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STATE OF CALIFORNIA
STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD

IN RE: **Del Norte Mutual Water Company**
 10814 Telephone Road
 Ventura, CA 93004

TO: **Mr. David Vanoni, Manager**

SYSTEM NO.: **5602104**

CITATION NO.: **04_06_16C_003_5602104_23**

CITATION

Section 116650 of Chapter 4, Part 12, Division 104 of the California Health and Safety Code (H&S Code), authorizes the issuance of a citation for failure to comply with the requirements of the California Safe Drinking Water Act, or any regulation, standard, permit or order issued thereunder.

VIOLATION

The State Water Resources Control Board, Division of Drinking Water, (hereinafter Division) hereby issues a citation to the Del Norte Mutual Water Company (hereinafter DNMWC) for the following violation:



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1. Section 64423, Title 22, CCR. Specifically, the DNMWC failed to collect and/or report a routine distribution coliform sample for the month of January 2016.

BACKGROUND

The DNMWC is a community water system as it serves approximately 198 people through 97 service connections. The system’s water supply is obtained from one active well (Well No. 10), which produces approximately 530 gpm and a 120,000 gallon capacity domestic storage reservoir for the two-pressure zone system. All the domestic water supply is disinfected using a gas chlorination system before entry into the domestic storage reservoir for delivery to the distribution system. The SNMWC has no interconnections with neighboring systems. The DNMWC provides continuous chlorination treatment of the domestic water supply.

The Total Coliform Rule requires the DNMWC to collect one routine coliform sample every month from the system. During the month of January 2016, the DNMWC failed to collect and/or report the required routine coliform sample, which resulted in non-compliance with Section 64423, Title 22, CCR.



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DIRECTIVES

The DNMWC is hereby directed to take the following actions:

1. Immediately, follow proper TCR routine and repeat sampling/reporting procedures in accordance with Article 3, Title 22, CCR, Sections 64423, 64424.
2. Within 30 days, the system shall notify the public of the monitoring failure to collect and analyze the required routine bacteriological distribution sample for the month of January 2016.
3. The DNMWC is recommended to provide continuous chlorine disinfection treatment to its well water supply at all times. A chlorine residual of 0.5 to 1.0 mg/L should be maintained at all times.
4. A copy of the notification and certification form shall be submitted to:

Jeff Densmore, P.E., District Engineer
 Division of Drinking Water
 Santa Barbara District
 1180 Eugenia Place, Suite 200
 Carpinteria, CA 93013-2000

2/24/2016
 Date


 Jeff Densmore, P.E., District Engineer
 Southern California Section
 Santa Barbara District (SWRCB-DDW)

cc: Ventura County Environmental Health
 Lori Frost, Applied Backflow Technologies, Inc.

