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Mr. Frederick Quintin Blair, Registered Agent Blair Hotels, Inc. 1701 Sheridan Cody, Wyoming 82414

Re: Administrative Order Closure, The Ranch at Ucross, PWS ID #5601149, Docket No. SDWA-08-2013-0017

Dear Mr. Blair:

cc:

This letter is to inform you of the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) decision to close the Administrative Order (Order) issued to Blair Hotels, Inc. (Blair), as the owner and/or operator of The Ranch at Ucross, on April 22, 2013. The EPA has determined that Blair has complied with the requirements of the Order and therefore we will close it at this time.

Please be aware that Blair is still required to comply with the National Primary Drinking Water Regulations (drinking water regulations), 40 C.F.R. part 141. Violation of the drinking water regulations may result in a court-imposed injunction and/or penalties of up to \$37,500 per day of violation.

Thank you for resolving these issues. If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Kathelene Brainich at (303) 312-6481.

Sincerely.

Kimberly Pardue-Welch, Team Lead Drinking Water Enforcement Program Office of Enforcement, Compliance and Environmental Justice

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Eric Wilhelm, General Manager, The Ranch at Ucross (via email)

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