

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

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RE: THE CLEAN ENVIRONMENT COMMISSION and VALLEY ABATTOIR, Applicant,

WHEREAS pursuant to the provisions of The Clean Environment Act, Mr. Garry Augustson, on behalf of Valley Abattoir, filed an application with the Department of Mines, Resources and Environmental Management in connection with the operation of a sewage lagoon system located in the NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of Section 16-36-26 WPM in the Rural Municipality of Minitonas, Manitoba;

AND WHEREAS in the absence of limits being prescribed by a Regulation under the said Act, the said application 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 Clean Environment Commission considered the application on the 14th day of June, 1976;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT

1. The Applicant shall ensure that on or before the 30th day of November, 1976, either:

(a) a properly designed waste irrigation system is installed which is capable of dewatering the secondary cell of the said lagoon system on a semi annual basis;

or

(b) the said lagoon system is expanded so as to reduce the 5-day Biochemical Oxygen Demand loading to 50 lb. per acre per day.

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2. The Applicant shall ensure that all the facilities for the treatment of sewage and the holding of effluent are so constructed, maintained and operated as to:
  - (a) prevent the contamination of groundwater; and
  - (b) minimize the release of offensive odours.
3. The Applicant shall ensure that effluent is discharged only onto land owned or lawfully controlled by the said Abattoir and then only with due regard to the type of crop or usage of said lands so as to minimize the danger to health.
4. The Applicant shall ensure that effluent is not discharged within one thousand feet of any residence which is off the property owned or lawfully controlled by the said Abattoir.
5. The Applicant shall ensure that no discharge of effluent from the said sewage lagoon system takes place during the period between the 1st day of November in any year and the 15th day of May in the year following.
6. There shall be no discharge of effluent into any surface watercourse.

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Dated at the City of Winnipeg  
this 9th day of July, 1976.

  
Chairman,  
The Clean Environment Commission.