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Secure Energy Services Inc.  
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Dear Secure Energy Services Inc.,

**Re: Warning Letter**

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On December 6, 2024, Ministry of Environment and Climate Change Strategy (Ministry) Environmental Protection Officer Rebecca Benham (Ministry Staff), conducted an on-site inspection of Secure Energy Services Inc.'s (Secure) waste management facility (Facility) located northeast of Dawson Creek, British Columbia, to verify compliance with Permit 103980 (Permit) and the the Hazardous Waste Regulation (HWR). The inspection record for compliance with Permit 103980 was issued in on January 28, 2025 and is referenced with report number 235734. This report assesses compliance with the HWR.

Present during the inspection were Ryan Albrecht (Facility Manager, Secure), Jacob Langlois (Lead Operator, Secure), Charles (Chuck) Spencer (Supervisor Operator, Secure), Corey Eisner (Operator One, Secure), Caitty Petersen (Compliance and Enforcement Officer, Ministry Emergency Response (BCER)) and Mike Lemcke (Senior Environmental Protection Officer, Ministry Authorizations and Remediation Branch (ARB)). Peter Nelson (Team Lead, Secure) provided follow-up information after the inspection.

Failure to comply with the requirements set out in the Hazardous Waste Regulation is an offence. The applicable offence. The applicable offence section(s) of the Environmental Management Act (EMA) and/or its regulations state(s) as follows:

*EMA 120 (3) A person who contravenes any of the following commits an offence and is liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding \$1000000 or imprisonment for not more than 6 months, or both:*

- (a) section 6 (2), (3) or (4) [waste disposal];*
- (b) section 7 (1) or (2) [hazardous waste confinement];*
- (c) section 8 [hazardous waste disposal facility];*
- (d) section 9 (1) or (4) [hazardous waste storage and disposal];*
- (e) section 76.2 [management of greenhouse gases at waste management facilities];*

*EMA 120 (12) A person who contravenes a requirement of the regulations respecting hazardous waste commits an offence and is liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding \$1000000 or imprisonment for not more than 6 months, or both.*

As an alternative to prosecution of the offence referenced above, the Ministry may initiate action to impose an administrative penalty against Secure Energy Services Inc.. The Administrative Penalties Regulation (EMA) (B.C. Reg. 133/2014) (APR) was brought into force in 2014. The APR describes the prescribed provisions of EMA as well as that of specified regulations under which administrative penalties can be assigned. The applicable section(s) of the APR state(s) as follows:

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12 (1) A person who contravenes section 6 (2), (3) or (4), 7, 8, 9 (1) or (4), 11, 25 (2), 40 (1), (2), (6) or (7), 40.1 (2), 48 (8), (10) or (15), 55 (1), 72 (1) or (2), 76.2, 91.11 (1) (a) or (4), 91.2 (2) or 91.41 (4) of the Act is liable to an administrative penalty not exceeding \$75 000.

The Ministry requests that Secure Energy Services Inc. immediately implement the necessary changes or modifications to correct the non-compliance(s) listed below. Further, the Ministry requests that Secure Energy Services Inc. notify this office in writing, by email or letter within 30 days of the receipt of this letter, advising what corrective measures have been taken, and what else is being done, to prevent similar non-compliances in the future.

Please submit the response to the Ministry's Compliance Mailbox at: [EnvironmentalCompliance@gov.bc.ca](mailto:EnvironmentalCompliance@gov.bc.ca).

As a result of this Warning, this authorization will be prioritized for follow-up inspection. The corrective measures will be reviewed by an Officer as part of the next inspection.

Finally, if you fail to take the necessary actions to restore compliance, you may be subject to escalating enforcement action. This Warning Letter and the alleged violations and circumstances to which it refers, will form part of the compliance history of Secure Energy Services Inc. and will be taken into account in the event of future violations.

