



State of Ohio Environmental Protection Agency

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Columbus, OH 43216-1049**NOTICE OF VIOLATION – ACTION REQUIRED**

July 2, 2008

Re: **Madison County**
M.H. Eby, Inc. PWS
Non Transient Non Community
PWS ID: OH4943512M. H. Eby, Inc.
4435 St. Rt. 29
West Jefferson, OH 43162-0137**Subject: Violation of Total Coliform Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL)**
During May 2008 (Monthly)

M.h. Eby, Inc. PWS is in violation of the Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL) for Total Coliform established by Ohio Administrative Code (OAC), Rule 3745-81-14. Coliform are bacteria that are naturally present in the environment and are used as an indicator that other, potentially-harmful bacteria may be present.

ACTION REQUIRED:

- Investigate and eliminate the cause of bacterial contamination.** Special purpose samples may be collected to investigate the source of contamination or to verify elimination of the problem (these samples cannot be collected to comply with monitoring or MCL requirements; label samples as "special purpose").
- Notify the people served by this water system.** Within 30 days issue the enclosed public notice in accordance with OAC, Rule 3745-81-32 by the following method(s) to reach all persons served. The appropriate methods for your system are listed below under the **Non Transient Non Community** column.

Public Community	Transient or Non Transient Non Community
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mail or other direct delivery to each customer • If necessary to reach all persons regularly served, use other notification methods also, such as newspaper publication, public posting or Internet posting 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Posting in conspicuous locations, such as bulletin boards, restrooms, drinking fountains, vending areas; • Mail or other direct delivery to each customer • Send to parents or guardians of children at schools or day care facilities • E-mail, newsletters or newspaper
<p>Posted notices must remain in place for as long as the violation exists, but in no case for less than seven days (even if the violation is resolved). The language in italics on the enclosed public notice is mandatory and must be included, as written. Do not make changes to the public notice without consulting with Ohio EPA beforehand.</p>	

Ted Strickland, Governor
Lee Fisher, Lieutenant Governor
Chris Korleski, Director

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3. **Complete the enclosed verification form within ten (10) days of issuing the Public Notice** and mail it to Ohio EPA - Central District Office. Include a copy of each notice distributed, published or posted.
4. **Monitor with at least five (5) routine samples** in the month following a routine total coliform-positive result in accordance with OAC, Rule 3745-81-21(B)(7).

If you have any questions, contact this office at 614-728-5033.

Sincerely,



Susan Hampton
Environmental Specialist III
Division of Drinking and Ground Waters
Central District Office

Enclosures: Tier 2 Public Notification
Public Notice Instructions and Verification Form

c: Madison County Health Department
Central District Office Files
Information Management Section, DDAGW/CO