

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF TESTING REQUIREMENTS  
FOR AN ON-SITE SEWAGE FACILITY USING PROPRIETARY,  
SECONDARY, OR NON-STANDARD TREATMENT SYSTEMS

I, \_\_\_\_\_, recipient of a license  
(No. 2-\_\_\_\_\_) to operate this on-site sewage facility that uses  
proprietary/secondary/non-standard treatment on the property I own that is located  
at \_\_\_\_\_ hereby  
acknowledge and agree that I must:

1. Employ, by means of an initial two-year prepaid maintenance contract, a  
wastewater operator certified by the State of Texas;
2. Employ a wastewater operator during the entire operational life of the said on-  
site sewage facility;
3. Assure that the wastewater operator provides the testing of the sewage effluent  
on the schedule provided below and sends the required report to the Harris  
County Public Infrastructure Department - Engineering Division, Permit  
Group:
  - a. BOD<sup>5</sup> - Annually
  - b. TSS - Annually
  - c. Chlorine or Fecal Coliform - Quarterly for Residential  
Monthly for Commercial
  - d. pH - Quarterly for Residential Monthly for Commercial
4. Operate this system in strict conformance with sewage effluent discharge  
standards promulgated by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality  
(T.C.E.Q.). See Table IV attached.

I further understand that my failure to strictly abide by the above conditions could  
result in filing of a complaint with a Justice of the Peace Court and that the Court, if I  
am found guilty, could assess me a fine of up to \$200.00 per day for each day the  
violation exists.

The start-up date of the facility will mark the anniversary dates of testing and  
reporting.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Licensee & Property Owner

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name