### Inspection Details:

The inspection period for this report is from March 7, 2023 to March 7, 2025 (Inspection Period) and included a review of the following documents:

- "2023-2024 Manifests (Rescanned)" sent by Peter Nelson and received by the Ministry on February 21, 2025 (2023-2024 Manifests)
- "RE: 2025-02-12 Information Gathering [Secure Energy Services Inc.] Haz Waste" sent by Peter Nelson and received by the Ministry on February 18, 2025 (Information Response Email);
- "MI-ER-STN-0027 NORM Screening (Waste)" prepared by Secure, sent by Peter Nelson and received by the Ministry on January 23, 2025 (NORM Screening);
- "MI-ER-STN-0001 - Process Solids Management" prepared by Secure, sent by Peter Nelson and received by the Ministry on January 23, 2025 (Process Solids Management);
- "MI-ER-STN-0004 - BC Injection Water Sampling" prepared by Secure, sent by Peter Nelson and received by the Ministry on January 23, 2025 (BC Injection Water Sampling);
- "Worksafe Report" prepared by WorkSafe, sent by Peter Nelson and received by the Ministry on January 23, 2025 (2024 WorkSafe Report);
- "Worksafe Closure" prepared by WorkSafe, sent by Peter Nelson and received by the Ministry on January 23, 2025 (2024 WorkSafe Closure Report);
- "Operations Plan" prepared by Secure, sent by Peter Nelson and received by the Ministry on December 13, 2024 (2010 Operational Plan);
- "DCFST Injection Water Analytical" prepared by Bureau Veritas, sent by Peter Nelson and received by the Ministry on December 13, 2024 (2024 Injection Well Analytical);
- "Dawson- B11-04 Disposal Order 11-02-008" prepared by Ron Stefik on August 1, 2017, received by the Ministry on December 13, 2024 (B11-04 Disposal Order);
- "2023 AnnRpt (008)" prepared by Secure, sent by Peter Nelson and received by the Ministry on March 22, 2024 (2023 Annual Report); and
- "2022 AnnRpt (003)" prepared by Secure, sent by Peter Nelson and received by the Ministry on March 31, 2023 (2022 Annual Report).

The following sections of the HWR were assessed for compliance as part of this inspection: 4(1)(a), 4(1)(c), 5 (1)(a), 5(4)(a), 5(4)(b), 5(4)(c), 5(4)(d), 5(4)(e), 5(5)(c), 9(3)(a), 10(a), 14(1), 17(1)(a), 17(1)(b), 29(2)(a)(i), 43(1) and 43(2). Only sections that have been found to be out of compliance or require further action to be taken have been included in the report.

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# Compliance Assessment

Below are the requirements that were assessed for compliance during this inspection, as well as the associated details/findings and any actions required.

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## Requirement Description:

### Environmental Management Act, Environmental Management Act

8: A person must not construct, establish, alter, enlarge, extend, use or operate a facility for the treatment, recycling, storage, disposal or destruction of a hazardous waste except in accordance with the regulations.

## Details/Findings:

Secure has failed to comply with Sections 5 (1)(a), 5 (4), 9 (3)(a), 29 (2) and 43 (2) of the HWR and has operated the Facility for the treatment and storage of hazardous waste in a manner that is not in accordance with the HWR.

## Compliance:

Out

## Actions to be taken:

Secure must operate the Facility in accordance with the HWR.

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## Requirement Description:

### Environmental Management Act, Hazardous Waste Regulation (63/88) (EMA)

4 (1)(a): Before beginning the construction or installation of a hazardous waste facility, the owner must obtain approval of any of the following that apply: (a) plans and specifications of new works;

## Details/Findings:

Ministry Staff reviewed the Ministry's internal filing system and any correspondence with the Ministry and could not determine if Secure has an approved plans and specification of new works under HWR, therefore, compliance with Section 4 could not be determined for the Inspection Period.

## Compliance:

Not Determined

## Actions to be taken:

Contact the Ministry's Authorizations and Remediation Branch to ensure the Plans and Specifications are approved under the HWR. Information on Hazardous Waste can be located here: <https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/environment/waste-management/hazardous-waste>. A contact form for enquires regarding authorizations can be located here: <https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/environment/waste-management/waste-discharge-authorization/contact>

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## Requirement Description:

### Environmental Management Act, Hazardous Waste Regulation (63/88) (EMA)

4 (1)(c): Before beginning the construction or installation of a hazardous waste facility, the owner must obtain approval of any of the following that apply: (c) a new operational plan;

## Details/Findings:

Ministry Staff reviewed the Ministry's internal filing system and did not locate the plans and specifications that were approved under the HWR for the Facility. Ministry Staff did locate some plans and specifications in the Permit file; however, Ministry Staff could not determine if the plans and specifications of new works under HWR, were approved before beginning construction or installation of the hazardous waste facility.

