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CERTIFIED MAIL # RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Richard Smith, Owner Lodore Supper Club and Saloon P. O. Box 6044 Sheridan, WY 82801-1444

> Re: Violation of Administrative Order Docket No. SDWA-08-2010-0062 Lodore Supper Club and Saloon PWS ID # WY5600545

Dear Mr. Smith:

On July 28, 2010, the US Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) issued an Administrative Order (the Order), Docket No. SDWA-08-2010-0062, ordering you as owner and/or operator of the Lodore Supper Club and Saloon Public Water System (the system) to comply with various drinking water regulations issued by EPA under the Safe Drinking Water Act (the Act), 42 U.S.C. Section 300f et seq.

Our records indicate that you (Respondent) are in violation of the Administrative Order. Among other things, the Order included the following requirements (quoted from items 11 and 12, of the Order section on page 2 of the Order):

 Respondent shall monitor the system's water quarterly for total coliform bacteria, as required by 40 C.F.R. § 141.21. Respondent shall report analytical results to EPA within the first 10 days following the month in which sample results were received, as required by 40 C.F.R. § 141.31(a). Respondent shall report any violation of the total coliform monitoring requirements to EPA within 10 days of discovery, as required by 40 C.F.R. § 141.21(g)(2).

You did not monitor for total coliform bacteria at the system during the 3rd quarter (July -September) of 2010 and failed to report this violation to EPA. 2. Within 30 days after receiving this Order, Respondent shall notify the public of the violations cited in paragraph 7, above, following the instructions provided with the public notice templates provided to Respondent with this Order. Thereafter, following any future violation of the drinking water regulations, Respondent shall comply with any applicable public notice provisions of 40 C.F.R. part 141, subpart Q. Within 10 days after providing public notice, Respondent shall submit a copy of the notice to EPA.

EPA has not received Respondent's public notice of the above-mentioned violations. Please conduct the public notice as required in the Order and submit a copy to EPA.

EPA is considering additional enforcement action as a result of the non-compliance with the Order. Violating an administrative order may lead to (1) a penalty of up to \$37,500 per day per violation of the Order, and/or (2) a court injunction ordering compliance.

If you have any questions or wish to have an informal conference with EPA, you may contact Shawn McCaffrey at 1-800-227-8917, extension 6515 or (303) 312-6515. Any questions from your attorneys should be directed to David Rochlin, Senior Enforcement Attorney, at (303) 312-6892 or at the following address:

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We urge your prompt attention to this matter.

Lisa Kahn, Team Leader Drinking Water Enforcement Program Office of Enforcement, Compliance and Environmental Justice

cc: Tina Artemis, EPA Regional Hearing Clerk Wyoming DEQ (via email) Wyoming DOH (via email)