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January 9, 2008

**Re: Madison County  
Royal Inn  
Transient Non-Community  
PWS ID #4933312  
CERTIFIED MAIL # 91 7108 2133 3932 4450 6425**

Manager  
Royal Inn  
12745 Route 56 SE  
Mount Sterling, OH 43143

**Subject: Notice of Violation of Maximum Contaminant Level for Total Coliform Bacteria (ACUTE & Failure to Monitor with four repeat samples)**

During December 2007, your public water system incurred an **acute** violation of rule 3745-81-14 (D) of the Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) and a **monitoring** violation of rule 3745-81-21 (B)(1) of the OAC for failure to collect four (4) repeat samples within the required time period. **As a result of this violation, you are required to issue a water use advisory. Water must first be boiled prior to being used for potable purposes or bottled water must be provided.**

Actions required as a result of the above violation	
Step 1	<p><b>Within 24 hours</b>, consult with Ohio EPA and issue the attached public notice in accordance with rule 3745-81-32 of the Ohio Administrative Code using the following method(s) to reach all persons served by the public water system:</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Posting in conspicuous locations (restrooms, drinking fountains, vending areas, restaurants, bulletin boards, etc.)</p> <p>The language in italics on the attached public notice is mandatory and must be included as written.</p>
Step 2	Immediately initiate an investigation to determine and eliminate the cause and extent of bacterial contamination.
Step 3	Fill out the attached verification form and send along with a copy of the public notification issued within 10 days to the District Office of Ohio EPA.
Step 4	Lifting the Advisory - The public notice water use advisory shall remain in effect until you obtain one complete set of four (4) total coliform-negative (contain no coliforms) repeat samples. Clearly mark each repeat sample slip as "repeat sample". It is advisable to notify your customers when the problem is corrected.

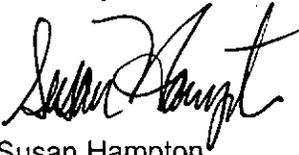
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Step 5	Because you are required to monitor with at least five (5) samples in the next month following any total coliform-positive result you must take at least five (5) total coliform samples in January 2008.
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If you have any questions, please contact me at (614) 728-5033.

Sincerely,



Susan Hampton  
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Division of Drinking and Ground Waters  
Central District Office

Enclosures

c: Madison County Health Department  
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