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ere same amount, \$60 million.

SPEC Urges Mine Hearing

The Society for Pollution and Environmental Control is calling for a public hearing on an application by Dison Development Ltd. to discharge untreated mine effluent into Juan de Fuca Strait.

In a letter to the director of pollution control, SPEC said discharge of up to one million gallons of effluent daily from the Sunro Copper Mine near Jordan River "will have an extremely adverse effect on the recreational, as well as the ecological, values of the beach."

The letter also said the contents of the effluent — copper, chromium, cadmium, cyanide — are known to be harmful even in low concentrations, to marine life.

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