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CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. Clifford Serawop, Superintendent Bureau of Indian Affairs P.O. Box 69 Crow Agency, Montana 59022

Re: Emergency Administrative Order under SDWA Section 1431 Addendum #2, Crow Agency Water System, PWS ID#083090011, Docket # SDWA-08-2019-0012

Dear Mr. Serawop:

Actions

This is the second Addendum to the Emergency Administrative Order (Order) issued on March 15, 2019, to the Department of the Interior, Bureau of Indian Affairs concerning a loss of pressure in the Crow Agency Public Water System. The purpose of this letter is to approve the July 26, 2019, schedule extension request for meeting certain deadlines in the Order. The revised schedule set forth below is hereby incorporated into the Order per paragraph 18 (page 3) of the Order. Each milestone is an enforceable provision of the Order.

Completion Date March 16, 2019 (reported as completed) Isolate the abandoned tribal administration building. Increase disinfectant dose at the BIA water March 18, 2019 (reported as completed) treatment plant. Locate and shut off any other abandoned May 30, 2019 (reported as completed) service connections in the Crow Agency. Permanently cap the two service lines to the August 30, 2019 abandoned Tribal Administration building. Repair tank control and telemetry system to August 30, 2019 ensure operators can see tank levels on the control screen at the System's two water plants and complete all other corrective actions.

Within 10 days after completing all steps included in the above schedule, notify the EPA of the project's completion as required by the Order. The EPA is authorized to seek penalties if these deadlines are not met. If the Bureau of Indian Affairs has a reasonable basis to believe it may be unable to meet any deadline in the schedule, it shall notify the EPA, well in advance of the scheduled deadline, to request an extension. The EPA may, in its discretion, consider granting an extension.

As a reminder, you are required to provide the EPA with quarterly progress reports.

Please contact Christina Carballal, Environmental Engineer, at (303) 312-6046 or via email at carballal-broome.christina@epa.gov if you have any questions concerning this Addendum.

Sincerely,

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