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

BE: THE CLEAN ENVIRONMENT COMMISSION and THE DEPARTMENT OF TOURISM, RECREATION AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS of THE PROVINCE OF MANITOBA, Applicant,

WHEREAS pursuant to the provisions of the Clean Environment Act, the Department of Tourism, Recreation and Cultural Affairs filed an application with the Department of Mines, Resources and Environmental Management in connection with the operation of a sewage lagoon system discharging effluent to a wooded area with eventual discharge to the Winnipeg River, the said system being located in Section 13, Township 14, Range 13 EPM in the Whiteshell Provincial Park, and serving the Opapiskaw Recreation Area;

AND WHEREAS in the absence of limits being set 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 Clean Environment Commission by any person who is, or who is likely to be, affected by an Order of the said Commission prescribing limits in connection with the said operation;

AND WHEREAS the said Commission considered the said application on the 29th day of August, 1977;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT

1. The Applicant shall ensure that the said sewage lagoon system is maintained and operated in such a manner as to:

   (a) minimize the release of offensive odours;

   (b) prevent groundwater contamination;

   (c) ensure that the organic loading on the primary cell of the said sewage lagoon system, in terms of the five-day biochemical oxygen demand, is not in excess of 50 pounds per acre per day;

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(d) ensure that no discharge of effluent takes place between the 1st day of November of any year and the 15th day of September of the following year without the written permission of the Environmental Management Division of the Department of Mines, Resources and Environmental Management.

2. The Applicant shall ensure that the quality of the effluent from the said sewage lagoon system is such that:

(a) the five-day biochemical oxygen demand is not in excess of 30 milligrams per litre of sample;

(b) the total coliform content, as measured by the MPN index does not exceed 1500 per 100 millilitres of sample.

Order No. 752

Dated at the City of Winnipeg

this 30th day of September, 1977.

Chairman,
The Clean Environment Commission.

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