## Compliance:

Not Determined

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**Actions to be taken:**

Contact the Ministry's Authorizations and Remediation Branch to ensure the Plans and Specifications are approved under the HWR. Links to contact that branch can be located in the actions listed in Section 4 (1)(a).

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**Requirement Description:****Environmental Management Act, Hazardous Waste Regulation (63/88) (EMA)**

5 (1)(a): An owner of a facility must not accept, handle, store, treat, destroy or dispose of hazardous waste at the facility or allow it to be accepted, handled, stored, treated, destroyed or disposed of at the facility without taking reasonable measures to identify all hazards associated with the hazardous waste through (a) physical, chemical or biological analyses

**Details/Findings:**

Ministry Staff reviewed the 2023-2024 Manifests and confirmed that the Facility accepts hazardous wastes. Ministry Staff also reviewed the 2023 Annual Report and observed that on April 27, 2023, the Facility received eight tonnes of hazardous waste which were brought in on manifest #BC156264-6, and deposited on the solids pad. During the on-site inspection, Ministry Staff were informed by the Plant Manager that the Facility conducts analytical samples, on wastes disposed from the solids pad, up to twice a year. The 2023 and 2024 Annual Reports confirmed that wastes have been transported from the Facility for disposal at a greater frequency than semi-annually. Secure is not taking reasonable measures to identify all hazards associated with the hazardous waste through physical, chemical or biological analyses prior to disposal of the wastes; therefore, Secure is out of compliance with Section 5 (1)(a).

**Compliance:**

Out

**Actions to be taken:**

Secure must not accept, handle, store, treat, destroy or dispose of hazardous waste at the facility or allow it to be accepted, handled, stored, treated, destroyed or disposed of at the facility without taking reasonable measures to identify all hazards associated with the hazardous waste through (a) physical, chemical or biological analyses.

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**Requirement Description:****Environmental Management Act, Hazardous Waste Regulation (63/88) (EMA)**

5 (4): Where the quantity of hazardous waste received at a hazardous waste facility is either: (a) 5 percent greater than, or (b) 5% less than the quantity described in Part A of the manifest, the owner of the facility must, (c) describe the occurrence of the discrepancy on the manifest, (d) submit a copy of the manifest, including the description required under paragraph (c), to the director within 3 days of receiving the hazardous waste, and (e) include the description of the discrepancy in the annual summary required under subsection (5).

**Details/Findings:**

Ministry Staff reviewed the 2023-2024 Manifests and observed that on December 27, 2023, the Facility received 29,600L of leachable toxic waste (BTEX); however, Part A of the manifest described the quantity as 27,000L which is a discrepancy of greater than 5 percent. Additionally, Ministry Staff observed that on December 31, 2024, 26,000L of diphenyl ether biphenyl (UN3082) was accepted at the Facility; however, the quantity described in Part A of the manifest was 36,000L, which is a discrepancy of more than 5 percent less than the quantity described in Part A.

Ministry Staff reviewed correspondence on the Ministry's internal filing system and confirmed that Secure has not (c) described the occurrence on the manifests, (d) submitted a copy, including the description required, of the manifests that had discrepancies and (e) has not submitted an annual summary of the manifest discrepancies during the Inspection Period. Therefore, Secure is out of compliance with Sections 5 (4)(c) to (e).

**Compliance:**

Out

## **Actions to be taken:**

Secure must submit a summary of discrepancies and a copy of the manifest(s), including the description, within 3 days of receiving hazardous wastes where the quantity received is either 5% greater than or 5% less than the quantity described on the manifest. An annual summary is required to be submitted within 60 days of the end of the calendar year as per Section 5(5)(c), for any discrepancies under this section.

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## **Requirement Description:**

### **Environmental Management Act, Hazardous Waste Regulation (63/88) (EMA)**

9 (3)(a): The owner of a hazardous waste facility that treats, stores or disposes of ignitable or reactive waste must take precautions to prevent reactions which may do any of the following: (a) generate extreme heat or pressure, fire or explosions;

## **Details/Findings:**

Ministry Staff reviewed the 2024 WorkSafe Report which reported that on June 24, 2024 an incident occurred at the Facility which resulted in an explosion. Secure did not take precautions to prevent reactions that may generate extreme heat or pressure, fire or explosions. Therefore, Secure is out of compliance with Section 9(3)(a).

## **Compliance:**

Out

## **Actions to be taken:**

Secure must take precautions to prevent reactions which may generate extreme heat or pressure, fire or explosions.

