



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

IN THE MATTER OF

STATLER TISSUE COMPANY	)	SITE LOCATION AND SOLID
Augusta, Maine	)	WASTE ORDER
Paper Mill Sludge Landfill Site	)	MINOR MODIFICATION
S-4892-7D-G-N	)	FINDINGS OF FACT
Corrected Copy 7-27-89	)	AND ORDER

Pursuant to the provision of Title 38 M.R.S.A., Section 1306 and 483-A the Department of Environmental Protection has considered the application of STATLER TISSUE COMPANY with its supportive data, staff summary, agency review comments, and other related materials on file and finds the following facts:

1. Statler Tissue Company (Statler) operates a solid waste disposal landfill facility in Augusta, Maine for the disposal of paper mill sludge.
2. Statler requests approval for the disposal of pulp prep screenings in Statler's secure landfill off the Church Hill Road in Augusta. Statler Tissue was granted Board approval June 27, 1979 to construct and operate a 60 acre landfill for the disposal of paper mill sludge off the Church Hill Road in Augusta. The site was designed for 5 phases with a life expectancy of 33 years. Leachate is collected and pumped to the Augusta Sanitary District for treatment. The site overlies low permeability clay.
3. The pulp prep screenings consists of paper fiber, plastics, wood shives, sand, and minute metal objects such as staples. These screenings are removed from the raw stock prior to undergoing the paper making process at the Statler Tissue plant in Augusta.

The quantity of material proposed for disposal at the Church Hill Road secure landfill is 60 tons or 120 wet yards per month. This material will be mixed with the Statler Tissue papermill sludge currently being disposed of in the landfill. The mixing will occur at the sludge storage pad at the mill site. Statler disposes of about 1400 cubic yards per week of papermill sludge at the landfill.

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4. Department staff have reviewed the supporting data and have determined the pulp prep screenings to be acceptable for disposal. Statler is expecting to dispose of 60 tons or 120 wet yards per month in the Church Hill Road secure landfill.

BASED on the above Findings of Facts, the Department concludes the following:

A. The disposal of 60 tons or 120 wet yards per month of pulp prep screenings as proposed by Statler Tissue Company will not pollute any water of the state, contaminate the ambient air, constitute a hazard to health or welfare, or create a nuisance.

THEREFORE, the Department APPROVES WITH THE ATTACHED CONDITIONS the application, of Statler Tissue Company to dispose of 60 tons or 120 wet yards per month of pulp prep screenings from the Statler Tissue plant in Augusta at their disposal facility in Augusta, Maine, in the manner described in the application and in accordance with the following conditions:

1. The Standard Conditions of Approval, a copy attached.
2. The material shall be disposed of in the secure portion of the landfill in accordance with the Solid Waste Management Rules.

DONE AND DATED AT AUGUSTA, MAINE, THIS 18<sup>th</sup> DAY OF August, 1989.

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

BY:   
 Dean C. Marriot, Commissioner

PLEASE NOTE ATTACHED SHEET TO APPEAL PROCEDURES.....

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## S T A N D A R D   C O N D I T I O N S

STRICT CONFORMANCE WITH THE STANDARD AND SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF THIS APPROVAL IS NECESSARY FOR THE PROJECT TO MEET THE STATUTORY CRITERIA FOR APPROVAL.

1. This approval is dependent upon and limited to the proposals and plans contained in the application and supporting documents submitted and affirmed to by the applicant. Any variation from the plans, proposals and supporting documents is subject to the review and approval of the Board prior to implementation. Further subdivision of proposed lots by the applicant or future owners is specifically prohibited, without prior approval by the Board of Environmental Protection, and the applicant shall include deed restrictions to this effect.
2. The applicant shall secure and comply with all applicable Federal, State and local licenses, permits, authorizations, conditions, agreements, and orders, prior to or during construction and operation as appropriate.
3. The applicant shall submit all reports and information requested by the Board or Department demonstrating that the applicant has complied or will comply with all conditions of this approval. All preconstruction terms and conditions must be met before construction begins.
4. Advertising relating to matters included in this application shall refer to this approval only if it notes that the approval has been granted WITH CONDITIONS, and indicates where copies of those conditions may be obtained.
5. Unless otherwise provided in this approval, the applicant shall not sell, lease, assign or otherwise transfer the development or any portion thereof without prior written approval of the Board where the purpose or consequence of the transfer is to transfer any of the obligations of the developer as incorporated in this approval. Such approval shall be granted only if the applicant or transferee demonstrates to the Board that the transferee has the technical capacity and financial ability to comply with conditions of this approval and the proposals and plans contained in the application and supporting documents submitted by the applicant.
6. If the construction or operation of the activity is not begun within two years, this approval shall lapse and the applicant shall reapply to the Board for a new approval. The applicant may not begin construction or operation of the development until a new approval is granted. Reapplications for approval shall state the reasons why the development was not begun within two years from the granting of the initial approval and the reasons why the applicant will be able to begin the activity within two years from the granting of a new approval, if granted. Reapplications for approval may include information submitted in the initial application by reference.
7. If the approved development is not completed within five years from the date of the granting of approval, the Board may reexamine its approval and impose additional terms or conditions or prescribe other necessary corrective action to respond to significant changes in circumstances which may have occurred during the five-year period.
8. A copy of this approval must be included in or attached to all contract bid specifications for the development.
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