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CLEAN WATERS ACT 1971

A PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency the Honourable Sir COLIN THOMAS HANNAH, Air Marshal on the Retired List of the Royal Australian Air Force, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Governor in and over the State of Queensland and its Dependencies, in the Commonwealth of Australia.

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C. T. HANNAH,
Governor.

WHEREAS by the *Clean Waters Act 1971*, it is amongst other things enacted that, except as provided in subsection (2) of section 2 thereof, and subject to sections 10 and 11 thereof, the said Act shall come into operation on a date to be fixed by Proclamation by the Governor, published in the *Gazette*: Now, therefore, I, Sir COLIN THOMAS HANNAH, the Governor aforesaid, acting by and with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby fix Thursday, the 1st March, 1973, as the day on which the *Clean Waters Act 1971* shall come into operation, except as provided in subsection (2) of section 2 of the said Act and subject to sections 10 and 11 thereof.

Given under my Hand and Seal at Government House, Brisbane, this twenty-second day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventy-three and in the twenty-second year of Her Majesty's reign.

By Command, H. A. McKECHNIE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

CLEAN WATERS REGULATIONS 1973

Department of Local Government,
Brisbane, 22nd February, 1973.

HIS Excellency the Governor, acting by and with the advice of the Executive Council and in pursuance of the provisions of the *Clean Waters Act 1971*, has been pleased to make the following Regulations.

H. A. McKECHNIE.

CLEAN WATERS REGULATIONS 1973

SHORT TITLE

1. These Regulations may be cited as "Clean Waters Regulations 1973."

INTERPRETATION

2. These Regulations shall come into force on the First day of March, 1973, and shall apply to the whole of the State.
3. In these Regulations, the terms used shall have the meanings respectively assigned to them by section 8 of the Act and unless the contrary intention appears:—

"Act"—means the *Clean Waters Act 1971*;

- "Analyst"—means a person appointed under the *Health Act 1937-1971* as a State analyst or a person registered as a duly qualified analyst under the said Act, and whose name remains upon the register;
- "Domestic sewage"—means faecal matter and urine of human origin, household slops and liquid wastes from sinks, baths and similar fixtures designed for use in private dwellings;
- "Hazardous wastes"—means wastes of such a nature in such quantity and existing in such circumstances as to subject persons or animals to material risk of death, injury or impairment of health or to threaten the pollution or contamination of any waters;
- "Marine toilet"—means, in relation to a vessel, equipment or an appliance designed or used for defecation or urination by humans;
- "Overflow drain"—means a stormwater drain or sewer which is used or is likely to be used to discharge wastes into any waters as a result of accidental damage to works or control equipment, excessive rainfall or other emergency;
- "Poisonous wastes"—means wastes containing poisons prescribed by or under the *Health Act 1937-1971*;
- "Schedule"—means the Schedule to these Regulations;
- "Thermal waste"—means water the temperature of which at the point of discharge is more than 2° Celsius higher than the temperature of the waters into which it is to be discharged;
- "Trade wastes"—means wastes other than domestic sewage and includes plant and animal matter, animal manure, ashes, soil, sand, stone, washings from mineral and coal processing and extractive industries, spoil from dredging, metal, paper, plastics, motor vehicles, chemicals, fat, grease and petroleum products, pesticides, fertilisers, thermal wastes, colouring matter;
- "Water uses"—includes the use of water for agriculture, irrigation, live stock, industry, public water supply, wildlife, navigation, fish and aquatic life, recreation and disposal of wastes, provided that whenever specific water uses are prescribed for any part of any waters the term shall mean such prescribed water uses.

FORMS

4. (i) The Forms set forth in the Schedule hereto shall be used for the purposes for which they are respectively applicable:

Provided that a Form shall not be deemed invalid if it is to the effect of the respectively proper Form in the said Schedule with such modifications as the circumstances may require.

(ii) Where a Form prescribed by these Regulations requires completion by the insertion of particulars or other matters referred to in the Form, those particulars or other matters are prescribed as the particulars or other matters required under the provisions of the Act for the purpose for which the Form is prescribed.

(iii) A Form prescribed by these Regulations shall be completed in accordance with such directions as are specified in the Form as so prescribed or as otherwise prescribed by the Act or these Regulations.

(iv) Where the space provided on a Form for the insertion of particulars or other matters is insufficient, such particulars and other matters shall be set forth in an accompanying document duly identified as part of the Form to which it refers and containing the same declaration as to the truth of the statements therein as is prescribed by the said Form.