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## **Requirement Description:**

### **Environmental Management Act, Hazardous Waste Regulation (63/88) (EMA)**

10 (a): The owner of a hazardous waste facility must (a) provide and maintain an approved spill containment system to contain on site any release of spilled hazardous waste,

## **Details/Findings:**

Ministry Staff reviewed the Ministry's internal filing system and did not locate a spill containment system that was approved under the HWR for the Facility. Ministry Staff did locate some approved spill containment documents in the Permit file; however, Ministry Staff could not determine if the spill containment system would contain the release of any spilled hazardous waste, and was approved as required by the HWR. Therefore, compliance with Section 10 could not be determined for the Inspection Period.

## **Compliance:**

Not Determined

## **Actions to be taken:**

Ensure Secure maintains a spill containment system that is approved under the HWR.

**Requirement Description:****Environmental Management Act, Hazardous Waste Regulation (63/88) (EMA)**

11 (a)(i): The owner of a hazardous waste facility must (a) prepare and maintain a current contingency plan, approved by a director, which documents procedures to be followed during emergencies, including (i) shut down procedures,

**Details/Findings:**

Ministry Staff reviewed the Ministry's internal filing system and did not locate a contingency plan that was approved under the HWR for the Facility. Ministry Staff did locate some approved contingency plan documents in the Permit file; however, Ministry Staff could not determine if the contingency plan was approved as required by the HWR. Therefore, compliance with Section 10 could not be determined for the Inspection Period.

**Compliance:**

Not Determined

**Actions to be taken:**

Contact the Ministry's Authorizations and Remediation Branch to ensure the Plans and Specifications are approved under the HWR. Information on Hazardous Waste can be located here: <https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/environment/waste-management/hazardous-waste>. A contact form for enquires regarding authorizations can be located here: <https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/environment/waste-management/waste-discharge-authorization/contact>

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**Requirement Description:****Environmental Management Act, Hazardous Waste Regulation (63/88) (EMA)**

14 (1): The owner of a hazardous waste facility must not operate the facility unless that owner has prepared a written closure plan and has received approval of the plan.

**Details/Findings:**

Ministry Staff reviewed the Ministry's internal filing system and could not determined if Secure has prepared a written closure plan, which has received approval, under HWR, therefore, compliance with Section 14 (1) could not be determined for the Inspection Period.

**Compliance:**

Not Determined

**Actions to be taken:**

Secure must obtain an approved closure plan under HWR.

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## Requirement Description:

### Environmental Management Act, Hazardous Waste Regulation (63/88) (EMA)

17 (1)(a): The owner of a storage facility must ensure that (a) any emissions to the atmosphere resulting from the operation of the storage facility are controlled to meet approved emission specifications, and

### Details/Findings:

Secure is authorized to discharge emissions to the air from the Facility subject to the terms and conditions listed in the Permit #103980 (Permit). The Permit authorizes air emissions from the HP Flare Stack, Boiler Stack, Tank Vapour Recovery System and the Treater Stack. During the on-site inspection, Ministry Staff observed that the Facility has removed and decommissioned the 938 kW Boiler and 1934 kW Treater and the Facility installed two new emission sources including a 1025 kW Glycol Boiler and a 1533 kW Liberty Steam Boiler which are not authorized under the Permit 103980.

Ministry Staff have completed an inspection of the Permit and have documented the non-compliances in Inspection Record #235734, issued on January 28, 2025. Ministry Staff could not determine if additional emissions specifications are required under the HWR.

### Compliance:

Not Determined

### Actions to be taken:

Contact the Ministry's Authorizations and Remediation Branch to ensure the Permit requirements meet approved emissions specifications under the HWR.

Information on Hazardous Waste can be located here: <https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/environment/waste-management/hazardous-waste>. A contact form for enquires regarding authorizations can be located here: <https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/environment/waste-management/waste-discharge-authorization/contact>

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## Requirement Description:

### Environmental Management Act, Hazardous Waste Regulation (63/88) (EMA)

17 (1)(b): The owner of a storage facility must ensure that (b) any discharge of liquid effluent to the environment, to storm sewers or to a municipal or industrial effluent treatment works which results from the operation of the storage facility meets the effluent criteria prescribed in Schedule 1.2.

