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Leah Carlson, Registered Agent
Long Shot Adventures, Inc. (Administratively Dissolved-Tax 5/9/17)
76 Fir Road
Dubois, Wyoming 82513

Re: Administrative Order Violation Regarding Crooked Creek Guest Ranch Public Water System, PWS ID #5601542, Docket# SDWA-08-2016-0036

Dear Ms. Carlson:

On September 29, 2016, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency issued an Administrative Order and amended the Administrative Order (Order) on May 9, 2017. The Order requires Long Shot Adventures, Inc. (Long Shot), as owner and/or operator of the Crooked Creek Guest Ranch Public Water System (System), to comply with the Safe Drinking Water Act, 42 U.S.C. Section 300f et seq., and its implementing regulations, the National Primary Drinking Water Regulations, 40 C.F.R. part 141.

Our records indicate that Long Shot is in violation of the Order. Among other things, Long Shot (Respondent) is required to comply with paragraphs 13 and 14 of the Order:

- No later than July 10, 2017, Respondent shall complete corrective action of the insufficient well casing height significant deficiency of two sources (Barn and Cabin wells) to at least 8 inches above the concrete floor and provide documentation to the EPA of the completion.

The EPA has not received notification or documentation that corrective action of the significant deficiency has been completed. The EPA has left Leah numerous telephone message but has not received a return phone call.

- Within 30 days after receipt of this Order, Respondent shall notify the public of all violations cited in paragraphs 7 and 8, [in the Order]. 40 C.F.R. part 141, subpart Q. Within 10 days after providing public notice, Respondent shall submit a signed copy of the notice to the EPA with the dates the notice was posted or distributed. Public notice instructions and templates can be found at: <https://www.epa.gov/region8-waterops/reporting-forms-and-instructions-public-notification>.


The EPA has not received a completed public notice. Send a completed, signed copy to the EPA if one has been completed or complete the public notice immediately if not yet done and send a signed copy to the EPA.

The EPA is considering additional enforcement action as a result of Long Shot's non-compliance with the Order. Violating an administrative order may lead to (1) a penalty of up to \$54,789 per day per violation of the order, and/or (2) a court injunction ordering compliance.

If Long Shot has any questions please contact Kathelene Brainich via email at brainich.kathelene@epa.gov, or by phone at 1-800-227-8917, extension 6481, or (303) 312-6481. If Long Shot is represented by an attorney who has questions, please ask the attorney to direct legal questions to Mia Bearley, Enforcement Attorney, who may be reached via email at bearley.mia@epa.gov, by phone at (800) 227-8917, extension 6554, or (303) 312-6554.

We urge your prompt attention to this matter.

Sincerely,



Arturo Palomares, Director
Water Technical Enforcement Program
Office of Enforcement, Compliance
and Environmental Justice

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