APPLICATIONS FOR LICENCES, RENEWALS AND TRANSFERS OF LICENCES

5. (i) An application for a licence pursuant to section 24 of the Act, in respect of the discharge of wastes from any premises to any waters shall be made in Form 1 of the Schedule.

(ii) The applicant shall furnish complete information on Form 1A of the Schedule regarding—

- (a) the quantities, the times and the rates of discharge, and the physical, chemical, biological and radioactive components and characteristics of the wastes to which he desires such licence to apply;
- (b) the control equipment provided or proposed to be provided in relation to such discharge;
- (c) the location or proposed location of such discharge;
- (d) any investigations into the effects of the discharge of such wastes at such location.

(iii) The applicant shall furnish such additional information as the Director considers necessary for the purposes of the prescribed report and recommendation to the Council on the application and such further additional information as the Council may require after consideration of such report and recommendation.

(iv) A licence to discharge wastes to any waters shall apply only to—

- (a) such quantities of wastes, times and rates of discharge thereof;
- (b) wastes possessing such physical, chemical, biological and radioactive components and characteristics;
- (c) such control equipment; and
- (d) such locations;

as are specified in the conditions attached to such licence.

6. (i) An application for a licence pursuant to section 24 of the Act in respect of the transport elsewhere of wastes from any premises for disposal shall be made in Form 2 of the Schedule.

(ii) Such application may be in respect of a single event of transport, a number of such events or a regular practice and the applicant shall provide the prescribed information in respect of each separate event and each regular practice.

(iii) If an application is in relation to the transport of wastes from premises for disposal on or in any land, the applicant shall furnish complete information on Form 2A of the Schedule regarding—

- (a) the quantities, the times and the rates of transport and the physical, chemical, biological and radioactive components and characteristics of the wastes to which he desires such licence to apply;
- (b) the control equipment provided or proposed to be provided in relation to such disposal;
- (c) the method of operation of such disposal;
- (d) the location or proposed location of such disposal;
- (e) any investigations into the effects on any waters of the disposal of such wastes at such location;
- (f) the names and addresses of the persons responsible for the transport and disposal of such wastes if not performed by the occupier.

(iv) If an application is in relation to the transport of wastes from premises for subsequent discharge to any waters, the applicant shall furnish the information prescribed in Form 1A of the Schedule.

(v) The applicant shall furnish such additional information as the Director considers necessary for the purposes of the prescribed report and recommendation to the Council on the application and such other additional information as the Council may require after consideration of such report and recommendation.

(vi) A licence to transport elsewhere wastes for disposal shall be deemed to apply only to—

- (a) such quantities of wastes, times and rates of transport and discharge thereof;

- (b) wastes possessing such physical, chemical, biological and radioactive components and characteristics;
- (c) such control equipment;
- (d) such method of operation; and
- (e) such locations;

as are specified in the conditions attached to such licence.

7. An application for the renewal of a licence shall be made in Form 3 of the Schedule.

If there has been any change in the nature of the wastes to which the licence applies which causes or may cause increased water pollution, an application shall be made for a new licence instead of a renewal.

8. An application for the transfer of a licence shall be made in Form 4 of the Schedule and shall be accompanied by the prescribed fee and the licence.

9. An application for the variation of any condition attached to a licence shall be dealt with as if it were an application for a new licence and the provisions of Regulation 5 or 6 shall apply *mutatis mutandis* to such application.

10. (i) A licence, upon payment of the licence fee, shall be issued in Form 5 of the Schedule.

(ii) A duplicate licence may be issued on payment of the prescribed fee and lodgement of a declaration that the licence has been lost or destroyed or become illegible.

11. The renewal of a licence shall be in Form 6 of the Schedule.

12. The transfer of a licence shall be in Form 7 of the Schedule.

APPLICATION FEES

13. (i) The fee for an application for a licence shall be:—

- (a) *Wastes discharged from premises to water.*—For each 100 cubic metres per day or part thereof \$10.00 with a minimum fee of \$40.00;
- (b) *Wastes transported from premises for disposal elsewhere.*—For each 1 tonne per day or part thereof \$10.00 with a minimum fee of \$40.00;
- (c) *Overflow Drains.*—For each drain \$20.00.

The aggregate of the application fees payable by any person, statutory body or Government Department at any one time in respect of any number of discharges or transportations from any premises at any one location shall not exceed \$1,200. A Local Authority shall be charged one composite fee irrespective of the number of licences applied for.

(ii) For the purpose of calculating the fee the quantity per day shall be the maximum quantity likely to be discharged during a day.

(iii) The fee for an application for the review of a decision of the Council under section 24 (4) of the Act shall be \$200.00.

