



MEMORANDUM

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Dr. J.H. Wiebe, M.P.H.,
Asst. Deputy Minister (Medical Services)

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Asst. Deputy Minister (Health Services)

DATE February 11, 1971

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AIR POLLUTION ARSENIC - YELLOWKNIFE

This is in reply to your memorandum of December 22nd, concerning surveillance activities at Yellowknife. I telephoned you about this on several occasions but unfortunately it was at a time when you were absent in Western Canada.

Your specific question was whether we anticipated that the transfer of elements of the Environmental Health Centre to the new Department of the Environment would, in any way, affect our ability to carry on with the testing contemplated during the coming year. I am pleased to tell you that there is no intention to transfer the Radiation Protection Division to the new Department of the Environment in the foreseeable future, and therefore there should be no interruption in the plans to proceed with this work insofar as the Radiation Protection Division is concerned.

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