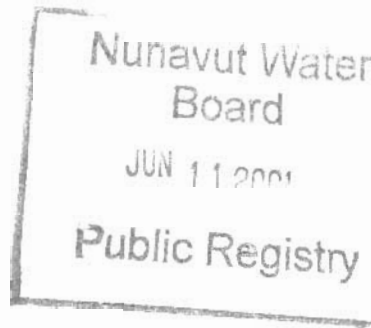


INAC, Nunavut District
P.O. Box 100
Iqaluit, NU
X0A 0H0

May 25, 2001.

Rick Butler
Chief Executive Officer
City of Iqaluit



tel.: (867) 975-4275
fax.: (867) 979-6445
Your file / Votre référence

Our file / Notre référence

INTERNAL	
PC	
LA	
OM	
TA	
BS	
ED	
CEO	
SRD	

HAND DELIVERED

Subsection 9(1)(b) Northwest Territories Waters Act violation at City of Iqaluit
- Inspector's Direction -

I, Philippe Lavallée, duly designated Inspector pursuant to subsection 35(1) of the *Northwest Territories Waters Act*, conducted, on May 22, 2001, an inspection of a deposit of waste in the vicinity of the Iqaluit municipal solid waste disposal site, Nunavut.

As a result of my inspection, I have reasonable grounds to believe that, contrary to subsection 9(1)(b) of the *Northwest Territories Waters Act*, waste has been deposited, or has been permitted to be deposited, in such a place and under such conditions in which waste, or waste resulting from the deposit of that waste, may enter waters.

Under the authority vested in me pursuant to subsection 37(1) of the *Northwest Territories Waters Act*, I hereby direct the City of Iqaluit to immediately take all reasonable measures to prevent further deposit of waste along the road leading to the municipal solid waste disposal site, and to remedy the adverse effects of such waste already deposited. These reasonable measures shall include, but not be limited to:

- Halting the deposit of waste along the road leading to the municipal solid waste disposal site.
- Removing, within 72 hours of receipt of the Inspector's Direction, all waste from the roadside leading to the municipal solid waste disposal site, and relocating it within the fenced municipal solid waste disposal site.

Failure to comply fully or in part with an Inspector's Direction constitutes an offence under subsection 40(1)(c) of the *Northwest Territories Waters Act*, and entails, upon summary conviction, a fine not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars or imprisonment for a term not exceeding one year, or both. Further, pursuant to subsection 40(4) of the *Northwest Territories Waters Act*, each day on which the Inspector's Direction is not complied with shall be considered a separate offence.

Canada

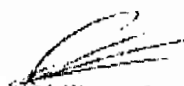
Printed on recycled paper - imprimé sur papier recyclé

COPIES FAXED
TO BILL 26/05/01

Lastly, under subsection 41(a) of the *Northwest Territories Waters Act*, any person who wilfully obstructs the carrying out of an Inspector's Direction is also guilty of an offence punishable on summary conviction.

Please feel free to contact me at (867) 975-4298 or lavallecp@inac.gc.ca if any questions/comments arise.

Sincerely,



Philippe Lavallée
Water Resources Officer,
Northwest Territories Waters Act Inspector
INAC, Nunavut District

c.c. - Bob Allen, PSAC Local #5

FAXED to (613) 234-6209