

## UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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Mr. Peter H. Blair, Jr. Blair Oil Investments, LLC 2171 South Trenton Way, Suite 204 Denver, CO 80231

Re:

Transmittal of Final Administrative Order

Docket Number: SDWA-06-2013-1104

Dear Mr. Blair:

Enclosed is a Final Administrative Order (Order) issued to Blair Oil Investments, LLC for violations of the Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA). The violations were identified based on our review of files that we maintain on the referenced well. The violations were for failing to plug Well No. 3 within one (1) year after termination of injection operations and maintaining the well in a manner which could allow contaminants to flow through the well bore into underground sources of drinking water. The enclosed Order does not assess a monetary penalty; however, it does require compliance with SDWA requirements. You are required to either plug the well or to provide an acceptable plan for its future use.

We issued a proposed order on October 23, 2012, for review and comment by you and the public. We did not receive any comments on the proposed order from the public and you did not request a hearing. The proposed Order is hereby made final.

The SDWA provides that you, or any person who commented on the proposed order, may file an appeal of the final order with the United States District Court for the District of Columbia or the district in which the violations occurred. Such appeal must be filed within 30 days after the final order is issued. If you file an appeal, you must simultaneously send a copy of the appeal by certified mail to the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency and to the U. S. Attorney General.

If you have any questions concerning this order, please contact Mr. Ronald Van Wyk, of my staff, at 214-665-6459.

Sincerely yours,

Associate Director

Jerry Saunders

Water Enforcement Branch

Enclosure

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