



State of Ohio Environmental Protection Agency

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CERTIFIED MAIL

Issuance Date: November 22, 2004
Effective Date: December 22, 2004

Samuel L. Green
P.O. Box 683
Yorkville, OH 43971

**Re: Revocation of Certificate:
Public Water System I Operator Certificate No. 1-99-070**

Dear Mr. Green:

Pursuant to rule 3745-7-12 of the Ohio Administrative Code (OAC), copy attached, I hereby propose that Public Water System I Operator Certificate No. 1-99-070, issued on 5/28/1999, being renewed thereafter, be revoked for a period of five years beginning on the effective date indicated above.

The action is proposed due to your knowing and/or negligent submittal of misleading, inaccurate, or false reports to Ohio EPA, operating in a manner endangering the public health or welfare, and violating or causing to be violated rules promulgated under Chapter 6109 of the Ohio Revised Code (ORC) while performing your duties as the responsible charge operator for the Village of Yorkville drinking water treatment facility. The actions for which this revocation are based involve violations of ORC Chapter 6109 and the administrative rules promulgated thereunder, including:

The falsification of plant monthly operating reports submitted to the Ohio EPA while acting as the responsible charge operator of the Village of Yorkville drinking water treatment facility.

The failure to ensure that an adequate chlorine residual was maintained at the Village of Yorkville drinking water treatment facility and within the distribution system of the facility while acting as the responsible charge operator of the Village of Yorkville drinking water treatment facility.

Bob Taft, Governor
Jennette Bradley, Lieutenant Governor
Christopher Jones, Director

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You are hereby instructed to return your Operator Certificate, via certified mail to, Andrew Barienbrock, Division of Drinking and Ground Waters, 122 South Front Street, P.O. Box 1049, Columbus, OH 43216-1049, within seven (7) days of the effective date of this action.

In accordance with OAC 3745-7-12, you may not apply for certification during the effective period of the revocation of your operator certificate. After this period of ineligibility has expired, you may apply for examination for certification under OAC Chapter 3745.

If you wish to challenge this proposed action, you must request an adjudication hearing within thirty (30) days of the date of issuance of this action. At such hearing, you may appear in person or be represented by an attorney permitted to practice before this Agency, and you may present evidence at such hearing and examine witnesses. Request for hearings shall be in writing and sent to the Hearing Clerk, Ohio Environmental Protection Agency, at the above address.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Christopher Jones".

Christopher Jones
Director