(iv) The fee for an application for the transfer of a licence shall be \$20.00.

(v) The fee for the variation of any condition attached to a licence shall be \$40.00.

ANNUAL FEES

14. (i) The fee for a licence or any renewal thereof for any year shall be—

- (a) *Wastes discharged from premises to water.*—For each 100 cubic metres per day or part thereof \$15.00 with a minimum of \$60.00.
- (b) *Wastes transported from premises for disposal elsewhere.*—For each 1 tonne per day or part thereof \$15.00 with a minimum of \$60.00.
- (c) *Overflow drains.*—For each drain \$50.00.

(ii) For the purpose of calculating the fee the quantity per day shall be the maximum quantity likely to be discharged during a day.

(iii) The aggregate of the fees payable by any person, statutory body or Government Department in respect of any number of discharges or transports from any premises at the one location shall not exceed \$2,000. A Local Authority shall be charged one composite fee irrespective of the number of licences held.

(iv) Where an application for a licence is granted, the application fee paid in respect of that application shall be set off against the licence fee or part thereof payable in respect of the year for which the licence was granted, and, where the application fee paid exceeds such licence fee or part thereof, no licence fee shall be payable for that year.

OTHER FEES

15. (i) The fee for a duplicate licence shall be \$20.00.

(ii) The fee to accompany notification under section 32 of the Act shall be—

- (a) section 32 (a)—\$50.00.
- (b) section 32 (b)—\$100.00.

NOTICES UNDER SECTION 25 OF THE ACT

16. (i) A notice authorising the occupier of any premises to discharge wastes to any waters or to transport elsewhere wastes for disposal shall be made in Form 8 of the Schedule.

(ii) Such notice shall expire at the end of the period specified in the notice or on the date of issue of a licence, whichever is the sooner.

APPLICATIONS FOR THE REVIEW OF A DECISION OF THE COUNCIL

17. (i) An application for the review of a decision of the Council regarding the conditions of a licence, a notice under section 25 of the Act, the refusal to grant, renew or transfer a licence or the revocation of any condition of a licence shall be made in Form 9 of the Schedule and accompanied by the prescribed fee.

(ii) The applicant shall submit information including technical information prepared by a qualified engineer, or a scientist, acceptable to the Council, regarding—

- (a) such alternative conditions as he considers would be as effective for the purposes of the Act as the conditions determined by the Council; or

(b) such conditions as he considers would, if attached to a licence, permit compliance with the requirements of the Act.

(iii) The applicant shall furnish such additional information as the Director considers necessary for the purposes of the prescribed report and recommendation to the Council on the application and such other additional information as the Council may require after consideration of such report and recommendation.

REGISTERS

18. The Council shall cause to be kept the following registers:—

(i) A register of licences and exemptions which shall contain the following information concerning each licence:—

Licence number

Date of issue

Name of licensee

Address of licensee

Address of premises to which the licence applies

Dates of any transfers of licence

Name and address of persons to whom the licence was transferred on each occasion

Dates of any variations or revocations of conditions

Dates of any renewals of the licence

Amount of the licence fee and the fee for renewal each year

Dates of suspension and reinstatement of a licence

Date of cancellation of licence

Date of return of licence

Date of issue of any duplicate licence

Date of granting of any exemption

Date of expiry or revocation of any exemption;

(ii) A register of notices issued under section 25 of the Act and exemptions applying to such notices which shall contain the following information:—

Notice number

Date of issue

Name of person to whom issued

Address of person to whom issued

Address of premises to which the notice applies

Period to which the notice applies

Time fixed for application for a licence

Date of application for a licence

Date of issue of a licence

Licence number

Date of expiry or cancellation of notice

Date of granting of any exemption

Date of expiry or revocation of any exemption;

(iii) Any action taken under sections 34 or 35 of the Act shall be entered in the register of licences or notices as appropriate;

(iv) Any convictions under the Act or these Regulations shall be entered in the register of licences or notices as appropriate.

NOTIFICATION BY LOCAL AUTHORITY REGARDING WASTE REMOVAL

19. (i) Notification under section 36 of the Act shall be made by the Local Authority in Form 10 of the Schedule.

(ii) The Local Authority shall furnish information on Form 10A of the Schedule regarding the transport, storage, treatment or disposal of wastes including—

- (a) any investigations into the effects on any waters of the disposal of wastes at the proposed site;
- (b) the physical, chemical, biological and radioactive components and characteristics of and the quantities of any trade wastes which it proposes to accept;
- (c) the proposed method of operation of such transport, storage, treatment or disposal of wastes to avoid water pollution;
- (d) the control equipment provided or proposed to be provided;

(iii) The Local Authority shall furnish such additional information as the Director considers necessary for the purposes of the prescribed report and recommendation to the Council on the application and such other additional information as the Council may require after consideration of such report and recommendation.