### Details/Findings:

Ministry Staff reviewed the 2010 Operations Plan, and the 2023 and 2024 Annual Reports which states that there had been no effluent discharge from the storm water pond at the Facility during the Inspection Period. Secure is authorized to discharge non-hazardous waste effluent via deep well injection in accordance with the Permit.

Ministry Staff observed on manifest #BC254292-8 that 28000L of the hazardous waste, leachable toxic waste was received by the Facility, the waste accepted is stored in tanks to allow for separation of hydrocarbons and solids before disposal via deep well injection.

Ministry Staff reviewed the 2024 Injection Well Analytical and determined that the results from the analysis conducted did not include all parameters of the disposal criteria as set out in Schedule 1.2. Therefore, compliance with requirements of this Section could not be determined for the Inspection Period.

### Compliance:

Not Determined

### Actions to be taken:

Secure must ensure that the discharge of liquid effluent to the environment which results from the operation of the storage facility meets the effluent criteria prescribed in Schedule 1.2.

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## Requirement Description:

### Environmental Management Act, Hazardous Waste Regulation (63/88) (EMA)

29 (2)(a)(i): The owner of a waste pile, surface impoundment or land treatment facility must carry out an approved monitoring program by (a) establishing a groundwater monitoring system with a sufficient number of wells, installed at appropriate locations (upgradient and downgradient) and depths, to yield groundwater samples from the uppermost aquifer that (i) represent the quality of groundwater that would not be affected by leakage or leachate, if any, from a surface impoundment, waste pile or land treatment facility, and

### Details/Findings:

Ministry Staff observed a waste pile at the time of the on-site inspection; therefore, an approved monitoring program is required under the HWR. Ministry Staff reviewed the 2010 Operational Plan, prepared for the Permit and confirmed that the Facility does have an approved monitoring program under the Permit. However, Ministry Staff completed a review of the 2023 and 2024 Annual Reports which state that groundwater was unable to be collected for analysis due to the wells being consistently dry. Ministry Staff also reviewed the Facility's Annual Reports from 2020 to 2021, which also reported that the monitoring wells were dry and failed to present groundwater sampling analysis at each monitoring event.

The monitoring program currently in place fails to detect potential impacts to groundwater; all groundwater monitoring reports since 2011 have either recommended a change to the monitoring procedure, the well locations, or the sampling methodology.

Despite not being able to assess the groundwater since the inception of the monitoring program, Secure has not proposed an alternative program that determines if the groundwater has been affected by leakage or leachate from the waste pile, and obtained approval under the HWR and is therefore, out of compliance for all of Section 29 (2).

### Compliance:

Out

### Actions to be taken:

Submit an application for approval of a groundwater monitoring program which establishes wells at appropriate locations and depths to yield groundwater samples that represent the quality of the groundwater that would be affected by leakage or leachate of the waste pile at the Facility.

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## Requirement Description:

### Environmental Management Act, Hazardous Waste Regulation (63/88) (EMA)

43 (1): Subject to subsection (1.1), a person who, (a) within a 30 day period, produces, or (b) at any time, stores at an on site facility a quantity of a category of hazardous waste greater than the quantity set out in Column II of Schedule 6 opposite that category must register the hazardous waste and apply for a generator registration number by completing Form 1 of Schedule 5 and submitting it to the director.

### Details/Findings:

An "on-site facility" means a facility or property where the hazardous waste that a facility deals with is or was produced, and that it is used solely to deal with the hazardous waste on that property. Secure receives sludge in vacuum trucks and dewateres the waste prior to disposal at another facility. The dewatered waste is then "generated" at the Facility and Secure becomes the generator, storing the material and then sending it for disposal. If the dewatered sludge material is hazardous waste, a generator registration number (BCG) is required.

Ministry Staff reviewed the 2023-2024 Manifests and observed Secure using generator registration number (BCG) #01750. Ministry Staff reviewed the Ministry's internal filing system and found no record that BCG #01750 has been issued to Secure, or any facility. However, it was not determined if the dewatered sludge was characterized as hazardous waste which would necessitate the requirement for a BCG number that is unique to the Facility.

