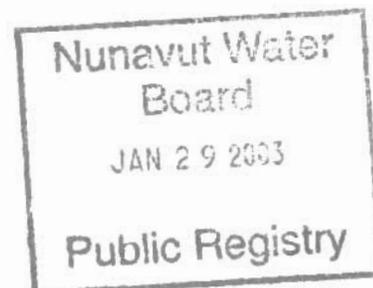


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Hi Jim,

I have a few questions/comments related to the Rankin Inlet/DPW water licence. My understanding is that this licence is for the water treatment and sewage treatment facility...the Hamlet holds the licence for the solid waste disposal site. With this in mind, a few of the conditions might be confusing for the two licensees.

**Part B**

since the solid waste facility is managed by the Hamlet and details of its operation needn't be included in DPW's Annual Report, also DPW should not have to report spills that occur at the Solid Waste Disposal Site

Part C

Rankin Inlet does not have a lagoon, the liquid effluent from the treatment facility is disposed of in the ocean, conditions 3 and 4 should be removed

Part E

the first condition has a small typo "the Nunavut", I'm not sure if they will ever construct dams or dykes but suppose it doesn't hurt to leave this as a condition, the second condition has inconsistent numbering a, ii, iii..., condition 3 should probably refer to condition 2, not 1 (although I notice this is consistent with other municipal licences)

Part G

the items pertaining to leachate prevention and type/source of cover materials are not applicable

The licence does not specifically address the issue of screenings/sludge waste from the sewage treatment plant and a condition should be added to direct these wastes to an approved location within the Hamlet's solid waste disposal site. There are no conditions that address the sewage waste in the Hamlet's licence and this issue should be addressed specifically.

I hope that it is possible to make these changes, please contact me if you have any questions or concerns. Did you receive any comments from either the Hamlet or DPW on their licences?

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