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B9545-5-N5L4-1447

November 20, 1996

Mrs. Rita Mike Senior Administrative Officer Hamlet of Pangnirtung Pangnirtung, NT XOA ORO

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Dear Mrs. Mike,

1995 Compliance Report - Water Licence N5L4-1447 Hamlet of Pangnirtung

- 1. Please find attached the 1995 Compliance Report prepared to determine how the Hamlet of Pangnirtung has performed compared to the terms and conditions contained within water licence N5L4-1447. Compliance Reports are prepared annually to identify and summarize compliance issues that the Licensee must address.
- 2. This review has identified specific areas that must be addressed in order to regain an acceptable level of compliance
- 3. Please refer to paragraph 23 of the report which details the areas of non-compliance. To summarize, the Hamlet must address four specific areas:
 - a. Submit the 1995 Annual report (Part A, Item 3 of the licence);
 - b. Erect SNP Station and appropriate warning signs (Part A, Items 7+9);
 - c. Submit an O+M Plan for the sewage and solid waste disposal facilities (Part C, Item 7), and;
 - d. Comply with the SNP sampling and reporting requirements (Part A, Item 5 and SNP, Parts B, C and D).





4. Your prompt attention to address these noted issues is expected. If you have any questions about this compliance report, please do not hesitate to contact me at the above address or by phone at (819)-979-4405.

Sincerely,

Paul Smith

Water Resources Officer

Nunavut District

cc. - Nunavut Water Board, Gjoa Haven

- Water Resources Division, DIAND, YK

1995 COMPLIANCE REPORT

ON

CONDITIONS OF LICENCE NUMBER N5L4-1447

HELD BY THE HAMLET OF PANGNIRTUNG

PREPARED BY

PAUL SMITH

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DIAND NWT REGION

NUNAVUT DISTRICT

IQALUIT, NT

DATE: NOVEMBER 21, 1996 WATER REGISTER: N5L4-1447

Introduction

- 1. The Hamlet's licence is valid from January 9, 1993 to December 31, 2000 inclusive.
- 2. The Licensee is permitted to use 50,000 cubic metres of water per year.

Part A - General Conditions

- 3. (Part A, Item 3). The Annual Report was due on or prior to March 1, 1996. To date, the Licensee has yet to submit this report.
- 4. (Part A, Item 5). The Licensee has failed to comply with this section as they did not collect the required samples at SNP Stations 1447-7.
- 5. (Part A, Item 7). The Licensee has partially complied with this section. A warning sign is required on the Duval River in order to protect the potable water supply.
- 6. (Part A, Item 8). The Licensee keeps very careful track of how much water is used. At present, the Licensee is well within their permitted amount.
- 7. (Part A, Item 9). The Licensee has failed to comply with this section. Surveillance Network Program (SNP) station signs were to posted within 6 months of the issuance of the licence (i.e. July 1/91). As of the July 1996 inspection, SNP station signs had not been posted.
- 8. (Part A, Item 10). There were 4 unauthorized discharges in 1995. The licence requires that the Hamlet report any unauthorized spills that occur within the municipal boundaries that they are aware of. The spills were reported by other parties.

Part B - Conditions Applying to Water Supply

9. (Part B, Item 1). All water was obtained from Lake Fundo. The Licensee is within their permitted amount of water usage.

Part C - Conditions Applying to Waste Disposal

- 12. (Part C, Item 1). All sewage was disposed of at the current sewage disposal facilities.
- 13. (Part C, Items 2+3). Not applicable as there few, if any, houses that are not on trucked sewage service.
- 14. (Part C, Item 4). The Licensee has not complied with this section in that the deadline was not been met, however the proposal for upgrading the sewage disposal facilities has since been submitted.
- 15. (Part C, Item 6). The Licensee disposes of all solid waste at the existing solid waste disposal site.
- 16. (Part C, Item 7). The Licensee has not met the requirements of this section in that they have not submitted and O+M plan for the sewage and solid waste disposal sites. Although outside the scope of this compliance review, during the summer of 1996, significant improvements were made to the solid waste disposal site and in order to take full advantage of this reconditioned facility, an O+M manual is needed more now than ever.

Part D: Conditions Applying to Modifications

17. (Part D, Item 1). Not applicable. No modifications have been made.

Surveillance Network Program

Part B - Sampling and Analysis Requirements

18. The Licensee has not collected any of the required samples at SNP Station 1447-7.

Part C - Flow and Volume Measurement Requirements

19. The Licensee records this information, but has not reported it.

Part D - Reports

20. The Licensee has failed to meet this requirement as no Annual Report was submitted.

Conclusion

- 23. The Hamlet of Pangnirtung's compliance with the Northwest Territories Waters Act and Water Licence N5L4-1447 has been unacceptable for the following reasons:
 - a. The Licensee has failed to submit an Annual Report (Part A, Item 3);
 - b. The Licensee has failed to comply with the Surveillance Network Program (Part A, Item 5);
 - c. The Licensee has failed to place the appropriate warning and SNP station signs (Part A, Item 7+9);
 - d. The Licensee has failed to submit an O+M plan. It was due July 1, 1991 (Part C, Item 7), and;
 - e. The Licensee has failed to submit information generated in the SNP as specified in Part A, Item 3 (SNP Part D, Item 1).

Paul Smith

Water Resources Officer

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