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OH0201312 SPENCERVILLE WATER TREATM 2950 02 11/18/10



November 18, 2010

CERTIFIED MAIL

NOTICE OF VIOLATION – ACTION REQUIRED

Sean Chapman
Spencerville Water Treatment Plant
116 S Broadway,
Spencerville, OH 45887

Allen County
Spencerville Water Treatment Plant
Community PWS
PWS ID: OH0201312

Subject: Violation of Maximum Contaminant Level for TOTAL TRIHALOMETHANES (TTHM)

Spencerville Water Treatment Plant is in violation for exceeding the maximum contaminant level (MCL) standard of 0.080 MG/L as established in the Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) section 3745-81-12 for TTHM. Compliance with the MCL is based on a running annual average. The annual average for TTHM during the Third Quarter of 2010 time period is 0.087 MG/L.

To address the MCL violation, Spencerville Water Treatment Plant is required to take the following actions:

1. Notify your customers within 30 days using the enclosed instructions and public notice.
2. Complete and send a verification form with a copy of the public notice to the above mailing address within ten days after issuance.
3. Perform quarterly monitoring for TTHM during each calendar quarter (January 1 – March 31; April 1 – June 30; July 1 – September 30; October 1 to December 31).
4. Consult with your Ohio EPA district representative to discuss your options for coming into compliance and establishing a compliance schedule or comply with any existing enforcement action that has been issued to you.

Your prompt attention to this matter is greatly appreciated. Continued noncompliance may lead to enforcement actions. If you have any questions or wish to change the public notice, please call me at (614) 644-2752.

Sincerely,

Sarah Byerly
Compliance Assurance Section
Division of Drinking and Ground Waters

Enclosure: Public Notice; Public Notice Instructions and Verification Form
cc: Manager; DDAGW file; NWDO file; Allen County Health Department