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

RE:  THE CLEAN ENVIRONMENT COMMISSION and the RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF STRATHCLAIR, Applicant.

WHEREAS on the 21st day of April, 1964, Stock, Keith and Associates submitted an application to the Provincial Sanitary Control Commission, on behalf of the Rural Municipality of Strathclair, pursuant to Section 15 of the Pollution of Waters Prevention Act, for the issuance of a licence for the discharge of effluent from the Strathclair sewage lagoon system located on Parcel A-5414 in the SW1/4 of Section 35, Township 16, Range 22 WPM in the said Municipality, via ditches and sloughs into Salt Lake;

AND WHEREAS on the 6th day of May, 1964, the Provincial Sanitary Control Commission issued a licence prescribing limits and conditions in connection with such discharges, pursuant to the provisions of the said Pollution of Waters Prevention Act;

AND WHEREAS in 1968, The Pollution of Waters Prevention Act was superceded by The Clean Environment Act;

AND WHEREAS on the 18th day of July, 1981, the said Municipality filed an application with the department, pursuant to the provisions of The Clean Environment Act, in connection with the continued operation of the said sewage lagoon system;

AND WHEREAS in the absence of limits, terms and conditions prescribed by a regulation issued under The Clean Environment Act, the application was referred to The Clean Environment Commission to prescribe limits, terms and conditions;

AND WHEREAS under date of the 29th day of March, 1983, the Environmental Management Division made a report with recommendations to the Commission in connection with the said sewage lagoon system:
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AND WHEREAS after giving notice of the application, The Clean Environment Commission received notice of representation from a person who was likely to be affected by an order of the Commission in connection with the application:

AND WHEREAS The Clean Environment Commission held a hearing in Strathclair on the 16th day of June, 1983:

AND WHEREAS The Clean Environment Commission considered the application on the 25th day of July, 1983;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT

1. The Applicant shall not discharge effluent from the said sewage lagoon system where:

   (a) the organic content of the sewage effluent, as indicated by the five day biochemical oxygen demand, is in excess of 30 milligrams per litre;

   (b) the faecal coliform content of the sewage effluent, as indicated by the MPN index, is in excess of 200 per 100 millilitres of sample;

   (c) the total coliform content of the sewage effluent, as indicated by the MPN index, is in excess of 1500 per 100 millilitres of sample.

2. The Applicant shall not discharge effluent from the said sewage lagoon system:

   (a) between the 1st day of June and the 15th day of October of any year;

   (b) between the 1st day of November of any year and the 15th day of May of the following year.
3. The Applicant shall maintain and operate the said sewage lagoon system in such a manner that:

(a) the release of offensive odours is minimized;

(b) the organic loading on the primary cell, as indicated by the five day biochemical oxygen demand, is not in excess of 56 kilograms per hectare per day;

(c) groundwater contamination is minimized.

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Dated at the City of Winnipeg
this 8th day of August, 1983.

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Chairman,
The Clean Environment Commission.

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