(iv) The Council shall advise the Local Authority and the Director-General of Health and Medical Services appointed under the *Health Act 1937-1971* of any condition regarding water pollution control imposed by the Council pursuant to section 36 of the Act.

NOTIFICATION UNDER SECTION 32 OF THE ACT

20. (i) Notification under section 32 of the Act shall be made by an occupier in Form 11 of the Schedule and accompanied by the prescribed fee.

(ii) The occupier shall provide such other information, plans and specifications as the Director may require for the purposes of assessing the proposal and making any report and recommendation to the Council.

(iii) If the Director is satisfied that the proposal is in accordance with the Act and Regulations, he may advise the occupier accordingly.

(iv) If the Director considers that additional requirements are necessary, he shall make a report and recommendation to the Council and advise the occupier accordingly.

(v) The Council after considering such report and recommendations shall notify the occupier of its requirements.

NOTIFICATION OF ACCIDENTS, ETC.

21. (i) The occupier of any premises shall ensure that all employees are instructed in procedures to avoid accidental discharges of wastes, to remove, disperse or destroy any wastes accidentally discharged to any waters and to otherwise prevent, abate or mitigate any water pollution caused by any accidental discharge of wastes.

(ii) The occupier of any premises shall furnish to the Director any information concerning an accidental discharge of wastes which causes or is likely to cause water pollution and shall comply with any reasonable requirements of the Director for the prevention, abatement or mitigation of any such water pollution.

(iii) The Director shall, if he considers such action necessary, report the circumstances of any such accidental discharge to the Minister, recommending action under section 35 of the Act.

COLLECTION OF SAMPLES AND MEASUREMENT OF WASTES

22. (1) Sampling, testing and measurement of wastes for the purposes of ascertaining whether any of the provisions of the Act and Regulations or any conditions attached to a licence, an exemption or notice are being or have been complied with shall be done at the location prescribed in the conditions attached to such licence, notice or exemption or, if no such location has been prescribed, at the location determined by the Director.

(ii) The locations for sampling, testing and measurement of wastes for other purposes shall be selected by the inspector after consultation with the occupier.

(iii) An inspector intending to take samples and make tests for the purpose of ascertaining whether any of the provisions of the Act or any conditions attached to a licence, an exemption, or a notice, are being or have been complied with, shall observe the following requirements:—

- (a) he shall notify the occupier of the premises or the person in charge or apparently in charge of the premises of his intention to take any sample or make any test or make any measurement and invite him to be present at the taking of such sample or the making of such test or measurement;
- (b) he shall there and then divide any sample taken by him into three parts in such a manner that the three parts shall be as equally representative of the whole as is practicable and cause each part to be placed in a container which is sealed and marked, provided that where the properties of the sample would be affected by such division or where it is not practicable to make the sample homogeneous prior to such division, three separate samples may be taken as equal as practicable;
- (c) he shall deliver one part to the occupier or person aforesaid, retain one part for future comparison and, if the Director so determines, he shall submit one part to an analyst;
- (d) he shall deliver to the occupier or person aforesaid a copy of the results of any test or measurement made;

Provided that if it is not reasonably practicable for the inspector to notify the occupier or person in charge as required by paragraph (a) of this sub-regulation before taking any sample or making any test or measurement, he shall notify such occupier or person in charge as soon as is reasonably practicable thereafter.

PRESERVATION AND ANALYSIS OF SAMPLES

23. (i) The manner of collection of samples, the size of samples, the types of containers and the method of preservation between the time of sampling and the time of analysis shall, unless otherwise prescribed, be in accordance with the Instructions for Collection and Preservation of Samples from time to time approved by the Council and available for inspection at the office of the Director.

(ii) The methods of analysis of samples shall, unless otherwise prescribed, be the Methods of Analysis from time to time approved by the Council and available for inspection at the office of the Director, provided that procedural details may be varied if, in the opinion of the analyst, such variations are necessary and do not significantly affect the results of the analysis and he certifies accordingly.

(iii) The terms biochemical oxygen demand, suspended solids, dissolved oxygen and any other technical terms in relation to water or wastes which are not defined in the Act or in these Regulations shall have such meanings as apply to those terms in the aforesaid Methods of Analysis.

WATER QUALITY CRITERIA

24. Water quality criteria shall, unless otherwise prescribed, be those approved from time to time by the Council and set out in the document available for inspection at the office of the Director.

