POLLUTION

DIRECTOR
Nicolov Assen

DURATION
10:50

YEAR
1973

ORIGINAL LANGUAGE
No dialogue

CATEGORY
Documentary



DESCRIPTION
This video denounces the federal government's negligence in coming to terms with a kind of pollution invading the national capital. Depicted as a mysterious form of pollution in which politicians, RCMP officers, and environmental ministers associate happily with waste water and dead fish in the Ottawa River. Images, taken largely from Parliament Hill, show a parade of police officers, government workers and the Prime Minister himself. Through editing, the author attempts to associate the pollution of the Ottawa River with the pollution on Parliament Hill; the soundtrack incorporates the flushing sounds of toilets and music to accentuate the overall sarcasm of the video.

IMAGE FORMAT
4:3

SOUND
Mono

KEYWORDS
Government, Pollution

THEMES
Socio-politics
Environment