



STATE OF MAINE
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
STATE HOUSE STATION 17
AUGUSTA MAINE 04333

6/27/84

DEPARTMENT ORDER

IN THE MATTER OF

STATLER INDUSTRIES, INC.
Augusta, Maine, Kennebec County
SLUDGE DISPOSAL SITE REVISION
#L-004892-00-A-M

-) SITE LOCATION and
-) SOLID WASTE ORDER
-)
-) FINDINGS OF FACT AND ORDER

Pursuant to the provision of Title 38, M.R.S.A., Section 483 and 1301, the Department of Environmental Protection has considered the application of STATLER INDUSTRIES, INC. with its supportive data, staff summary, agency review comments, and other related materials on file and finds the following facts:

1. On June 27, 1979, the Board granted Statler Tissue Co. a conditional permit to establish a landfill in Augusta, Maine, for paper mill sludge. The applicant now requests a minor revision to that Board Order to allow the disposal of 50 cubic yards per year of clay, with a small amount of fiber debris and grit. This is the same material contained in the influent to the two primary clarifiers at the Waste Treatment Facility, and is generated during the annual one week shutdown as part of the routine maintenance program. This material is removed annually from below the inlets of the influent pumps.
2. This material, in these quantities, is of no greater environmental concern than the material for which the landfill was originally approved.
3. No other revisions are proposed at this time.
4. All other findings on the 27 June 1979 Board Order, including those referring to financial capacity, traffic movement, effect on the natural environment, and soil types, remain unchanged by this revision.

BASED on the above findings of fact, the Department makes the following conclusions,

- A. The disposal of 50 cubic yards annually of clay, fiber debris, and grit at the Statler Tissue Co. sludge landfill will not alter the original conclusions of law on which the Board approval (27 June 1979) was based.

THEREFORE, the Department APPROVES WITH THE ATTACHED CONDITIONS the application of the STATLER TISSUE CO. to modify the 27 June, 1979, Board Order to allow the annual disposal of 50 cubic yards of clay, fiber debris, and grit at the sludge disposal site in Augusta, Maine, as requested in a letter dated July 11, 1984, subject to the Standards Conditions of Approval, a copy attached.

DONE AND DATED AT AUGUSTA, MAINE, THIS 27TH DAY OF JULY, 1984.

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

BY: Henry E. Warren
HENRY E. WARREN, Commissioner

PLEASE NOTE ATTACHED SHEET FOR APPEAL PROCEDURES....