GENERAL STANDARDS

25. (a) Where, in the opinion of the Council, records of the quality and flow of the receiving waters show that, without the effects of the discharge or proposed discharge of any waste, the dissolved oxygen level is likely to exceed 90% saturation, the biochemical oxygen demand is unlikely to exceed 2 milligrams per litre, the effective dilution of the wastes is unlikely to fall below eight times the waste flow and that the discharge of such wastes is unlikely to reduce the dissolved oxygen level of the receiving waters below 5 milligrams per litre, then the following standards shall apply to the biochemical oxygen demand, suspended solids and dissolved oxygen content of such waste—

the 5 day biochemical oxygen demand shall not exceed 20 milligrams per litre;

the suspended solids shall not exceed 30 milligrams per litre;

the dissolved oxygen shall not be less than 2 milligrams per litre;

(b) The wastes shall not contain any matter or organisms in concentrations which make or which, in the opinion of the Council, are likely to make the waters less fit for other water uses when account is taken of the effective dilution and quality of the receiving waters.

(c) The wastes shall not have any properties which make or which, in the opinion of the Council, are likely to make the waters less fit for other water uses when account is taken of the effective dilution and quality of the receiving waters.

(d) The effective dilution and quality in a non-tidal stream shall be based on the calculated minimum consecutive 7 day average flow with a 10 year recurrence interval of such average flow, provided that, when sufficient records are unavailable for such calculations, the Council may adopt predictions of flow and quality based on available records.

(e) The effective dilution and quality in a tidal stream shall be obtained in the same manner as for non-tidal streams taking into account the predicted effects of tides and sea water intrusion.

SPECIFIC STANDARDS

26. (a) In any case where the Council considers that the observance of the general standard set out in Regulation 25 (a) will not ensure that the receiving waters will be fit for some other water use, the Council shall determine such other standards for the waste discharge which, in its opinion, will ensure that such receiving waters will be fit for such water use.

(b) In any case where the Council considers that the observance of a less stringent standard than the general standard set out in Regulation 25 (a) will ensure that the receiving waters will be fit for all other water uses, the Council may determine other standards for the waste discharge which, in its opinion, will ensure that such receiving waters will be fit for such water uses and may determine the periods during which such less stringent standards shall apply.

(c) In any case where the Council considers such action to be necessary or desirable, it may determine specific limits for the concentrations of any of the matters or organisms referred to in Regulation 25 (b) and for any of the properties referred to in Regulation 25 (c).

(d) In any case where Regulation 25 (a) does not apply, the Council shall determine specific standards for the waste discharge.

(e) In considering an application for a licence or the renewal of a licence or the transfer of a licence for the discharge or disposal of wastes the Council shall have special regard to—

- (i) the requirements of any prescribed water quality plans and objectives;
- (ii) any recommendations of the Environmental Control Council;
- (iii) the desirability of preserving the quality of the waters at the existing level;
- (iv) the desirability of restoring the quality of the waters to a higher level;
- (v) the desirability of ensuring that the best practicable available treatment or control of wastes is employed;
- (vi) the desirability of making provision for future waste discharges;
- (vii) the combined effects of the discharge or disposal of wastes and other discharges and disposals of wastes on the waters;
- (viii) effects of periods of no flow in the watercourse;

and shall determine whether the general standard shall apply or whether and what specific standards shall be attached to the licence, the renewed licence or the transferred licence and shall also determine whether and in what manner the standards attached to any other licence shall be varied.

WASTE DISCHARGE FROM VESSELS

27. (a) Any wastes discharged from any vessel operating in non-tidal waters shall comply with the General Standard prescribed in Regulation 25 unless the Council shall have prescribed other standards under Regulation 26.

(b) Any vessel operating in non-tidal waters which is not equipped with control equipment capable of complying with the standard prescribed pursuant to sub-regulation (a) of this Regulation shall—

- (i) have a container of sufficient size to hold all wastes likely to be produced during any trip;
- (ii) have any marine toilet or other wastes discharge apparatus modified to discharge into such container and so that wastes are not discharged to any waters.

The wastes from such container shall be deposited into the local authority sewerage or other approved works for waste treatment and disposal.

(c) The time for compliance with this Regulation shall be one year after the commencement of these Regulations.

PROTECTION OF EQUIPMENT

28. A person shall not damage, mark, efface or interfere with in any manner whatsoever any equipment, apparatus, sign, notice, vessel or structure used or installed in connection with any licence or for any other purpose in connection with the Act.