**Compliance:**

Not Determined

**Actions to be taken:**

Contact the Ministry's Authorizations and Remediation Branch to ensure Secure meets the requirements under the HWR. Information on Hazardous Waste can be located here: <https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/environment/waste-management/hazardous-waste>. A contact form for enquires regarding authorizations can be located here: <https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/environment/waste-management/waste-discharge-authorization/contact>

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**Requirement Description:****Environmental Management Act, Hazardous Waste Regulation (63/88) (EMA)**

43 (2): A person who, (a) at any time, stores at a site a quantity of a category of hazardous waste greater than the quantity set out in Column II of Schedule 6 opposite that category that was generated at a different site, or (b) in any one day period, treats, recycles or disposes of a quantity of a category of hazardous waste greater than the quantity set out in Column II of Schedule 6 opposite that category must register the hazardous waste and apply for a registered site number by completing Form 1 of Schedule 5 and submitting it to the director.

**Details/Findings:**

Ministry Staff reviewed the 2023-2024 Manifests and determined observed that Secure stores has stored waste that was generated at a different site, in quantities greater than the quantity specified in Column II of Schedule 6. Manifest #BC254302-7 confirmed that on December 29, 2024, 29000L of leachable toxic waste (BTEX) was stored at the Facility, which exceeded the 500 L maximum. Manifest BC111926-4 confirmed that and on October 16, 2023, 8000L of carbon (Class 4.2 in the federal dangerous goods regulation) was stored which is over 100 L maximum.

The quantity of hazardous wastes received, in a one day period, has been confirmed to be is greater than the quantity set out in Column II of Schedule 6. Ministry Staff reviewed the Ministry's internal filing system and determined confirmed that Secure does not have a registered site number and therefore is out of compliance for Section 43 (2).

**Compliance:**

Out

**Actions to be taken:**

Secure must apply for a registered site number by completing Form 1 of Schedule 5 and submitting it to the Ministry. Information on registering hazardous waste generators and facilities and the online registration information can be located here: <https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/environment/waste-management/hazardous-waste/registration-of-hazardous-waste-generators-and-facilities>

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**Compliance History:**

**2025-01-30 IR 235734 Warning 120(6):** Annual Report 7.1.1; 7.1.2; 7.1.4, AUTHORIZED DISCHARGES 1.1.6, Bypasses 3.3, DISPOSAL OF RESIDUAL SOLIDS 4.1, Ground Water Monitoring Program 6.4, Operational Plan 3.5, Process Modifications 3.2, Received Materials Monitoring 6.1.2, REPORTING 7.2, Underground Injection Discharge Monitoring 6.2.2

**2020-04-27 IR 146587 Advisory:** Annual Report 7.1.1, Ground Water Monitoring Program 6.4, Non-Compliance Reporting 3.4, Runoff Discharge Monitoring 6.3.2, Tank Integrity Verification, Secondary Containment and Leak Detection 3.1.2

**2018-09-17 IR 96563 Advisory:** Annual Report 7.1.1, AUTHORIZED DISCHARGES 1.5.4

**2017-10-12 IR 68223 Warning 120(6):** Annual Report 7.1, AUTHORIZED DISCHARGES 1.1.4; 1.5.4, Non-Compliance Reporting 3.4, Process Modifications 3.2, Runoff Discharge Monitoring 6.3.1

The Ministry of Environment Compliance and Enforcement Policy and Procedure (C&E Policy) prescribes common requirements and procedures for all Ministry staff to ensure consistent and risk-based assessment and response to non-compliance. Using the Non-Compliance Decision Matrix, the compliance determination for this inspection has been assessed as **Level 2, Category B, Warning Codes and Regs.**

More information about Environmental Compliance, the Non-Compliance Decision Matrix, and reporting and data submission requirements can be found at the links below:

General compliance information:

[www.gov.bc.ca/environmentalcompliance](http://www.gov.bc.ca/environmentalcompliance)

Non-Compliance Decision Matrix information:

[www.gov.bc.ca/environment/how-compliance-is-assessed](http://www.gov.bc.ca/environment/how-compliance-is-assessed)

Reporting and data submission requirements (to be sent to [EnvAuthorizationsReporting@gov.bc.ca](mailto:EnvAuthorizationsReporting@gov.bc.ca)):

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/environment/waste-management/waste-discharge-authorization/comply>

Please be advised that this inspection report may be published on the provincial government website within 7 days.

If you have any questions about this warning, please contact the undersigned.

Yours truly,

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Environmental Protection Officer

**Attachments:** N/A

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If you require a copy of the original permit, please contact the inspector noted on this inspection record.

It is also important to note that this inspection record does not necessarily reflect each requirement or condition of the authorization therefore compliance is noted only for the requirements or conditions listed in the inspection record.