

**To: Vern Meinz**

**From: Allen Moore**

**Subject: Cowlitz Stud Company at Randle**

**Date: December 13, 1974**

**On October 31, 1974 an inspection of Cowlitz Stud Company was conducted to determine the extent of waste water discharged.**

**No discharge to Silver Creek was found. A small discharge of approximately 2 to 3 gallons per minute from the sawing area wound through the fill area of dirt and wood and bark chips on the south side of the mill and discharged into a small stream which flowed into a swampy area. Water from the swamp discharged into the Cowlitz River about a mile to the south.**

**Judging from the constant muddy color of the discharge there was no leachate being introduced as it flowed through the fill area.**

**A sample for total oils showed 2 ppm in the discharge. In total, the whole operation was quite clean and Lloyd Cook, the manager, reflected this in his attitude towards the company and its operation.**

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