Application for an Operation Permit for Emergency Land Application of Wastewater
567 Iowa Administrative Code Chapter 64.3 and Iowa Code Section 455B.174

Why this is Required?
This form may be used to apply for a one-time, emergency land application permit. An emergency is defined as a sudden or unexpected condition which is beyond the reasonable control of the facility in response to which land application of wastewater is necessary within 30 days to prevent damage to property, risk to human health, or the uncontrolled release of wastewater from a storage structure. Examples would include, but are not limited to a natural disaster which renders a permitted application site unusable as planned, damage to a wastewater storage structure which is not due to the negligence or an intentional act of the owner of the storage structure, and extreme precipitation events which are determined at the sole discretion of the Department to not be reasonably anticipatable. An emergency does not include a failure to obtain permit approval in a timely manner, the failure to properly inspect and maintain storage structure, or other conditions within the control of the facility.

What Information is Needed?
If you need a one-time emergency land application permit, the DNR Field Office will need, at a minimum, the following information. Please submit the information outlined below. You may use this form for your written request. After review, the DNR may request additional information.

Describe the emergency? ________________________________
Permittee Name ______________________________________
Permittee Address ______________________________________
Facility Name ______________________________________
Facility Address ______________________________________
County Facility is located ________________________________
Type of wastewater to be applied __________________________
Date(s) of Application (start and end) ______________________
Anticipated application rate ____________________________ Number of acres available for application ______________
Anticipated volume of wastewater land applied to each field __________________________
Field Location: ¼ Section _____ Section _____ Township _____ Range _____ County ____________
Are there tile intakes in the field?  Yes  No
If yes, include the location on the enclosed aerial photo.
Is the wastewater treated sanitary wastewater?  Yes  No

Aerial photo of the application field must be included with this request.
Plan to prevent emergency application from happening in the future must be submitted within 30 days from the time of this request.

Monitoring Requirements
The DNR Field Office may require additional monitoring depending on the nature of the wastewater. Monitoring records shall be submitted to the DNR Field Office within thirty (30) days of completion of the land application.

Additional Information or Action May Be Required
This form is an application for an emergency one-time land application permit. After review, a permit may be issued.

Signature: ____________________________________________  Date: ____________________

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