OVERFLOW DRAINS

29. (a) A person shall not discharge wastes from any premises by means of an overflow drain except as the result of accidental damage, excessive rainfall or other emergency situation.

(b) The occupier of any premises at which an overflow drain is provided shall ensure that any prescribed control equipment is installed and operated and that any conditions and requirements imposed by the Council are observed at all times; provided that, where no control equipment has been prescribed and no conditions or requirements have been imposed, the occupier shall take all practicable measures to avoid any discharge and to minimise adverse effects on the receiving waters.

(c) In any case where a discharge occurs from an overflow drain at any premises the occupier of the premises shall take all practicable steps to stop or reduce such discharge.

OFFENCES

30. (i) When any matter or thing is by these Regulations directed or forbidden to be done, and such act so directed to be done remains undone, or such act so forbidden to be done, is done, in every such case every person offending against such direction or prohibition shall be guilty of an offence against these Regulations.

(ii) Any person guilty of an offence against these Regulations shall be liable, if no specific penalty is provided for that offence, to a penalty not exceeding four hundred dollars and if the offence is a continuing one, a further sum of forty dollars for each and every day during which the offence continues.

SCHEDULE

(Form 1)

WATER QUALITY COUNCIL OF QUEENSLAND

Clean Waters Act 1971

Clean Waters Regulations 1973 (Regulation 5)

APPLICATION FOR LICENCE TO DISCHARGE WASTES

I, _____, hereby apply for a licence to discharge wastes from premises situated at _____, into waters described as _____ at the location shown on the plan attached to this application.

The occupier of the premises for the purpose of the Act ^{*is} _____ ^{*will be} _____

The address for correspondence will be _____

The premises ^{*are being} used for _____, and I attach herewith written ^{*will be} _____

evidence from the Local Authority of the Area in which the premises are situated verifying that the use of such premises for the above-mentioned purposes will not contravene any town-planning scheme, Order in Council, Ordinance or By-law made by such Local Authority respecting the use or development of land.

The nature of the wastes ^{*is} _____ as fully described in the report ^{*will be} _____ attached to this application in Form 1A.

The proposed method of treatment and disposal of the wastes is _____ and is more fully described in the said report attached to this application.

Written evidence is enclosed from the Local Authority of the Area in which the premises are situated verifying that the Local Authority will not permit the discharge of the wastes into its sewerage.

The prescribed fee of \$ _____ is enclosed.

I declare that the statements made in this application are true.

Signed:

Position:

Date:

To The Secretary,
Water Quality Council of Queensland,
C/- Department of Local Government,
Brisbane.

*Delete whichever is inapplicable.

(Form 1A)

WATER QUALITY COUNCIL OF QUEENSLAND

Clean Waters Act 1971

Clean Waters Regulations 1973 (Regulation 5)

REPORT ATTACHED TO APPLICATION FOR LICENCE TO DISCHARGE WASTES

Complete information is required regarding:—

- (a) The quantities, the times and the rates of discharge and the physical, chemical, biological and radioactive components and characteristics of the wastes to which it is desired that the licence apply;
- (b) The control equipment provided or proposed to be provided in relation to such discharge;
- (c) The location or proposed location of such discharge;
- (d) Any investigations into the effects of the discharge of such wastes on such location.

(If insufficient space, attach further sheets)

Signed:

Position:

Date:

(Form 2)

WATER QUALITY COUNCIL OF QUEENSLAND

Clean Waters Act 1971

Clean Waters Regulations 1973 (Regulation 6)

APPLICATION FOR LICENCE TO TRANSPORT WASTES

I, _____, hereby apply for a licence to transport elsewhere wastes from premises situated at _____ for disposal at the location shown on the plan attached to this application.

The occupier of the premises for the purpose of the Act ^{*is} _{*will be} _____.

The address for correspondence will be _____.

The premises ^{*are being} _{*will be} used for _____, and I attach herewith written evidence from the Local Authority of the Area in which the premises and the location aforesaid are situated verifying that the use of such premises or location for the abovementioned purposes will not contravene any town-planning scheme, Order in Council, Ordinance or By-law made by such Local Authority respecting the use or development of land.

The nature of the wastes ^{*is} _{*will be} _____ as fully described in the report attached to this application in Form 2A.

The proposed method of treatment and disposal of the wastes is by _____ and is more fully described in the said report attached to this application.

Written evidence is attached from the Local Authority of the Area in which the premises are situated verifying that the Local Authority will not undertake the transport and disposal of the wastes elsewhere.

The prescribed fee of \$ _____ is enclosed.

I declare that the statements made in this application are true.

