BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

In re: PETITION OF LAUREL HILLS CONDOMINIUMS PROPERTY OWNERS ASSOCIATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY

DOCKET NO. 12-00030

FIRST AMENDED PETITION

COMES NOW the Petitioner, Laurel Hills Condominiums Property Owners Association and petitions the Tennessee Regulatory Authority (the Authority) for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to operate a water distribution system within a development in Cumberland County, Tennessee, known as Renegade Mountain.

- 1. On April 10, 2012, Laurel Hills Condominium Property Owners Association, Inc. (Petitioner or Laurel Hills) filed its original petition seeking a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (the "Original Petition") to operate the Renegade Mountain water system. As a result of the recent developments set forth in this Petition, the Petitioner files this amended petition (the "Amended Petition"). Due to recent developments with the Crab Orchard Utility District of Cumberland County, Tennessee, as explained in greater detail below, the Petitioner further requests that the Authority grant expedited review of this Amended Petition.
- 2. The Petitioner is a Tennessee nonprofit corporation which owns and operates a small water distribution system in Cumberland County, Tennessee within a development known as Renegade Mountain. Laurel Hills is the property owners association for the timeshare units of the Laurel Hills timeshare condominiums complex.

- 3. Laurel Hills acquired the water system on May 1, 2011. The warranty deed and bill of sale which conveyed the water system's real and personal property to Laurel Hills is attached to this Affidavit as Exhibit 1. Laurel Hills has been operating the water system since May 1, 2011.
- 4. Laurel Hills acquired the water system from Moy Toy, LLC which purchased the Renegade Mountain development on December 28, 2010. Moy Toy, LLC did not assume the operation of the water system after it purchased the Renegade Mountain development but transferred the water system to Laurel Hills. When Laurel Hills acquired the water system, it understood that the persons served by the water system had been paying a flat rate of \$25.00 per month per residential unit for water service except for the Cumberland Point Condominium Association which paid a flat rate of \$20.00 per month for each resident unit in the Cumberland Point Condominiums complex.
- 5. Laurel Hills does not know how long the monthly flat rates of \$25.00 and \$20.00 per residential unit had been in effect or how these rates were developed. Laurel Hills understands that these flat monthly rates had been in effect for several years.
- 6. When Laurel Hills acquired the water system, the water system was out of compliance with several rules and regulations of the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC) due to the failure of the prior owners to properly maintain and upgrade the water system. At that time TDEC had a pending case filed in the Davidson County Chancery Court seeking to enforce an order of the TDEC Commissioner issued in 2008 against the prior owner and operator of the system. Exhibit 2 to this Petition is a copy of the complaint filed by TDEC to enforce the Commissioner's Order.

- 7. After Laurel Hills acquired the water system, it began discussions with TDEC representatives about a plan of action to address the items set forth in the TDEC Commissioner's 2008 Order and to bring the water system into substantial compliance with its regulations for public water systems. Laurel Hills implemented the plan of action developed with TDEC. By January 1, 2012, Laurel Hills had substantially achieved this goal of compliance, and TDEC dismissed the pending enforcement action against the Renegade Mountain water system.
- 8. For water service beginning June 2011, Laurel Hills implemented a flat rate of \$86.40 per residential unit for monthly water service. Laurel Hills adopted this rate after reviewing the anticipated monthly operating expenses of the water system, the cost of improvements needed in the system to comply with TDEC regulations and the debts of the water system. The water system has approximately 50 customer connections; however, one customer, Cumberland Point Condominiums Association, purchases water for the 84 residential units in the Cumberland Point condominiums complex. In total, Laurel Hills has approximately 50 customers but provides water service for 135 residential units. In October of 2011 Laurel Hills concluded that the \$86.40 flat monthly rate per residential unit originally established for each residential unit did not cover its full cost of service. Many of Laurel Hills customers have not paid the \$86.40 monthly rate since Laurel Hills implemented this rate.
- 9. Laurel Hills purchases water from Crab Orchard Utility District to serve its customers. At the time Laurel Hills took over the water system, the water system's past-due account with Crab Orchard Utility District was almost \$20,000. Although Laurel Hills had initially been able to start paying down this balance, as detailed herein, the costs to operate the system increased and revenue from customers decreased resulting in significant strain on Laurel Hills' finances. As a result, Laurel Hills has been unable to pay its current bills, and the amount

due to Crab Orchard Utility District began to increase. As of July 20, 2012, Laurel Hills owes Crab Orchard Utility District \$17,993.65. Crab Orchard has demanded immediate payment of this past due amount, and Laurel Hills is without sufficient monies to make a substantial payment towards this outstanding balance.

- 10. Revenue from water sales is Laurel Hills only source of income to operate the water system. Because Laurel Hills does not have sufficient revenue to meet its operating expenses, to pay its debts and to make the necessary improvements to its water system, it borrowed money to pay for the water system improvements and for the implementation of new operating requirements mandated by TDEC. Most of the customers of Laurel Hills have not paid their bills for water service in full since June of 2011 at the \$86.40 per residential unit rate. Beginning in October and November of 2011, the majority of the customers of Laurel Hills stopped making any payments for water service to Laurel Hills altogether. By the end of December of 2011, Laurel Hills had expended almost all of its funds to continue to operate the water system and had no revenue coming in from its customers to pay its expenses.
- 11. The water system operated by Laurel Hills is not metered. When the water system was constructed, no valves or other equipment was installed on the individual service lines connected to Laurel Hills water mains which would permit Laurel Hills to terminate water service to individual customers for nonpayment. Therefore, Laurel Hills sent a Memorandum to its customers dated December 30, 2011, with the customers' January bills in which Laurel Hills advised its customers that unless payment was received for past-due bills, it would have no alternative except to suspend water service effective January 31, 2012, for lack of funds to operate the water system. A copy of the Memorandum is attached as Exhibit 3 to this Petition.

- 12. On February 3, 2012, six customers of Laurel Hills filed a lawsuit against Laurel Hills in the Chancery Court of Cumberland County seeking a declaration that Laurel Hills had abandoned the water system and seeking a temporary restraining order and temporary injunction to prohibit Laurel Hills from terminating water service to its customers for nonpayment. A copy of this Complaint is attached as Exhibit 4 to this Petition. A temporary restraining order was issued on February 3, 2012, a copy of which is attached as Exhibit 5 to this Petition.
- order dated February 28, 2012 granting a temporary injunction which prohibited Laurel Hills from terminating water service for 60 days to any customer who had paid one-half of the customer's outstanding balance on its account within 20 days after February 14, 2012 and who was a party to the lawsuit. A copy of Chancellor Thurman's order is attached as Exhibit 6 to this Petition.
- 14. In his February 28, 2012 Order, Chancellor Thurman ordered that Laurel Hills contact the Authority within 20 days after the temporary injunction hearing regarding the Authority's regulation of the Renegade Mountain water system. Counsel for Laurel Hills wrote a letter dated February 16, 2012 to the Authority's General Counsel to inform the Authority that this Petition would be filed. A copy of this letter is attached as Exhibit 7 to this Petition.
- 15. Laurel Hills understands that no previous owner of the Renegade Mountain water system had ever obtained a certificate of public convenience and necessity to operate the water system from the Tennessee Public Service Commission or the Authority since the water system was constructed in the 1970s and 1980s. At the time Laurel Hills acquired the water system on May 1, 2011, it understood that its operation of the Renegade Mountain water system was not

subject to regulation by the Authority because Laurel Hills was a Tennessee nonprofit corporation.

