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Butte City Community Services District
P.O Box 141
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Attention: Joe Regoli, Board Chair

Subject: Public Water System #1100711 – Notice of Violation 21-18N-001 for Failure to Collect Five Routine Bacteriological Samples in March 2018.

The California Code of Regulations (CCR), Title 22, Article 3, Section 64424, requires each public water system that collects fewer than five routine samples per month must collect five routine samples in the distribution system the month following a total coliform-positive sample.

Our records show that Butte City CSD (System) operates a community water system and collects one routine bacteriological water quality sample per month.

In reviewing our records, we note that the System **only collected four out of five required routine samples in the month of March 2018, following a total coliform-positive sample in February 2018.**

This violation could require public notification within 30 days and a citation with possible fines. However, the System has a good past sampling record and we have used our discretion to not take this enforcement action.

However, <u>the Water System is required to note this failure in the 2018 Consumer Confidence Report.</u>

By sending this letter we are clearly informing you about the routine sampling responsibilities under the CCR.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please call Paul Rowe at (530) 224-4866 or me at (530) 224-4861.

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