Signed: _____

Position: _____

Date: _____

To The Secretary,
Water Quality Council of Queensland,
C/- Department of Local Government,
Brisbane.

*Delete whichever is inapplicable.

(Form 2A)

WATER QUALITY COUNCIL OF QUEENSLAND

Clean Waters Act 1971

Clean Waters Regulations 1973 (Regulation 5)

REPORT ATTACHED TO APPLICATION FOR LICENCE TO TRANSPORT WASTES

Complete information is required regarding:—

- (a) The quantities, the times and the rates of transport and the physical, chemical, biological and radioactive components and characteristics of the wastes to which it is desired that the licence apply;
- (b) The control equipment provided or proposed to be provided in relation to such disposal;
- (c) The method of operation of such disposal;
- (d) The location or proposed location of such disposal;
- (e) Any investigations into the effects on any water of the disposal of such wastes on such location;
- (f) The names and addresses of the persons responsible for the transport and disposal of such wastes if not performed by the occupier.

(If insufficient space, attach further sheets)

Signed: _____

Position: _____

Date: _____

Clean Waters Regulations 1973

(Form 3)

WATER QUALITY COUNCIL OF QUEENSLAND

Clean Waters Act 1971

Clean Waters Regulations 1973 (Regulation 7)

APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL OF LICENCE

I, _____, being the holder of licence number _____ issued under the Clean Waters Act 1971 in respect of premises situated at _____ hereby apply for the renewal of the abovementioned licence.

There has been no change in the nature or quantity of the wastes in respect of which the licence was granted, except for _____ (If no changes, write 'NIL').

(An application for a new licence is required if there is any change in the nature and quantity of the wastes which causes or may cause increased water pollution.)

The prescribed fee of \$ _____ is enclosed.

I declare that the statements made in this application are true.

Signed: _____

Position: _____

Date: _____

To The Secretary,
Water Quality Council of Queensland,
C/- Department of Local Government,
Brisbane.

(Form 4)

WATER QUALITY COUNCIL OF QUEENSLAND

Clean Waters Act 1971

Clean Waters Regulations 1973 (Regulation 8)

APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER OF LICENCE

I, _____, hereby apply for the transfer to me of licence number _____ issued under the Clean Waters Act 1971 to _____, in respect of premises situated at _____.

The occupier of the premises for the purposes of the Act will be _____.

The address for correspondence will be _____.

There has been no change in the nature or quantity of the wastes in respect of which the licence was granted, except for _____ (If no changes write 'NIL').

An application for a new licence is required if there is any change in the nature of the wastes which causes or may cause increased water pollution.)

The prescribed transfer fee of \$ _____ and the abovementioned licence number _____ are enclosed.

I declare that the statements made in this application are true.

Signed: _____

Position: _____

Date: _____

And I, _____, in whose name the said licence was issued, hereby consent to the transfer of the said licence number _____ to the said _____.

Signed: _____

Date: _____

To The Secretary,
Water Quality Council of Queensland,
C/- Department of Local Government,
Brisbane.

(Form 5)

WATER QUALITY COUNCIL OF QUEENSLAND

Clean Waters Act 1971

Clean Waters Regulations 1973 (Regulation 10)

LICENCE No.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Clean Waters Act 1971 this licence is issued to , of , in respect of , from premises situated at , of which premises the said is the occupier.

This licence is granted and is in all respects subject to the said Act and Regulations made thereunder and shall take effect from the day of , 19 , and shall expire on the thirtieth day of June, 19 , unless sooner suspended or cancelled.

This licence is subject to the conditions set out in the Schedule hereunder and applies only to the wastes described in such Schedule.

SCHEDULE

Signed:

For and on behalf of
The Water Quality Council of Queensland.

Date:

(Form 6)

WATER QUALITY COUNCIL OF QUEENSLAND

Clean Waters Act 1971

Clean Waters Regulations 1973 (Regulation 11)

RENEWAL OF LICENCE No.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Clean Waters Act 1971 licence number , issued to , of , is renewed.

This renewal of licence is granted and is in all respects subject to the said Act and Regulations made thereunder and shall expire on the thirtieth day of June, 19 , unless sooner suspended or cancelled.

This renewal of licence is granted subject to the conditions set out in the Schedule hereunder.

SCHEDULE

Signed:

For and on behalf of
The Water Quality Council of Queensland.

Date:

Clean Waters Regulations 1973

(Form 7)

WATER QUALITY COUNCIL OF QUEENSLAND

Clean Waters Act 1971

Clean Waters Regulations 1973 (Regulation 12)

TRANSFER OF LICENCE NO.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Clean Waters Act 1971 licence number is transferred to of who is the new occupier of the premises in respect of which the said licence was issued.

