

CANADA: PICTOU, NOVA SCOTIA, HARBOUR DREDGING AND WHARF CONSTRUCTION



Land & Sea Environmental Consultants Ltd./OCL Group was retained to conduct environmental studies in support of wharf construction and dredging in Pictou, N.S. Key elements were the use of intensive water quality monitoring during dredging and disposal within the harbour and the use of silt curtains to control plumes from the dredged materials. As the monitoring showed, suspended solids and turbidity plume occurred during infilling of the wharf backup lands and not from the dredging.

Client: Nova Scotia Dept. of Economic Development.