- 16. As a result of the enactment of Public Chapter 430 of the 2011 Tennessee Public Acts, it appears that Laurel Hills became a public utility as defined in T.C.A § 65-4-101 and became subject to regulation by the Authority on the effective date of Public Chapter 430, June 6, 2011.
- 17. Following Laurel Hill's filing of the Original Petition, it concluded that the Renegade Mountain water system was not a financially viable public water system. While the water system has about 50 connections, less than 10 of the single family homes on the system in the Renegade Mountain development are occupied full time. Currently, less than 25 of the units in the Cumberland Point Condominiums have full time residents. Therefore, its water system has a very small number of customers who can share the costs to operate and maintain the water system. Because the majority of the single family home and condominium units are not occupied full time, the cost per thousand gallons to operate and maintain the water system is very high.
- 18. Because it concluded that the Renegade Mountain water system was not a financially viable public water system, Laurel Hills attempted to terminate service to all of its customers other than itself. Laurel Hills withdrew the original Petition because it believed it was no longer a public utility as defined in T.C.A § 65-4-101(6) because it would only be providing service to itself. The Authority filed a complaint with the Cumberland County Chancery Court seeking an injunction to prohibit Laurel Hills from terminating service to all of its customers other than itself. The Authority took the position that Laurel Hills could not change its status as

a public utility by giving the 60 days notice of termination of water service required by T.C.A § 68-221-711 (9) for a public water system to terminate service to its customers.

- 19. The Authority obtained a temporary restraining order and a subsequent temporary injunction from Chancellor Thurman in Cumberland County Chancery Court. This temporary injunction requires Laurel Hills to continue to provide service to all current customers at a rate of \$43.20 until the Authority approves a new rate. At this time, Laurel Hills continues to charge \$43.20 to its customers per Chancellor Thurman's decision. However, Laurel Hills believes this rate is woefully inadequate for the water system and as a result of being ordered to charge this rate, the Petitioner's financial position continues to deteriorate and may cause its water supplier to terminate service for nonpayment.
- 20. Crab Orchard Utility District has demanded that the Petitioner pay in full the past due amount owed to Crab Orchard Utility District. Attached to this Amended Petition as Exhibit 8 is a letter the Petitioner's counsel received from Crab Orchard Utility District's counsel requesting that the full past due balance be paid by Monday July 30, 2012. Given the size of this bill and the Petitioner's current financial state, Petitioner does not have sufficient funds to make any kind of substantial payment on this bill.
- 21. Laurel Hills believes that a flat monthly rate of \$134.26 per residential unit is necessary for it to meet its full cost of service. An amended proposed tariff for Laurel Hills is attached to this Petition as Exhibit 9. Currently, it costs Laurel Hills approximately \$18,125 per month to operate the system. A breakdown of the budgeted monthly expenses of Laurel Hills is attached as Exhibit 10. This amount spread across Laurel Hills' 135 customers results in a monthly service rate of \$134.26. This rate is necessary, in part, to provide revenue to pay for the rehabilitation of a water tank that has been out of service since Laurel Hills installed the current

pump system. TDEC requested that Laurel Hills bring this water tank online to ensure, in part, that a backup system is in place to provide fire protection in the event of power loss or other system interruption in Crab Orchard Utility District's water system that would prevent the water pumps from delivering water up the mountain to the Laurel Hills' customers. This is a major expense, approximately \$200,000, that must be incurred to satisfy TDEC.

- 22. Because of the sizeable financial loss of the water system since it acquired and the threat of termination of water service from its supplier, Laurel Hills requests that the Authority expedite its review of the Amended Petition and authorize Laurel Hills to implement an emergency monthly rate of \$134.26 rate per residential unit pending a final decision on this Petition to provide Laurel Hills with revenue to keep the water system operating.
- 23. Additionally, Laurel Hills respectfully requests that it be permitted to charge a temporary surcharge to recover its losses over a period of time and to pay down over a period of time the amount due to Crab Orchard Utility District. In correspondence from Crab Orchard Utility District's counsel with Laurel Hills' counsel, Crab Orchard Utility District is demanding immediate payment of the past due amount, which is \$17,993.65 as of July 20, 2012. Accordingly, Laurel Hills seeks authority to assess a surcharge to help bring this account current. The amount of this surcharge is dependent upon how long the Crab Orchard Utility District permits Laurel Hills to pay back this past due amount and how long other creditors are willing to work with Laurel Hills to pay its outstanding debts to them. Laurel Hills will continue to work with Crab Orchard Utility District to provide a timeline for the payment of this past due amount during the pendency of the Amended Petition and will notify the Authority immediately of any major developments in these negotiations.

- 24. Since the filing of the Original Petition, Laurel Hills installed valve boxes at most of the customer connections served by the water system. Along with other benefits, these valve boxes will allow Laurel Hills to terminate service to individual customer connections. Although this work is not completed, Laurel Hills hopes to soon complete this work. To the extent that these valve boxes have already been installed, Laurel Hills would respectfully request authority to terminate service to customers that are not current in payment of their bills upon the filing of this Amended Petition.
- 25. Additionally, given the unique nature of the Laurel Hills system, namely that it serves a number of residential units which are only occupied part time, as opposed to permanently inhabited, Laurel Hills respectfully requests authority to charge a \$500 reconnection fee. Otherwise, Laurel Hills customers may terminate service for the period of time they are not using the residences. A \$500 reconnection fee will provide incentive to ensure that customers do not undertake this course of action, which would have devastating effects to the remainder of the water system's customers. Specifically, the \$134.26 rate is dependent on all current customers remaining monthly customers. Given the fact that the majority of the costs to operate the system are fixed costs, and not variable costs associated with water usage, it is imperative that a large customer base absorb these relatively high fixed costs, otherwise the monthly fee charged to customers could skyrocket for those residential units that remain permanently connected to the system.

