal of liquid wastes, that:

   (a) used crankcase oil or other petroleum products are NOT deposited in the said waste disposal grounds; and

   (b) septic tank contents including sludge, if accepted, are deposited only in a separate clay-lined pit or trench not exceeding 5 feet in depth with a surrounding berm or dyke high enough to prevent the pit or trench contents from overflowing onto the adjacent ground.

5. The Applicant shall ensure that dead livestock, if deposited on the said waste disposal ground, are buried on the day of receipt with a minimum of 2 feet of earthen cover.

6. The Applicant shall ensure that burning of waste material is in accordance with the following:

   (a) there is NO BURNING of derelict vehicles, tires, or other large items of rubber or plastic;

   (b) no burning takes place without the express permission of the local Conservation Officer; and then in accordance with these limitations:

      (i) the burning takes place on a single day in any week,
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(ii) the burning takes place within the confines of a trench,

(iii) wind velocity and direction are such that no nuisance to any neighbouring resident may occur,

(iv) the burning operation is under constant supervision,

(v) the fire is extinguished by earth cover or other effective means at the end of the day of burning, and

(vi) the overall process of burning is conducted in a manner acceptable to the local Environmental Officer.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED THAT

7. The Applicant shall make provision for the containment of paper and other light refuse to the extent that wind-entrained material is confined within the site of the said waste disposal ground: either by natural forestration, reforestation or fences or any combination of these adequate for the purpose.

8. The Applicant shall arrange for the supervision of the said waste disposal ground sufficient to:

(a) ensure the orderly placement of the wastes;

(b) prevent dumping on any access road or other property adjacent to the said waste disposal ground;

(c) carry out the other requirements of this Order as these apply to the day-by-day operations of the said disposal ground.

9. The Applicant shall, when the useful space in the said waste disposal ground is used up:
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(a) place a final earth cover of a minimum thickness of one foot over the accumulated waste (other than bulky metallic objects as described in Clause 3, and liquid wastes as described in Clause 4);

(b) consolidate the accumulation of bulky metallic wastes in a compact mass;

(c) backfill any trenches or pits used for the disposal of septic tank contents including sludge to prevent hazard or danger;

(d) grade the entire area except for the bulky metallic waste section to provide adequate surface drainage and a base for seeding and/or sodding and/or landscaping; all for the purpose of preserving and enhancing the environment.

Order No. 466

Dated at the City of Winnipeg

this 26 day of AUGUST, 1975

Chairman, Clean Environment Commission

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