



Stanton Territorial Health Authority
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Sahtu Land & Water Board
P.O. Box 1
Ft. Good Hope, Northwest Territories.
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RE: Land Use Permit Extension Request - S03A-008
Water Licence Renewal Application - S03L1-016
Nogha/Tunago Lake, Sahtu Settlement Area

Dear Sir/Madam:

We request a weekly domestic water bacterial sample to be taken from the furthest point possible from the holding tank. At the time of sampling a chlorine residual test is also to be performed and the result recorded on the requisition form accompanying the bacterial sample. This sample is to be submitted to either the Stanton or Inuvik hospital lab for analysis.

Solid waste incineration is to follow Energy & Natural Resources (ENR) requirements. We are not aware that adequate incineration temperatures can be reached or complete combustion of garbage can be attained.

Sleigh camp sewage must be covered with an adequate amount of soil or sand or else reported as a spill to ENR for each occurrence. Animals & birds must be prevented from utilizing or contacting contaminated waste and the potential of cross-contamination of equipment (snow machines, etc) contacting material and transfer to humans is increased.

Sewage disposal into sumps at the drilling & service rig must be covered and fenced to prevent birds, animals from contacting contaminants and warning people there is a hazard.

There are concerns about capacity and life expectancy of the solid waste sites and lagoons with the potential extra loading.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact Environmental Health Services at 867- 777-7220, 777-7250 or 669-8979.

Regards

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