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Steven Cornelius P.O. Box 31 Collinsville, OK 74021

Shelly Cornelius P.O. Box 31 Collinsville, OK 74021

Re:

Transmittal of Final Administrative Order

Docket Number: SDWA-06-2015-1125

Dear Steven & Shelly Cornelius:

Enclosed is a Final Administrative Order (Order) issued to you for violations of the Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA). These violations were identified based on review of files that we maintain on the referenced injection wells. The violations were for maintaining injection wells in a manner that may contaminate underground sources of drinking water (USDW). The enclosed Order does not assess a monetary penalty; however, it does require compliance with SDWA requirements. You are required to complete corrective to prevent contaminates from moving through the well bores into USDWs.

We issued a proposed order on July 7, 2015 and you received it by certified mail on August 12, 2015. The order was posted 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. David Aguinaga, of my staff, at 214-665-6439.

Sincerely yours,

Jerry Saunders Associate Director

Water Enforcement Branch

Enclosure

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