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, the Petitioner prays:

1. That the Authority issue a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to operate the Renegade Mountain water system in Cumberland County;

- 2. That the Authority approve the tariff filed by the Petitioner with this Petition with a flat rate monthly rate of \$134.26 per residential unit and other charges set forth in the tariff and approve the rules and regulations for service in this tariff; and
- 3. That the Authority expedite review of this Amended Petition to ensure that the Petitioner can continue to operate.
 - 3. The Authority grant the Petitioner any other relief to which it is entitled.

Dated August 3, 2012.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

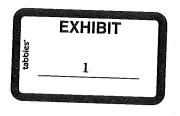
I hereby certify that on August 3, 2012, a true and exact copy of the foregoing First Amended Petition was served upon the following by electronic mail and by depositing a copy in the United States Mail, first-class postage prepaid:

Shiva K. Bozarth Legal Counsel Tennessee Regulatory Authority 460 James Robertson Parkway Nashville TN 37243-0505

Melanie Davis Kizer & Black Attorneys, PLLC 329 Cates Street Maryville, TN 37801

John J. Baroni Vance Broemel Consumer Advocate and Protection Division Office of the Tennessee Attorney General P.O. Box 20207 Nashville, TN 37202

Benjamin A. Gastel



OWNER/RESPONSIBLE TAXPAYER: Laurel Hills Condominiums Property Owners Association 17 Mount Laurel Drive Crab Orchard, TN 37723 THIS INSTRUMENT PREPARED BY: Robert V. Schwerer, Esquire Hayskar, Walker, Schwerer, Dundas & McCain, P.A. P.O. Box 3779
Fort Pierce, FL 34948

WARRANTY DEED

THIS INDENTURE made as of the 1st day of May, 2011, between MOY TOY, LLC, a Tennessee limited liability company, First Party, and LAUREL HILLS CONDOMINIUMS PROPERTY OWNERS ASSOCIATION, a Tennessee nonprofit corporation, Second Party:

WITNESSETH:

THAT SAID FIRST PARTY, for and in consideration of the sum of TEN AND NO/100 (\$10.00) DOLLARS, and other good and valuable consideration, them in hand paid by said Second Party, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, have granted, bargained, sold and conveyed, and do by these presents grant, bargain, sell and convey unto Second Party, the real property described as follows:

(SEE PROPERTY DESCRIPTION ON EXHIBIT "A" ATTACHED HERETO AND MADE A PART HEREOF)

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with the hereditaments and appurtenances thereto appertaining, hereby releasing all claims therein, including homestead. **TO HAVE AND TO HOLD** the same unto the Second Party, its successors and assigns forever.

AND said First Party, for themselves and their successors and assigns, do hereby covenant with Second Party, its successors and assigns, that they are lawfully seized in fee simple of the premises above conveyed and has full power, authority and right to convey the same, and that said premises are free from all encumbrances and that they will forever warrant and defend the said premises and the title thereto against the lawful claims of all persons whosoever; provided, however, this conveyance is made subject to the matters set forth on Exhibit "B" attached and 2011 taxes, which Second Party assumes and agrees to pay.

Whenever in this instrument a pronoun is used it shall be construed to represent either singular or plural, or the masculine, feminine or neuter gender, as the case may demand.

This document may be executed in counterparts which together constitute one original document.

IT IS EXPRESSLY UNDERSTOOD AND AGREED by and between the First Party and the Second Party that the said property herein described shall only be used for utility purposes and title thereto and the improvements constructed thereon shall revert to the First Party on ninety (90) days prior written notice of violation of the use covenant set out above.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said First Party hereunder has caused this instrument to be executed as of the day and year first above written.

MOY TOY, LLC

BY:

PHILLIPG. GUETTLER, Managing Member of Renegade Florida Management, LLC, as General Partner of Renegade Florida, Limited, Managing Member of Moy Toy, LLC

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF ST. LUCIE

Before me, a Notary Public in and for said County and State aforesaid, personally appeared Phillip G. Guettler, with whom I am personally acquainted (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) and who, upon oath, acknowledged himself to be the Managing Member of Renegade Florida Management, LLC, as General Partner of Renegade Florida, Limited, Managing Member of Moy Toy, LLC, a Tennessee limited liability company, and that he in such capacity executed the foregoing instrument for the purpose therein contained, by signing the name of the company.

WITNESS my hand and official seal at office this <u>3/67</u> day of May, 2011.

SHARON M. MORRIS
MY COMMISSION # DD 991175
EXPIRES: July 31, 2014
Bonded Thru Budget Notary Services

STATE OF FLORIDA AT LARGE MY COMMISSION EXPIRES:

STATE OF FLORIDA TOUNTY OF ST. LUCIE

Thereby swear or affirm that the actual consideration or true value of this transfer, whichever is greater, is \$ 400,000.

Affiant

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF PLORIDA AT LARGE MY COMMISSION EXPIRES: 3

RENEGADE MOUNTAIN

LEGAL DESCRIPTION WATER TANK SITE

Being a tract of land located in the Fourth District of Cumberland County, Tennessee and being within the bounds of Renegade Mountain, formerly Cumberland Gardens Resort, formerly Renegade Resorts, being more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the Northwest corner of Woodridge Condo Phase 1 as shown in Plat Book 9 at Page 185; Said Point being on the Easterly Right-of-Way Line of Renegade Mountain Parkway as shown in PB 2 at Pg 90, Revised in PB 9 at Pg 191, at the office of the Register of Deeds, Cumberland County, Tennessee;

Thence Northeasterly along said Easterly Right of way Line, being a curve to the right, having a radius of 137.18 feet, thru a central angle of 63° 19' 00", 151.60 feet;

Thence, N 68°51'47" E, 45.17 feet; Thence, S 59°50'18" E, 62.16 feet;

Thence, S 70°02'32" E, 48.11 feet; Thence, S 34°36'48" W, 129.83 feet;

Thence, N 43°05'21" W, 57.01 feet; Thence, S 74°10'36" W, 103.96 feet; to the Point of Beginning of the herein described Water Tank Site Tract. (Containing 0.43 Acres more or less). A Portion of Map 141, Parcel 031.00 and a Portion of Map 141, Parcel 056.00.

