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Lee Fisher, Lieutenant Governor
Chris Korleski, Director

November 15, 2007

RE: GEAUGA COUNTY
THE BELL STATION
TRANSIENT
PWS # OH2864312

The Bell Station
5196 Chillicothe Road
South Russell, OH 44022

**Subject: Notice of Violation of Monthly Maximum Contaminant Level
for Total Coliform Bacteria**

Dear Owner/Operator:

Your public water system incurred a **monthly** violation of rule 3745-81-14 of the Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) in November 2007.

A monthly violation of rule 3745-81-14 occurs when more than one or greater than five percent of your samples within the month were total coliform-positive.

Actions required as a result of the above violation	
Step 1	<p>Within 30 days issue the attached public notice of the violation in accordance with rule 3745-81-32 of the Ohio Administrative Code by the following method(s) to reach all persons served by the public water system:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Posting in conspicuous locations (restrooms, drinking fountains, vending areas, restaurants, bulletin boards, etc.) <p><i>The language in italic on the attached public notice is mandatory language and must be included as written.</i></p>
Step 2	Immediately initiate an investigation to determine and eliminate the cause and extent of bacterial contamination.
Step 3	Within ten (10) days of completing Step 1 above, fill out the attached verification form and send along with a copy of the public notification issued to the District Office of the Ohio EPA.
Step 4	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 December 2007.

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If you have any questions, please contact me at (330) 963-1282.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Donn Meehl". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looped "D" and "M".

Donn Meehl
Environmental Specialist
Division of Drinking and Ground Waters

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cc: Toni Buchanan, Ohio EPA, Central Office, DDAGW
Geauga County Health Department
Kim Etters, Ohio EPA, NEDO, DDAGW