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*** * NOTICE TO CUSTOMERS * ***

Friday, August 4, 2023

The Clarksburg Water Board (“CWB”) is required to conduct sampling for Di (2-ethylhexyl) Phthalate (“Di-2”) each year between July 1st and September 30th and report those results to the West Virginia Department of Health and Human Services Office of Environmental Health Services (“OEHS”). During the 2022 reporting year, CWB obtained samples of its drinking water on three (3) separate occasions between July 1, 2022, and September 30, 2022, and submitted those samples to its then West Virginia-certified laboratory for analysis of Di-2. CWB’s laboratory failed to provide CWB with the analytical results for this parameter within the required reporting timeframe and thus CWB was unable to provide a timely analytical result for this parameter to OEHS. OEHS has determined that this was a technical error on behalf of CWB’s laboratory and occurred through no fault of CWB.

While CWB was unable to produce an analytical result for Di-2 within the required reporting period due to a laboratory error, CWB did sample for Di-2 on three (3) additional occasions in 2022 and did receive analytical results for those samples that indicated no detection for this parameter, which is compliant with all recommended contaminant levels and other applicable laws and regulations and thus there is no threat to the drinking water of CWB’s users.

CWB has changed laboratories to avoid these errors in the future.

For questions or to obtain additional information, please contact Robert "Bob" Davis, Water Treatment Plant Superintendent, at (304) 623-8121.