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JUDY GRAHAM SWALLOWS
REGISTER OF DEEDS

EXHIBIT "A"

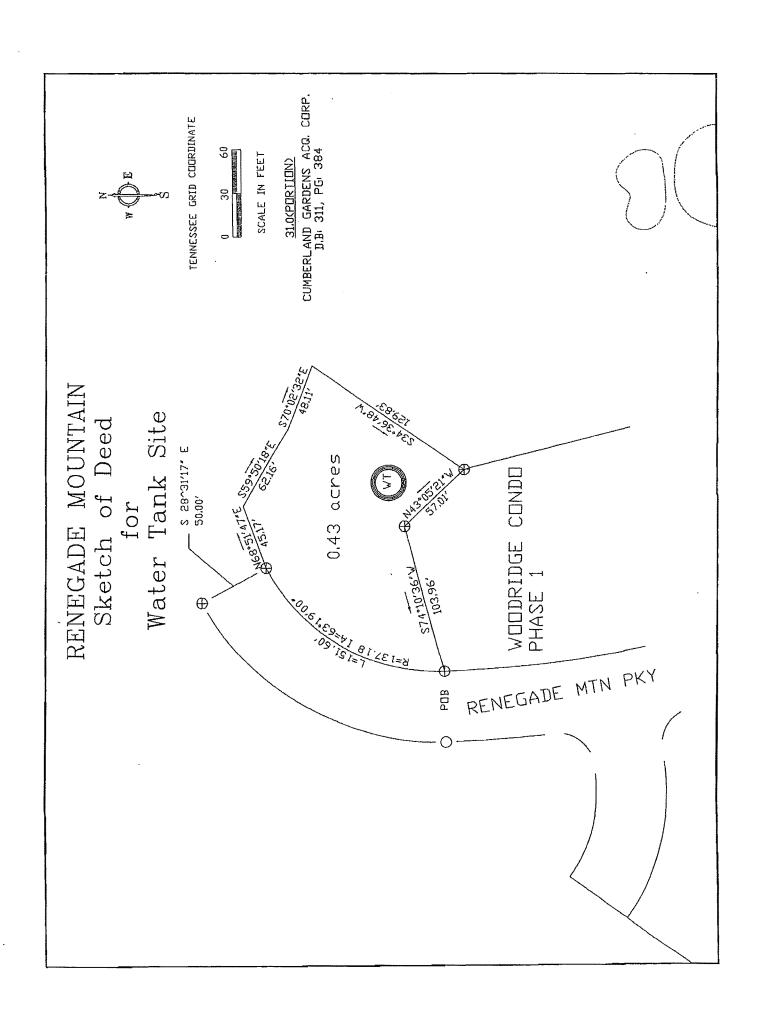


EXHIBIT "B"

- 1. Title to that portion of the premises, if any located within the bounds of any cemetery, together with the right of ingress and egress thereto and the rights of internment and sepulcher.
- 2. Reservation of minerals and mining rights of subject property of record in Deed Book 31, page 426, in the Cumberland County Register's Office.
- 3. Reservation of minerals and mining rights of record in Deed Book 31, pages 445, in the Cumberland County Register's Office.
- 4. Rights and privileges granted William E. Evans, et al, by instrument of record in Misc. Book 81, page 377, in the Cumberland County Register's Office.
- 5. Reservation of minerals and mining rights of record in Deed Book 261, page 49, in the Cumberland County Register's Office.
- 6. Right-of-way for a road 16 feet, more or less, wide, running southwest through the above land to the salting ground as described in Deed Book 66, page 168, in the Cumberland County Register's Office.
- 7. Reservation of minerals and mining rights of record in Deed Book 71, page 41, in the Cumberland County Register's Office.
- 8. Easement for ingress and egress in favor of the Cumberland County Playhouse, Inc., dated June 20, 1994, of record in Deed Book 470, page 388, in the Cumberland County Register's Office.
- 9. Title to the minerals underlying the property described in Exhibit A hereof.
- 10. Agreement between Cumberland Point Condominium Property Owners Association and Cumberland Gardens Acquisition Corporation for an easement for the operation of a sewer plant dated March 19, 1999, of record in Deed Book 1047, page 1651, in the Cumberland County Register's Office.
- 11. The right, if any, of others to use for road purposes so much of subject property as lies in any roadway.
- 12. Matters depicted or disclosed by plat recorded in Plat Book 10, page 419, in the Cumberland County Register's Office.
- 13. Covenants and restrictions as set forth in Deed Book 124, page 5, as amended in Deed Book 347, page 76, in the Cumberland County Register's Office.
- 14. Amended and Restated Declaration of Amended Covenants and Restrictions of record in Book 1212, page 1224, in the Cumberland County Register's Office.
- 15. By-Laws of Renegade Community Club recorded in Book 1212, page 1290, in the Cumberland County Register's Office.
- 16. Judgment filed against Renegade Resort, LLC, Renegade Mountain Community Club, LKM Group, LLC, Larry McMeans and Joe Wucher, in favor of Eagle's Nest, LLC a/k/a Eagle's Nest of Nevada, LLC, recorded in Book 1237, page 1641, in the Cumberland County Register's Office.

BILL OF SALE

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF ST. LUCIE

WHEREAS, MOY TOY, LLC, a Tennessee limited liability company, (hereafter "MOY TOY") and LAUREL HILLS CONDOMINIUMS PROPERTY OWNERS ASSOCIATION, a Tennessee nonprofit corporation, (hereafter "LAUREL HILLS") entered into a Conveyance Agreement dated May 1, 2011, for MOY TOY to transfer of all its right, title to, and interest in a water system being operated for the benefit of property generally known as Renegade Mountain in Crab Orchard, Tennessee, including customers and other assets, on the date of conveyance, to LAUREL HILLS; and

WHEREAS, the transfer of MOY TOY'S interest in the water system and its assets evidenced by this bill of sale is subject to all of the terms and conditions set forth in the Conveyance Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) cash in hand paid and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, including the mutual covenants, representations and promises contained in the Conveyance Agreement, MOY TOY hereby bargains, sells, assigns, transfers, and conveys to LAUREL HILLS all right, title to and interest in the water system and its assets, both tangible and intangible, including, but not limited to, all water transmission lines, water service lines, water meters, valves, pumping stations, water storage tanks and all other tangible assets (and all appurtenances thereto), all accounts receivable, all rights under any contracts, all service rights, and all other general intangible assets.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD said assets unto **LAUREL HILLS**, its successors and assigns, forever.

MOY TOY, for itself and its representatives, does hereby covenant with LAUREL HILLS, its successors and assigns, that it is the true and lawful owner of said assets hereby transferred and has the full power to sell and convey the same; that the title so conveyed is free and clear of all liabilities, liens, charges, security interests and any other encumbrances; and further, that it does warrant and will defend the same against all claims of all persons whomsoever.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Bill of Sale is executed by the undersigned effective this 1st day of May, 2011.

DATED: May 1, 2011.

