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Hamlet of Cambridge Bay P.O. Box 16 CAMBRIDGE BAY, N.W.T. X0E 0C0

ATTENTION: Randy Bergen

Senior Administrative Officer

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Dear Mr. Bergen

RE: 1990 COMPLIANCE REVIEW OF WATER LICENCE N4L4-1532

You will find attached a copy of the 1990 Compliance Report for the Hamlet of Cambridge Bay.

It appears that your administration has acquainted low priority with compliance to the terms and conditions of your Water Licence. This is not acceptable.

Please correct the violations noted in this report and prevent them from occurring again.

If you have any questions concerning this report please feel free to contact this office.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Yours truly

R. A. Cockney
District Manager

cc:

Water Resources, Yellowknife

Dept. of Public Works - G.N.W.T., Yellowknife

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1990 COMPLIANCE REPORT

FOR THE

HAMLET OF CAMBRIDGE BAY

WATER LICENCE N4L4-1532

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HAMLET OF CAMBRIDGE BAY WATER LICENCE N4L4-1532

INTRODUCTION

This report covers the Hamlet of Cambridge Bay's compliance with their Water Licence N4L4-1532 for the calendar year 1990.

INSPECTIONS

An inspection by Scott Gallupe, Water Resources Officer, Inuvik was conducted on August 8, 1990.

Water Licence N4L4-1532

1) Part A: General Conditions

Item 3 states: "The Licensee shall file a report pursuant to Section 10(2) of the Act and Section 15(1) of the Regulations not later than <u>March 1st</u> of the year following the calendar year reported which shall contain the following information ..."

Violation: The Annual Report was received May 29, 1991. This

report was almost three (3) month late.

Comment: The Annual Report is to be sent to the Water Board and

cc'd to the Inspector.

Item 7 states: "The Licensee shall use water and waste volume measurement procedures as approved by the Controller. The procedure to be followed shall be implemented to the satisfaction of the Inspector."

Violation: Water quantities pumped from Water Supply Lake are not being

measured and recorded by meter in treatment plant.

Item 10 States: "The Licensee shall on or before August 1, 1988, post and maintain the necessary signs to identify the stations of the Surveillance Network Program to the satisfaction of the Inspector."

Violation: The Surveillance Network Program stations were not

identified to the satisfaction of the Inspector.

Item 11 States: "The Licensee shall, on or before August 1st, 1988, post signs in the area of the water supply facilities and in the areas of the waste disposal facilities to advise the public that these areas are being used for the municipal water supply and for the disposal of municipal wastes. All postings shall be located and maintained to the satisfaction of the Inspector."

Violation: No signs were posted at the water supply, sewage

disposal area, solid waste disposal area nor for the bulky

metal waste disposal area.

2) Part B: Conditions Applying to Water Use

Item 2 states: "The volume of water withdrawn from Water Supply Lake shall not exceed 70,000 cubic metre per year.

Comment: The 1990 Annual Report reported the quantity of water

consumed as being 78,867,881 gallons (359,000 cubic metres). It was brought to Randy Bergen, Senior

Administrative Officer's attention, that they far exceeded the annual allowable. Mr. Bergen then double checked the data and found the data to be erroneous. Mr. Bergen said the correct volume of 40,468 cubic metres will be

submitted as soon as possible.

3) Part C: Conditions Applying to Waste Disposal

Item 2 states: "The Licensee shall dispose of all <u>bagged sewage</u> to a segregated pit at the existing solid waste dump as shown on plans entitled Cambridge Bay Sewage & Solid Waste Disposal Sites, Drawing No. 86-8001 dated August 1986."

Violation: There was no honeybag pit. The honeybags were mixed

in with domestic garbage.

Item 5 states: "Greywater produced in dwellings which use bagged toilet waste disposal may be discharged to the overburden adjacent to the dwelling until such time as alternate facilities have been provided. The Licensee shall within two (2) years of the issuance of the License, submit to the Board a summary plan for eliminating the disposal of greywater adjacent to dwellings."

Violation: There has been no summary plan received to date. It is

long overdue.

Item 6 states: "All pumpout sewage, bagged sewage and solid waste shall be disposed of and disposal facilities operated and maintained to the satisfaction of the Inspector.

Violation: The disposal of pumpout sewage and bagged sewage was

not operated and maintained to the satisfaction of the

Inspector.

4) Part D: Conditions Applying to Modifications

Violation: Items 1, 2 and 3 of this section were not followed for the

modifications to the sewage lagoon and solid waste

disposal site.

5) Surveillance Network Program (SNP)

There were no violations noted under this section of Water Licence N4L4-1532 for the calendar year 1990.

There were no other violations noted concerning compliance with Water Licence N4L4-1532 for the calendar year 1990.