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NOTICE OF VIOLATION – ACTION REQUIRED

February 22, 2010

RE: LAKE COUNTY
MADISON CONG. OF JEHOVAHS WITNESS
NON-COMMUNITY, TRANSIENT
PWS ID # OH4339612

Mr. George Kico
4724 Lane Road
Perry, OH 44081

**Subject: Violation of Total Coliform Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL)
During January-March 2010**

Madison Cong. of Jehovah's Witness is in violation of the Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL) for Total Coliform established by Ohio Administrative Code (OAC), Rule 3745-81-14. Coliforms 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:

1. **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").
2. **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.
 - 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;
 - 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.
3. **Complete the enclosed verification form within 10 days of issuing the Public Notice** and mail it to Ohio EPA - NEDO. Include a copy of each notice distributed, published or posted.

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4. **Monitor with at least five (5) routine samples** in the month following (February 2010) a routine total coliform-positive result in accordance with OAC, Rule 3745-81-21(B)(7). Ohio EPA did receive four (4) repeat samples taken on February 16, 2010 ending the water use advisory. Please remember to return all required public notices and signed verification forms to this office.

If you have any questions, contact me at 330-963-1199.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Stephen Bopple". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Stephen Bopple, P.E.
Environmental Engineer
Division of Drinking and Ground Waters

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

cc: Lake County Health Department
Information Management Section, DDAGW, CO