MOY TOY, LLC, a Tennessee limited liability company,

BY:

PHILLIP GUETTLER, Managing Member of RENEGADE FLORIDA MANAGEMENT, LLC, as General Partner of RENEGADE FLORIDA, LIMITED, as Managing Member of MOY TOY, LLC

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IN THE CHANCERY COURT FOR THE STATE OF TENNESSEE TWENTIETH JUDICIAL DISTRICT, DAVIDSON COUNTY

STATE OF TENNESSEE, ex rel. ROBERT E. COOPER, JR., in his official capacity as the Attorney General and Reporter of Tennessee, and ROBERT J. MARTINEAU, in his official capacity as the Commissioner of the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation, Plaintiffs, ٧, Case No. 09-1341-I J L WUCHER COMPANY, LLC, OLD SOUTH RENEGADE, LLC, RENEGADE MOUNTAIN WATER SYSTEMS, LLC, and JOSEPH L. WUCHER, individually, Defendants.

SECOND AMENDED VERIFIED COMPLAINT

INTRODUCTION

Defendants J L Wucher Company, LLC, (Wucher Company) and Joseph L. Wucher, individually, (Mr. Wucher) for violations of the Tennessee Safe Drinking Water Act, Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-221-701 et seq. (Act) and the regulations promulgated thereunder, Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 1200-5-1-.01 et seq. (Rules) at the Renegade Mountain Public Water System, Id. #0008157, Cumberland County, Tennessee (the System). The Plaintiffs' verified complaint sought enforcement of a final administrative order issued in 2008 against Mr. Wucher for violations of the Act and Rules at the System as well as injunctive relief and the assessment of

civil penalties against Wucher Company and Mr. Wucher for violations that occurred subsequent to the administrative order becoming final. A summons and copy of the verified complaint were served on Wucher Company and Mr. Wucher through certified U.S. mail return receipt requested on July 16, 2009.

- 2. Pursuant to Tenn. R. Civ. P. 15, Plaintiffs filed their First Amended Verified Complaint as a matter of right on July 6, 2010. It was served on Wucher Company and Mr. Wucher via U.S. mail on July 6, 2010. The Plaintiffs' First Amended Verified Complaint included all of the allegations and relief requested in the original verified complaint. It also sought additional relief against Wucher Company and Mr. Wucher for violations of the Act and Rules discovered at the System in November and December 2009 and for violations occurring in 2010 relating to the failure to have a certified operator for the System.
- 3. The Plaintiffs' Second Amended Verified Complaint includes all of the allegations and relief requested in the Pirst Amended Verified Complaint. It also adds two Tennessee limited liability companies, Old South Renegade, LLC (Old South Renegade) and Renegade Mountain Water Systems, LLC (Renegade Mountain Water), as new defendants to this action. Old South Renegade and Renegade Mountain Water were added to this action based on recently discovered information which indicates that they are also liable for violations of the Act and the Rules at the System. In the Second Amended Verified Complaint, the Plaintiffs are also seeking additional injunctive relief and the assessment of civil penalties against the Defendants for violations of the Act and the Rules which have occurred subsequent to the filing of the First Amended Complaint.

JURISDICTION AND VENUE

4. This Court has jurisdiction of this action under Tenn. Code Ann. §§ 68-221-713

and -715.

5. Venue is proper in this Court pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. §§ 68-221-713 and -715.

PARTIES

- 6. This action is brought in the name of the State of Tennessee by the Plaintiff, Robert E. Cooper, Jr., in his official capacity as the Attorney General and Reporter of the State of Tennessee. Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 8-6-109(b)(1), the Attorney General is the chief law enforcement officer of the State of Tennessee and has authority over all civil litigation in which the State, or any officer, department, agency, board, commission or instrumentality of the State may be interested. The Attorney General also has authority over litigation involving the public interest. The Attorney General's official residence is in Nashville, Davidson County, Tennessee.
- 7. This action is also brought in the name of the Plaintiff, Robert J. Martineau, in his official capacity as the Commissioner of the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (Commissioner). The Commissioner is charged with the duty to enforce the provisions of the Act. The affidavit and verification of Sherwin Smith, the compliance manager for the enforcement section of the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation's Division of Water Supply is attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein as Exhibit 1. The Commissioner's official residence is in Nashville, Davidson County, Tennessee.
- 8. Wucher Company is a Tennessee limited liability company that is currently administratively dissolved. The registered agent for service of process is Mike Haines, and the

¹ In accordance with Tenn. R. Civ. P. 25.04, Robert J. Martineau was automatically substituted as successor in office to former TDEC Commissioner James H. Fyke.

address for the registered agent is 3227 Renegade Mountain Pkwy, Crab Orchard, Tennessee, 37723. The principal business address for this entity is 3217 Cumberland Gardens Trail, Crab Orchard, Tennessee, 37723. The mailing address for Wucher Company is P.O. Box 288, Crab Orchard, Tennessee, 37723.

- 9. Old South Renegade is a Tennessee limited liability company that is currently administratively dissolved. Its registered agent for service of process is Cherry W. Daugherty. Its principal business address is 3227 Cumberland Gardens Trail, P.O. Box 288, Crab Orchard, Tennessee, 37723.
- 10. Mr. Wucher is a "person" as defined by the Act and is the managing member of Wucher Company and Renegade Mountain Water. Mr. Wucher can be served at 18 Barcelona Circle, Redwood City, California, 94065.
- 11. Renegade Mountain Water is a Tennessee limited liability company that is currently administratively dissolved. Its principal business address is 3217 Cumberland Gardens Trail/PO Box 288, Crab Orchard, Tennessee, 37723. Renegade Mountain Water may be served through Mr. Wucher, its managing member.

FACTUAL ALLEGATIONS

- 12. The System is located in Cumberland County, Tennessee. It is a "public water system" as defined by Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-221-703(19)(A). The System is also a "Community Water System" as defined by Rule 1200-5-1-.04(10). The System purchases water to distribute to its customers from Crab Orchard Utility District.
- 13. Wucher Company was an owner of the System because it owned certain real property in Cumberland County, Tennessee, where a portion of the System is located. Because Wucher Company was an owner of the System, it was a "supplier of water" as defined by Tenn.

Code Ann. § 68-221-703(22). Wucher Company was an owner of the System and a supplier of water during the time period in which the violations of the Act and Rules described in this complaint occurred.

