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

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RE: THE CLEAN ENVIRONMENT COMMISSION and the TOWN OF NEEPAWA, Applicant;

- WHEREAS pursuant to the provisions of the Clean Environment Act, the Town of Neepawa filed an application with the Department of Mines, Resources and Environmental Management in connection with the operation of a sewage lagoon system serving the Town of Neepawa, located in the NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 34, Township 14, Range 15 WPM in the Rural Municipality of Langford, with discharge of effluent to the Whitemud River;
- AND WHEREAS in the absence of limits being prescribed by a Regulation under the said Act, the application was referred to The Clean Environment Commission for the prescribing of limits;
- AND WHEREAS on the 16th day of December, 1977, the Clean Environment Commission issued Order No. 762 prescribing limits in connection with the operation of the said sewage lagoon system;
- AND WHEREAS on the 11th day of January, 1978, the Town of Neepawa appealed Clean Environment Commission Order No. 762 to the Minister pursuant to Subsection 17(1) of The Clean Environment Act;
- AND WHEREAS he, the Minister, stayed Clause 2 of Order No. 762 pending further evidence concerning the facility;
- AND WHEREAS he, the Minister, considered the appeal from Order No. 762 and the additional information provided by the Town;
- AND WHEREAS on the 11th day of December, 1979, he, the Minister, directed the Commission to vary Order No. 762 such that it will comply with the intent of Order-in-Council No. 1156 issued on the 5th day of December, 1979;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT ORDER NO. 762 BE VARIED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

1. The Applicant shall ensure that the said sewage lagoon system is maintained and operated in such a manner that:
- (a) the release of offensive odours is minimized;
  - (b) groundwater contamination is prevented;
  - (c) the total coliform content of the effluent, as indicated by the MPN Index, is not in excess of 1500 per 100 millilitres of sample;

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1. (d) the organic content of the effluent, in terms of five-day biochemical oxygen demand, is not in excess of 30 milligrams per litre of sample;
- (e) there is no discharge of effluent from the sewage lagoon system between the 1st of November of any year and the 15th day of May of the following year.
2. The Applicant shall ensure that on or before the 1st day of November, 1982, a proposal pursuant to the Clean Environment Act, for the expansion, alteration, replacement or continuing operation of the existing facility is filed with the Environmental Management Division of the Department of Consumer and Corporate Affairs and Environment.
3. Order No. 762 as varied to comply with the intent of Order-in-Council No. 1156/79 is hereby designated as Order No. 762VO.

Order No. 762VO

Dated at the City of Winnipeg

this 21st, day of December, 1979.

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