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Burney Water District
20222 Hudson St.
Burney, CA 96103

Attention: Willie Rodriguez, District Manager

NOTICE OF VIOLATION NO. 01-02-18N-029 1,2,3-TRICHLOROPROPANE (1,2,3-TCP) MONITORING VIOLATION - FIRST QUARTER 2018

This letter is to inform you that the State Water Resources Control Board recently completed a review of the Burney Water District's active sources that require water quality monitoring for the newly regulated synthetic organic chemical 1,2,3-TCP.

Effective December 14, 2017, all community and non-transient non-community public water systems were to begin initial monitoring of their active sources for 1,2,3-TCP and report all sample results to the State Water Board starting with the first calendar quarter of 2018 unless otherwise specified.

Initial monitoring for 1,2,3-TCP consists of four quarterly samples beginning with the first calendar quarter of 2018. The purpose of the initial monitoring is to determine compliance with the 1,2,3-TCP maximum contaminant level of 5 parts per trillion, and for determining the possibility of a future monitoring waiver for Burney Water District's active sources.

The State Water Board's electronic water quality database shows that there were no 1,2,3-TCP test results reported in the first quarter of 2018 for the sources(s) listed below.

Primary Station Code	Source Name
4510003-004	Well 07

Please review your source monitoring records. If sampling for 1,2,3-TCP was indeed conducted during the first calendar quarter of 2018, please provide a copy of the results to 364 Knollcrest Drive, Suite 101, Redding, CA 96002 and to dwpreding@waterboards.ca.gov as soon as possible, and have the laboratory submit these missing sample results to the State Water Board electronically using the approved format. I also recommend calling me or my staff so that we can understand what happened and possibly assist to resolve the reporting issue for the future.

If, however, the first quarter 2018 sampling for 1,2,3-TCP was not conducted, then Burney Water District must perform the following actions:

1. Provide public notification as specified below; and
2. If not already done so, collect and have analyzed the second quarter 2018 sample(s) by June 30, 2018, from each active source. The missed first quarter 2018 sample(s) is to be collected in the first calendar quarter of 2019.

Public Notification Requirement

Since initial monitoring was not started in accordance with the California Code of Regulations, Title 22, Section 64445, our office has determined that a Tier 3 public notice is required.

The Burney Water District shall include this monitoring violation in either the 2017 Consumer Confidence Report due to customers by July 1, 2018, or in the 2018 Consumer Confidence Report due to customers by July 1, 2019.

An acceptable example of the Consumer Confidence Report notification language is as follows:

“We missed sampling for 1,2,3 – Trichloropropane in the first calendar quarter of 2018 and received a notice of violation from the State Water Board.”

Your attention to this matter will avoid a citation for any future 1,2,3-TCP initial monitoring issues.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please call Mey Bunte at (530) 224-3269 or me at (530) 224-4828.



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