- 14. Old South Renegade is an owner and/or operator of the System because it bills and collects money from customers of the System, purchases water for the System from Crab Orchard Utility District, and pays annual fees to the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC) for the System as required under the Act.
- 15. Renegade Mountain Water is an owner and/or operator of the System based on the assertions made by Wucher Company and Mr. Wucher in their Motion to Dismiss which was filed with the Court on September 1, 2010. In addition, this entity has billed customers of the System and has collected money from these customers in the past. Because Renegade Mountain Water Systems is an owner and/or operator of the System, it is also a "supplier of water" as defined by Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-221-703(22).
- Company. He has met in person with TDEC personnel about the violations found at the System. He also has made representations to TDEC personnel that he would take action to correct the environmental violations at the System but has not done so. Upon information and belief, he has authorized Old South Renegade to purchase water from Crab Orchard Utility District for the System and has authorized payments made by Old South Renegade to TDEC for annual fees owed by the System in the past. Based on these facts, Mr. Wucher is an owner, operator, and/or person in control of the System and therefore a "supplier of water" as defined by Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-221-703(22).
 - 17. On September 17 and 18, 2007, TDEC Division of Water Supply (Division)

personnel conducted a sanitary survey inspection of the System. During this inspection, Division personnel documented the following violations of the Act and Rules:

- a. No flap valve or splash guard was installed on the overflow in the water storage tank;
- b. Water storage tank had not been cleaned or painted as previously required;

c. Duplicate pump had not been properly repaired as required;

d. Pump building had large hole in one side and had deteriorating insulation falling from the ceiling;

e. Updated map of distribution system was not available for review; and

- f. Approximately half of the water line between the System's pumping station and the water storage tank was exposed above ground without suitable covering approved by TDEC.
- 18. On January 2, 2008, the Division issued to Mr. Wucher by certified mail return receipt requested an administrative order (Order), for violations of the Act and the Rules documented during the September 17 and 18, 2007, sanitary survey inspection. The Order was also issued to another person named Larry McMcans (Mr. McMeans). The Order required Mr. Wucher and Mr. McMcans to take the following corrective action measures:
 - a. Within thirty (30) days of receipt of the Order, submit written plans and specifications to the Division describing what actions will be taken to correct the deficiencies identified by Division personnel during the September 2007 inspection of the Renegade Mountain Water System. Such plans must include a schedule for completion of such repairs, modifications, and corrective actions as described in the plans.
 - b. Within forty-five (45) days of receipt of written approval of the plans from the Division, the Defendants must commence repairs, modifications, and corrective actions in accordance with the plans approved by the Division and complete all work in accordance with the schedule approved by the Division.
- 19. The Order assessed Mr. Wucher and Mr. McMeans an up-front civil penalty in the amount of three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00), which was due and payable to the Division within thirty (30) days of receiving the Order. The Order also provided for contingent civil penalties in the amount of eight thousand dollars (\$8,000.00), which would become due and

payable to the Division if Mr. Wucher and Mr. McMeans failed to comply with the corrective action requirements in the Order. A copy of the Order is attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein as Exhibit 2.

- 20. Mr. Wucher received the Order on January 7, 2008, as evidenced by the certified return receipt card, a copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein as Exhibit 3. Mr. McMeans received the Order on January 9, 2008, as evidenced by another certified return receipt card, a copy of which is also attached as Exhibit 3.
- 21. Mr. Wucher did not file an appeal of the Order within the time period provided by the Act, and therefore, the Order became final pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. §§ 68-221-712(a)(4) and 68-221-713(b)(2)(B). TDEC subsequently decided not to seek enforcement of the terms of the Order against Mr. McMeans.
- 22. On May 21, 2008, Division personnel met with Mr. Wucher at the Cookeville Environmental Field Office. During the meeting, Mr. Wucher agreed to submit written plans and specifications to the Division, as required under the final Order, by July 1, 2008, and to implement such plans when approved by TDEC. No such written plans and specifications were ever received by the Division.
- 23. On December 24, 2008, Division personnel were notified that several major breaks had developed in the above ground water transmission line between the pumping station and the water storage tank in the System and that these breaks had caused customers of the System to be without access to water.
- 24. On January 5, 2009, Division personnel inspected the System and observed that the fractured sections of the above ground water transmission line were being replaced with new steel above ground piping. Division personnel spoke to Darrell McQueen (Mr. McQueen), who

was overseeing the work at the site. Division personnel reminded Mr. McQueen that the replacement of the fractured sections of the line was only a temporary fix to the problem and that the above ground portions of the line between the pumping station and the water storage tank needed to be buried with sufficient earthen cover in order to prevent the line from freezing and breaking again in the future.

- On January 20, 2009, Division personnel were notified of another potential 25. disruption of service to customers of the System because of a malfunction with equipment in the pump house for the System.
- On January 21, 2009, Division personnel visited the System to check on the status 26. of the repairs to the equipment in the pump house for the System. During this inspection, Division personnel met with Mark Sutton, Mr. McQueen, and Mr. Wucher. During this visit, Mr. McQueen told Division personnel that repairs would be made to the equipment and that service would be restored to the System shortly.
- On November 30 and December 1, 2009, Division personnel conducted another 27. During this inspection, Division personnel sanitary survey inspection of the System. documented the following violations of the Act and the Rules:
 - Required records for the System were not being maintained; a.
 - Daily operating reports had not been timely submitted to the Division; b.
 - No flap valve or splash guard had been installed on the overflow in the water ¢. storage tank;
 - Water storage tank had not been cleaned or painted as previously required; d.
 - Five year professional inspection of water storage tank had not occurred; e.
 - Flushing program for the System was not being followed; f.
 - Dead end lines and low points were not equipped with flushing mechanism; g.
 - Line repair records and bacteriological sampling records were not maintained; b.
 - Capacity Development Plan was not available for review; j.
 - No backflow prevention device was installed at connection for the public j. swimming pool; and
 - Updated map of distribution system was not available for review. k.

- 28. On March 29, 2010, Division personnel received a copy of a resignation letter sent by Gerald Williams, the certified operator of the System, to Mr. Wucher. A copy of this letter is attached as Exhibit 4.
- 29. On April 12, 2010, Division personnel sent by certified mail a sanitary survey report to Wucher Company and Mr. Wucher describing the violations that were observed during the November 30 and December 1, 2009, sanitary survey inspection of the System. A copy of this letter is attached as Exhibit 5. Mr. Wucher refused to accept delivery of this letter as evidenced by a copy of the certified return receipt card which is attached as Exhibit 6.
- 30. On April 12, 2010, Division personnel also sent a Notice of Noncompliance letter to Wucher Company and Mr. Wucher informing them that the certified operator for the System had recently resigned. This letter required Mr. Wucher to retain the services of another person, qualified under Division rules, to be the certified operator for the System, and to submit a completed certified operator agreement form to the Division identifying the name of the new certified operator within twenty (20) days of receipt of the letter. A copy of this letter is attached as Exhibit 7. The return receipt card for this letter, a copy of which is attached as Exhibit 8, indicates that this letter was returned to TDEC as being "unclaimed" by Wucher Company and Mr. Wucher.
- 31. In April 2010, TDEC became aware that Mr. Wucher had failed to submit to the Division the monitoring results for certain disinfection byproducts used by the System for the first quarter of 2010 as required by Rule 1200-5-1-.36(6)(b)(1)(i).
- 32. In October 2010, Division personnel became aware that Mr. Wucher had failed to submit to the Division the monitoring results for certain disinfection byproducts used by the

System for the third quarter of 2010 as required by Rule 1200-5-1-.36(6)(b)(1)(i).

