UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION 6 DALLAS, TEXAS

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IN THE MATTER OF:

Martin Water System

Docket No. SDWA-06-2012-1206

RESPONDENT

Notice to Withdraw Complaint

NOW COMES Complainant, the Director of the Compliance Assurance and Enforcement Division, United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region 6 ("Complainant"), through his attorney, and pursuant to 40 C.F.R. § 22.14(d) respectfully states as follows:

1. This proceeding for the assessment of a civil penalty was instituted pursuant to Section 1423(c) of the Safe Drinking Water Act (herein "the Act"), 42 U.S.C. § 300h-2(c) by the issuance of a Complaint, Compliance Order and Notice of Opportunity for Hearing ("Complaint") on January 9, 2012.

2. Under 40 C.F.R. § 22.14(d), the Complainant may withdraw the Complaint without prejudice before an Answer has been filed.

3. A Complaint was filed on January 9, 2012, and service of the Complaint was not completed. No Answer has been filed.

4. Complainant is providing notice that it is withdrawing the Complaint.

5. No party will be prejudiced by the Notice to Withdraw the Complaint.

THEREFORE, in the interests of justice and pursuant to 40 C.F.R. § 22.14(d),

Complainant provides notice to the Court that it is withdrawing the Complaint.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that the foregoing <u>NOTICE TO WITHDRAW THE COMPLAINT</u> was handdelivered to the **Regional Hearing Clerk**, EPA Region 6, 1445 Ross Avenue, Dallas, Texas 75202-2733, and was sent by first class mail, on <u>MAN 1 8 2012</u> 2012 addressed to the following:

Via First Class Mail:

Annette Mosely Martin Water System P.O. Box 341 Coushatta, LA 71019

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