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Mr. Jim Rodgers
Jim's Water Service, Inc.
P.O. Box 2290
Gillette, WY 82716

Re: Jim's Water Service - Cannon Land & Livestock Commercial Oilfield Waste Disposal Facility
near Bill, Wyoming, Administrative Order Pursuant to Section 7003 of RCRA

Dear Mr. Rodgers:

Enclosed please find a copy of the administrative order we are issuing today to Jim's Water Service, Inc. The order is issued under the authority of Section 7003 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended (commonly referred to as the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, or "RCRA"), 42 U.S.C. § 7003. The order requires that Jim's Water Service quickly take steps to repair existing netting erected over the skim pit at its Cannon facility in Converse County, Wyoming, and expeditiously develop and implement a work plan to address threats presented to the environment (particularly migratory birds) at the facility. The order also requires that the facility hereafter be maintained and operated in a manner that is protective of the environment.

As detailed in the order, we have determined that conditions at the facility once again pose an imminent threat to wildlife due to the mismanagement of oily waste in the evaporation pond and the condition of the netting for the skim pit. EPA and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service have previously advised you of these adverse environmental conditions. Since 2000, both agencies have noted that wildlife has come into contact with oily wastes at the evaporation pond and skim pits, resulting in migratory bird mortalities. We have concluded that an order is necessary and warranted to ensure that the threats are addressed as quickly as possible.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please call Randy Lamdin at (303) 312-6350, or for questions regarding legal issues, please contact Linda Kato, of EPA's Legal Enforcement Program, at (303) 312-6852.

Sincerely,

Kelcey Land, Director
RCRA/CERCLA Technical Enforcement Program

Enclosure (order)
cc: Linda Kato, 8LEP
Randy Lamdin, 8ENF-RC



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