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Mark A. Bryan, Registered Agent  
Real Life Christian Center, Inc.  
11 E Main Street  
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P.O. Box 1371  
Bozeman, MT 59771

Re: Violation of Administrative Order  
Real Life Christian Center  
Public Water System  
Docket No. SDWA-08-2009-0031  
PWS ID # MT0004520

Dear Mr. Bryan:

On March 24, 2009, the US Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) issued an Administrative Order, Docket No. SDWA-08-2009-0031, ordering Real Life Christian Center, Inc. (Respondent) as owner of the Real Life Christian Center public water system, to comply with various regulations issued by EPA under the Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA), 42 U.S.C. section 300f et seq.

Our records indicate that Real Life Christian Center, Inc., is in violation of the Order. Among other things, the Order included the following requirements (quoted from item 8 of the "Order" section on page 2 of the Order):

1. Upon receipt of this Order, Respondent shall monitor monthly for total coliform bacteria. ARM 17.38.215(1)(b). Respondent shall report analytical results to EPA and the State within the first 10 days following the month in which sample results are received, as required by the drinking water regulations. 40 C.F.R. § 141.31(a). Any violation of the total coliform monitoring requirements shall be reported to EPA and the State within ten days after Respondent learns of it. 40 C.F.R. § 141.21(g)(2).

Respondent failed to submit total coliform monitoring results in April 2010. Respondent failed to report noncompliance with the total coliform monitoring requirements to EPA within 10 days of learning of the violation.

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 Kimberly Pardue Welch at 1-800-227-8917, extension 6983 or (303) 312-6983. If you are represented by an attorney who has questions, please ask your attorney to contact Eduardo Quintana, Enforcement Attorney, at 1-800-227-8917, extension 6924 or (303) 312-6924 or at the following address:

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We urge your prompt attention to this matter.



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