

Notice of Environment Act Proposal

Conservation and Water Stewardship has received a proposal pursuant to *The Environment Act* regarding the following operation and invites public participation in the review process:

MANITOBA ABORIGINAL AND NORTHERN AFFAIRS - BERENS RIVER WATER TREATMENT PLANT: 5641.00

A proposal has been received from Arnason Industries Ltd. on behalf of Manitoba Aboriginal and Northern Affairs for the upgrading of the Berens River water treatment plant. The upgraded plant would be located at the site of the existing water treatment plant, and would utilize a package dissolved air flotation treatment process followed by ultraviolet disinfection and chlorination. The plant would treat approximately 28,000 litres of water daily with six hours of operation per day. Raw water for the system would continue to be pumped from the Berens River, and wastewater from the water treatment process would continue to be returned to the Berens River. Construction of the upgraded plant is proposed for the spring/summer of 2013.

Anyone likely to be affected by the above operation and who wishes to make a representation either for or against the proposal should contact the Department, in writing or by E-mail (bruce.webb@gov.mb.ca), not later than May 17th, 2013. Further information is available from the Public Registries located at: Legislative Library, 200 Vaughan St., Winnipeg; Millennium Public Library, 4th Floor, 251 Donald St., Winnipeg; Manitoba Eco-Network, 3rd Floor, 303 Portage Ave., Winnipeg; <http://www.gov.mb.ca/conservation/eal/registries/index.html> or by contacting Bruce Webb, Water Development and Control Assessment Officer at 204-945-7021.

Information submitted in response to this proposal is considered public information and will be made available to the proponent and placed on the public registry established in accordance with Section 17 of *The Environment Act*.

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