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SUMMARY FOR STAGE 2 LICENCE
RE: Isobord Enterprises Inc.; APPLICANT

A proposal filed by Isobord Enterprises Inc. for the construction and operation of a straw based particle board manufacturing facility and to be located on all that portion of the east half of NE 1-11-3 WPM situated north of the Canadian National Railway Right-of-Way, Plan 917 PLTO excepting Lot 1, Plan 26065 PLTO, and all that portion of the east 500 feet of the west half of NE 1-11-3 WPM situated north of the Canadian National Railway Right-of-Way in the R. M. of Cartier. The Proposal is to operate 24 hours per day, 7 days per week, for a minimum of 330 days per year.

Environment Act Licence No. 1911S1 was issued on September 6, 1994. The Stage 1 Licence authorized construction within specified requirements, required the submission and implementation of ambient air, surface water and groundwater monitoring plans, required the submission of a contingency plan, and a pre-operation health status study.

The Licencee requested and received approval to implement a number of minor alterations to the date for the submissions required under the Stage 1 Licence until such time as funding for the development was secured. The Licencee, during 1997 and 1998, submitted the reports and information and complied with the requirements of the Licence. Construction of the Development is now completed and the Licencee has requested a Stage 2 Licence to allow equipment testing and process start-up. The Licencee, Air Quality Management and Winnipeg Region have review the draft Stage 2 Licence. Their comments have been incorporated into the attached draft licence.

The responsibility for enforcement of the Licence should be retained by Municipal & Industrial Approvals until a final operating Licence is issued.

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