- October 28, 2010, notifying him of this violation and requiring Mr. Wucher to submit the monitoring results to TDEC and notify the public of this violation as required. A copy of this letter is attached as Exhibit 9. Mr. Wucher failed to comply with all of the requirements in this letter.
- 34. To date, Mr. Wucher has failed to comply with all of the corrective action requirements in the final Order issued against him.
- 35. To date, Wucher Company, Mr. Wucher, Old South Renegade, and Renegade Mountain Water (collectively the Defendants) have failed to correct all of the violations observed during the November 30, 2009, and December 1, 2009, sanitary survey inspection of the System.
- 36. To date, the Defendants have failed to bury all above ground sections of the water transmission line between the pumping station and the water storage tank in the System with sufficient earthen cover or other suitable cover approved by TDEC to prevent freezing and cracking of the line and to maintain minimum positive pressure in the line.
- 37. To date, the Defendants have failed to submit a certified operator agreement form to TDEC identifying the name of the new certified operator for the System.
- 38. To date, the Defendants have failed to submit to TDEC disinfection byproduct monitoring results for the System for the first and third quarters of 2010 and have failed to notify the public of these violations as required.
- 39. To date, Mr. Wucher has failed to pay ten thousand four hundred dollars (\$10,400.00), which is the amount of civil penalties that TDEC has determined Mr. Wucher

owes under the final Order.

VIOLATIONS OF THE LAW

- 40. By failing to maintain minimum positive pressure in the water transmission line between the water storage tank and the pump house for the System, the Defendants have violated Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-221-711(1) and Rule 1200-5-1-.17(9).
- 41. By failing to comply with the final Order, Mr. Wucher has violated Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-221-711(1) and is subject to injunctive and other equitable and legal relief pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-221-715.
- 42. By failing to maintain required records for the System, the Defendants have violated Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-221-711(1) and Rule 1200-5-1-.20(1).
- 43. By failing to establish and maintain a customer complaint log, the Defendants have violated Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-221-711(1) and Rule 1200-5-1-.17(24).
- 44. By failing to timely submit daily operating reports to the Division, the Defendants have violated Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-221-711(1) and Rule 1200-5-1-.17(2).
- 45. By failing to maintain the water storage tank and to provide for a professional inspection of the water storage tank every five (5) years, the Defendants have violated Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-221-711(1) and Rule 1200-5-1-.17(33).
- 46. By failing to maintain an adequate flushing program for the System, the Defendants have violated Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-221-711(1) and Rule 1200-5-1-.17(10).
- 47. By failing to equip all dead end water mains and low points in the System with a flushing mechanism, the Defendants have violated Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-221-711(1) and Rule 1200-5-1-.17(23).
 - 48. By failing to maintain line repair records and bacteriological sampling records,

the Defendants have violated Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-221-711(1) and Rule 1200-5-1-,17(8).

- 49. By failing to prepare a Capacity Development Plan, the Defendants have violated Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-221-711(1) and Rule 1200-5-1-,17(38).
- 50. By allowing the installation of a cross-connection between the System and a public swimming pool without a backflow prevention device, the Defendants have violated Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-221-711(6) and Rule 1200-5-1-.17(6).
- 51. By failing to retain a person qualified to be a certified operator for the System, the Defendants have violated Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-221-711(1) and Rule 1200-5-1-.17(1).
- 52. By failing to submit to the Division monitoring results for disinfection byproducts (DBP) for the first and third quarters of 2010, the Defendants have violated Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-221-711(1) and Rule 1200-5-1-.36(6)(b)(1)(i).
- 53. Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-221-713(a)(3) and § 68-221-713(e), the Plaintiffs are entitled to recover, as damages, any reasonable expenses incurred in investigating and enforcing violations of the Act.

PRAYER FOR RELIEF

- 1. That this Court find that the Order issued against Mr. Wucher is a final administrative order;
- 2. That this Court find that Mr. Wucher's failure to comply with the Order violates the Act and the Rules.
- 3. That this Court, pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-221-715 and as applicable Rule 65 of the Tennessee Rules of Civil Procedure, enjoin Mr. Wucher from failing to comply with all of the requirements in the final Order;
 - 4. That this Court enter a judgment against Mr. Wucher in the amount of ten

thousand four hundred dollars (\$10,400.00) for the outstanding civil penalties assessed in the final Order;

- 5. That in accordance with Tenn. Code Ann. §§ 47-14-123 and -109, this Court order Mr. Wucher to pay pre-judgment interest on the civil penalties assessed in the Order from the date the civil penalties became due and owing under the Order until the date of judgment in this Court;
- 6. That this Court award the Plaintiffs post-judgment interest on any monetary amounts for which the Court may give judgment, as provided by Tenn. Code Ann. §§ 47-14-121-122, until the judgment against the Defendants has been satisfied in full;
- That upon a trial or final hearing in this matter, this Court find that the Defendants have violated the Act and Rules and issue a permanent injunction, pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-221-715, and as applicable Tenn. R. Civ. P. 65, against the Defendants, their officers, agents, and any other person(s) in active concert with them, enjoining them from failing to take the following corrective actions: (1) cover all sections of the above ground water transmission line between the pumping station and the water storage tank in the System with sufficient earthen cover or other suitable cover approved by TDEC to ensure that the line does not freeze and crack in the future; (2) submit a written corrective action plan (CAP) to TDEC describing in detail the corrective actions that will be taken at the System to correct the deficiencies identified by Division personnel during the November 30, 2009, and December 1, 2009, sanitary survey inspection of the System, including a proposed schedule of compliance for all repairs, modifications, and corrective actions proposed in the CAP; (3) fully implement the CAP after receiving written approval from TDEC; (4) retain the services of an operator certified under Division rules to be in direct charge of the System and submit a completed certified operator

agreement form to TDEC identifying this person; and (5) submit to TDEC the monitoring results for disinfection byproducts for the System for the first and third quarters of 2010 along with all future monitoring results required to be submitted to TDEC under Rule 1200-5-1-.36(6)(b)(1)(i);

- 8. That upon a trial or final hearing in this matter, in accordance with Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-221-713, this Court assess civil penalties in an amount not to exceed five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) per day for each day of violation of the Act against the Defendants, jointly and severally, for violations of the Act and the Rules which have occurred at the System since the Order issued to Mr. Wucher in 2008 became final.
 - That execution may issue for any monies adjudged against the Defendants;
 - 10. That all court costs be taxed to the Defendants; and
- 11. That this Court award Plaintiffs any and all other general and equitable relief to which they may be entitled.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and accurate copy of the foregoing was mailed by first class U.S. mail, postage prepaid, on this ______ 21 to the following:

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THE CHANCERY COURT FOR THE STATE OF TAXABLE PH 1:59 IN THE CHANCERY COURT FOR THE STATE OF TENNESSEE STATE OF TENNESSEE, ex rel. ROBERT E. COOPER, JR., in his official capacity as the Attorney General and Reporter of Tennessee, and ROBERT J. MARTINEAU, in his official capacity as the Commissioner of the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation, Case No. 09-1341-1 Plaintiffs, ٧, J L WUCHER COMPANY, LLC, OLD SOUTH RENEGADE, LLC, RENEGADE MOUNTAIN WATER SYSTEMS, LLC, and JOSEPH L. WUCHER, individually, Defendants. VERIFICATION OF SECOND AMENDED COMPLAINT STATE OF TENNESSEE COUNTY OF DAVIDSON

- I, Sherwin Smith, being first duly sworn, do hereby aver as follows:
- 1. I am the Enforcement Munager for the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation's Division of Water Supply.
- 2. I have read the allegations contained in the foregoing Second Amended Verified Complaint, and believe those allegations to be true to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.



