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Sent: Thursday, November 15, 2001 2:50 PM
Subject: E-Coli testing / Coral Harbour

Hi Rita, I'm just writing about the email I received for Two rivers to be tested for E-Coli.

I believe it's not the NWB's mandate to test rivers for E-Coli, but I just want to know if Coral Harbour HTA's request is being treated as an Application to test for E-Coli or as a request to have the tests being done. I don't know how far from the community are these rivers, and if it can affect the community sources of water, but if the HTO is asking for these tests it's because they are concerned... the thing is, about what: Human health ? Animal health ? To my understanding (after talking with Leo of Coral Harbour HTA), they are mostly concerned about human health (the hunters that go caribou hunting near Kirchoffer River (where their main camp is). What authority is doing E-Coli testing ? Is it DIAND ? Then I suggest that this request should be forwarded to the responsible authority, and they should be the one replying to the HTO. And maybe someone could explain to the HTO that E-Coli is in every animals (including human) intestine, so the source of it can be big gathering of caribou or humans camping near the rivers and how dangerous it can be or not be, and that boiling water can make it proper to human consumption.

Thanks you

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Please see attached.

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