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**MEMORANDUM**

SUBJECT: Proposed Administrative Consent Agreement for David Gouveia and Canon Marine, Inc., Docket No. SDWA-08-2014-0037

FROM: Suzanne J. Bohan, Assistant Regional Administrator  
Office of Enforcement, Compliance and Environmental Justice

TO: Elyana R. Sutin, Regional Judicial Officer

DATE: March 31, 2015

This memorandum transmits a Consent Agreement (CA) proposed to settle violations of the Safe Drinking Water Act, 42 U.S.C. § 300h *et seq.*, and regulations implementing the Underground Injection Control Program, 40 C.F.R. § 144 *et seq.* The attached CA has been signed by EPA and David Gouveia for Canon Marine, Inc., (Respondents) and is now being submitted for your approval. If signed by you, the CA, consistent with 40 C.F.R. section 22.18(b), will resolve the civil administrative liability of Respondents in this matter.

This CA settles a Proposed Compliance Order, Penalty Complaint and Notice of Opportunity for Hearing (Complaint) issued to Respondents on September 5, 2014. The Complaint addresses Respondents' operation of an Underground Injection Control Class V Motor Vehicle Waste Disposal Well (MVWDW). As of January 1, 2007, operators are required to close MVWDWs, pursuant to 40 C.F.R section 144.88(b). MVWDWs are banned because these wells inject motor vehicle waste fluids directly into or above underground sources of drinking water, posing a high risk to human health and the environment.

EPA did not assess a penalty against Respondents due to the fact that they closed the Motor Vehicle Waste Disposal Well as required by the Complaint. The Safe Drinking Water Act does not require public notice of this settlement.

Please contact Mia Bearley, enforcement attorney, at (303) 312-6554, or at [bearley.mia@epa.gov](mailto:bearley.mia@epa.gov), if you have any questions or concerns regarding this matter. Thank you.



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**RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

Mr. David Gouveia, President  
Candn Marine, Inc.  
927 Highway 115  
Penrose, Colorado 81240

Re: Transmittal of Consent Agreement in Docket No. SDWA-08-2014-0037

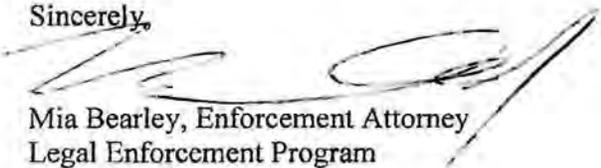
Dear Mr. Gouveia:

Please find enclosed a Consent Agreement (CA) regarding the above referenced matter. There is no penalty associated with the violation identified in the complaint due to the timely closure of your Class V Motor Vehicle Waste Disposal Well. Please review this document, sign it if it is acceptable to you and send the original signed CA back to me at the address below so that the EPA signatures may be obtained and the CA may be filed.

Mia Bearley (Mail Code 8 ENF-L)  
U.S. EPA Region 8  
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Once the CA is filed and a final order is issued, the EPA will send you a fully executed copy. Should you have any questions, please contact me via email at [bearley.mia@epa.gov](mailto:bearley.mia@epa.gov) or by phone at (303) 312-6554. Christopher Ajayi, technical enforcement specialist, is also available to discuss this matter at [ajayi.christopher@epa.gov](mailto:ajayi.christopher@epa.gov) or (303) 312-6320.

Sincerely,



Mia Bearley, Enforcement Attorney  
Legal Enforcement Program

Enclosure: Consent Agreement

