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Ms. Brenda Erdoes, Legislative Counsel

c/o Debra. Corp  
Legislative Counsel Bureau (LCB), Legal Division  
401 South Carson Street  
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RE: Filing of Permanent Regulation R131-12: Statewide Fecal Coliform

Dear Ms. Corp:

A "[link](#)" to the permanent regulation referenced above is provided herein, this regulations was adopted by the State Environmental Commission (SEC) on October 11, 2012. Also enclosed is the filing statement required by NRS 233B.066 and the SEC form for filing administrative regulations with the Secretary of State.

This regulation removes the fecal coliform bacteria numeric criteria protecting contact recreation as the primary beneficial use for most designated waters, and replaces with fecal coliform numeric criteria to protect the primary beneficial uses of irrigation, livestock and wildlife where appropriate.

Additional support documentation for this regulation is posted on the SEC Website at [http://www.sec.nv.gov/main/hearing\\_1012.htm](http://www.sec.nv.gov/main/hearing_1012.htm) and the contact person for this regulation is Mr. John Heggeness (687-9449).

Sincerely,

[John B. Walker](#)

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Enclosure

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