This transfer of licence is granted and is in all respects subject to the said Act and Regulations made thereunder.

This transfer of licence is granted subject to the conditions set out in the Schedule hereunder.

SCHEDULE

Signed:

For and on behalf of The Water Quality Council of Queensland.

Date:

(Form 8)

WATER QUALITY COUNCIL OF QUEENSLAND

Clean Waters Act 1971 (Section 25)

Clean Waters Regulations 1973

NOTICE AUTHOURISING DISCHARGE OR TRANSPORT OF WASTES NOTICE NO.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Clean Waters Act 1971 this notice is issued to of in respect of from premises situated at of which premises the said is the occupier.

The said is hereby authorised to from the said premises for a period of from the date of this notice subject to compliance with the conditions set out in the Schedule hereunder and to the said lodging an application for a licence under the Act in respect of the said premises within of the date of this notice.

This notice is issued and is in all respects subject to the said Act and Regulations made thereunder and shall expire on the day of 19 , unless sooner suspended or cancelled.

SCHEDULE

Signed:

For and on behalf of The Water Quality Council of Queensland.

Date:

(Form 10)

WATER QUALITY COUNCIL OF QUEENSLAND

Clean Waters Act 1971

Clean Waters Regulations 1973 (Regulation 19)

NOTIFICATION BY LOCAL AUTHORITY UNDER SECTION 36 OF THE ACT

Notice is hereby given of the intention of the Council of _____ to

*undertake the _____ of wastes other than by sewerage as from
 *contract for the _____
 *transportation
 *storage
 *treatment
 *disposal

the _____ day of _____, 19 _____.

The site of the proposed disposal area is _____ as shown on the attached plan.

Attached to this notification are:—

- (a) A plan and report describing the physical features of the site; its distance from the nearest waters; the depth of the water table and any impermeable strata; the proposed finished contours of any landfill; the proposed method of diverting stormwater and excluding floodwaters and tidal waters; any discharge to any waters; precautions to avoid water pollution.
- (b) The proposed method of control over trade wastes which will be accepted by the Local Authority for disposal at the abovementioned site.

Signed: _____

Position: _____

For and on behalf of the Council.

Date: _____

To The Secretary,
 Water Quality Council of Queensland,
 C/- Department of Local Government,
 Brisbane.

*Delete whichever is inapplicable.

(Form 10a)

WATER QUALITY COUNCIL OF QUEENSLAND

Clean Waters Act 1971

Clean Waters Regulations 1973 (Regulation 19)

INFORMATION TO ACCOMPANY NOTIFICATION UNDER SECTION 36

Information is required regarding

- (a) Any investigation into the effects on any waters of the disposal of wastes at the proposed site;
- (b) The physical, chemical, biological and radioactive components and characteristics of and the quantities of any trade wastes which it proposes to accept;
- (c) The proposed method of operation of transport, storage, treatment or disposal of wastes to avoid water pollution;
- (d) The control equipment provided or proposed to be provided;
 (If insufficient space, attach further sheets)

Signed: _____

Position: _____

Date: _____

(Form 11)

WATER QUALITY COUNCIL OF QUEENSLAND

Clean Waters Act 1971

Clean Waters Regulations 1973 (Regulation 20)

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 32 OF THE ACT

I, _____, being the occupier of the premises situated at _____, hereby advise the Council of my intention to _____.

(a) alter the method of operation of the _____

 the said premises.

or—

(b) alter the method of operation of the _____

 on the said premises for the purpose of prevention, abatement or mitigation of water pollution.

or—

(c) instal _____

 prevention, abatement or mitigation of water pollution.

or—

(d) _____ the _____

 purpose of prevention, abatement or mitigation of water pollution.

I intend to commence such _____ on the _____ day
 of _____, 19 _____.

Full details including two copies of a plan and specification of the above-mentioned alterations, installations and replacements are attached to this notice.

I _____
 _____ in respect of such premises.

I attach herewith written evidence from the Local Authority of the Area in which the premises are situated verifying that the use of such premises for the above-mentioned purposes will not contravene any town-planning scheme, Order in Council, Ordinance or By-law made by such Local Authority respecting the use or development of land.

The prescribed fee of \$ _____ is enclosed.

I declare that the statements made in this application are true.

Signed: _____

Position: _____

Date: _____

To The Secretary,
 Water Quality Council of Queensland,
 C/- Department of Local Government,
 Brisbane.

*Delete whichever is inapplicable.