

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

RE: THE CLEAN ENVIRONMENT COMMISSION and TRUSTEES OF SPRINGSTEIN MENNONITE CHURCH, Applicant,

WHEREAS pursuant to the provisions of The Clean Environment Act, Rural Water Services of the Manitoba Department of Agriculture filed an application with the Department of Mines, Resources and Environmental Management on behalf of the Trustees of Springstein Mennonite Church in connection with the operation of a sewage lagoon serving Camp Assiniboine, located at or near River Lot 22 in the Parish of St. Francois Xavier, in the Rural Municipality of Cartier;

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 representations were made to the Commission by persons who are, or who are likely to be, affected by an Order of the Commission prescribing limits in connection with the said operation;

AND WHEREAS the Commission held a public hearing on the 31st day of March, 1975, and on the 3rd day of January, 1977;

AND WHEREAS the Commission was advised the distance from the lagoon to a residence was less than that normally recommended by the Environmental Management Division of the said Department;

AND WHEREAS the Applicant gave an undertaking to the Commission that corrective action would be taken in the event odours from the said sewage lagoon system become a nuisance to nearby residents;

AND WHEREAS the Commission considered the application on the 14th day of February, 1977;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT

1. The Applicant shall ensure that the sewage treatment lagoon system is so maintained and operated as to:

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1. (a) prevent contamination of groundwater;

 (b) minimize the release of offensive odours.

2. The Applicant shall, in the event of odours from the said sewage lagoon system becoming a nuisance to nearby residents, take corrective action to eliminate the odour problems.

3. The Applicant shall ensure that the 5-day biochemical oxygen demand loading on the primary cell of the said sewage lagoon system is not in excess of 50 pounds per acre per day.

4. The Applicant shall ensure that the quality of the final effluent from the said sewage lagoon system is such that:
 - (a) the 5-day biochemical oxygen demand is not in excess of 30 milligrams per litre;
 - (b) the total coliform content as indicated by the MPN Index is not in excess of 1500 per 100 millilitres of sample.

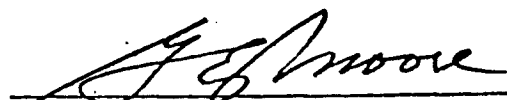
5. The Applicant shall ensure that no discharge of effluent from the said sewage lagoon system takes place during the period between the 1st day of November in any year and the 15th day of May in the year following.

6. The Applicant shall ensure that only domestic wastewater is deposited in the said sewage lagoon system.

Order No. 665

Dated at the City of Winnipeg

this 18th day of February, 1977.



Chairman,
The Clean Environment Commission.