I certify that the Exhibits enclosed herein are true and correct copies of the 3. documents I have in my files to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

FURTHER THE AFFIANT SAITH NOT.

Sherwin Smith

Enforcement Section

Division of Water Supply

Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation

PUBLIC PUBLIC SWORN to and described before me this 14 day of 4 lives

My Commission Expires: 12 - 22 - 2013



STATE OF TENNESSEE
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND CONSERVATION

Division of Water Supply 6th Floor, L&C Tower 401 Church Street Nashville, Tennessee 37243-1538

CASE: DWS-070014

CERTIFIED MAIL 7099 3220 0007 9315 1244 RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Issued to:

Larry McMeans, d/b/a LKM Group, LLC

P.O. Box 288

Crab Orchard, Tennessee 37723

and

Joseph L. Wucher, d/b/a Renegade Resorts, LLC 18 Barcelona Circle

...Redwood City, California 94065

in the matter of

Renegade Mountain Wafer System

PWSID #0008157

- 1. When the Commissioner finds that provisions of the Tennessee Safe Drinking Water Act (hereinafter the "Act"), Tennessee Code Annotated Section 68-221-701 et seq., are not being complied with, he is authorized by T.C.A. Section 68-221-712 to issue Orders for correction. Further, T.C.A. Section 68-221-713 provides the Commissioner the authority to assess damages and civil penalties against any person who violates the Act.
- 2. Rules governing the operation of public water supply systems are promulgated under the authority of T.C.A. Section 68-221-704, and are found at Chapter 1200-5-1 of the Official Compilation. Rules and Regulations of the State of Tannessee, hereinafter referred to as "Rule 1200-5-1...". Public water supply systems in Tennessee are regulated under the provisions of the Act by the Tennessee Division of Water Supply (hereinafter the "Division")
- According to the information and belief of the Division, Larry K. McMeans (hereinafter "Respondent McMeans") is the managing partner of LKM Group, LLC, which owns a portion of the facility known variously as Renegade Mountain, Renegade Mountain Resort, Renegade Resort, and/or possibly other names (collectively hereinafter referred to as "Renegade Mountain" or "the facility"). Further, to the information and belief of the Division, Joseph L. Wucher (hereinafter "Respondent Wuchet") is the principal officer of Renegade Resorts, LLC, which owns the remaining portion of the above-described facility. The facility is located in Cumberland County, Tennessee.



- The Renegade Mountain Water System (hereinafter the "System") is a community water system 4. serving 246 individuals residing in the Renegade Mountain development. The system purchases water from the Crab Orchard Utility District. The Renegade Mountain Water System is a "Community Water System" within the meaning of Rule 1200-5-1-.04(10). The Respondents, as owners and/or operators of the water system, are "Suppliers of water" within the meaning of Rule 1200-5-1-.04(88).
- On August 30, 2006 a sanitary survey was conducted and the results were provided to Respondent 5. McMeans in a letter dated September 19, 2006. The Respondent earned a score of sixty seven (67) on this survey. Noted deficiencies included;

failure to maintain the Respondent's water storage tank;

a. failure to cover tank vents and overflows with 24 mesh non-corresive screen; ь.

failure to protect the overflow with a flap valve and failure to install a splash guard Ć, beneath it;

failure to maintain a duplicate pump;

d. failure to adequately maintain buildings housing equipment necessary for the production and distribution of water;

failure to provide an up-to-date map of the distribution system;

failure to properly bury all water line to an adequate depth to prevent freezing;

Respondent McMeans was instructed to present an engineering plan to the Division to correct the pump and piping deficiencies. In a Letter of Agreement (LOA) dated December 4, 2006 the Division presented Respondent McMeans with a compliance schedule for correcting the deficiencies listed above, Respondent McMeans, did not sign or respond to the Letter, of Agreement

- On February 5, 2007, the Division once again offered Respondent McMeans an opportunity to execute a Letter of Agreement containing a compliance schedule for correcting the deficiencies listed above. Respondent McMeans signed the LOA on February 12, 2007.
- On September 17th and 18th, 2007 Division staff conducted a sanitary survey of the Renegade 7. Mountain Water System. The results of this survey were provided to Respondent McMeans in a letter dated September 19, 2007. The water system earned a numerical score of fifty-four (54) on this survey, and a rating of "Unsatisfactory". The letter noted that the Respondent had failed to comply with the terms of the Letter of Agreement dated February 5, 2007 in that:
 - no flap valve or splash guard had been installed on the overflow; a.

the water storage tank had not been cleaned or painted as required; Ъ.

the duplicate pump had not been properly repaired, disinfected, and reinstalled;

the pump building was still in a poor state of repair which included a large hole in one ď. side and deteriorated insulation falling from the ceiling;

no up-to-date map of the distribution system was available;

approximately half of the water line between the system's pumping station and the water £, storage tank remained exposed above ground;

Respondent McMeans had still not presented an engineering plan to the Division to remedy the deficiencies cited in the August 2006 sanitary survey.

In November 2007, Respondent McMeans informed Division staff that he could not make improvements to the physical structure of the water system because he did not own the property on which those structures were located. Respondent McMeans explained that the property was

being transferred from the former owner, Renegade Resorts, LLC to his own company, LKM Group, LLC, in parcels as payments were made. The parcel(s) where appurtenances of the water system are located had not yet been transferred to LKM Group, LLC. Respondent McMeans stated that he did not feel he had the right to make changes in the structure and piping which he did not own. Respondent McMeans, at the request of Division staff, provided the name and address of Respondent Wucher, and indicated that he, as the principal partner of Renegade Resorts, LLC, was the person responsible for the property where the physical appurtenances of the water system were located.

- The above circumstances considered, the Division considers Respondent McMeans and Respondent Wucher to be jointly and severally liable for the operational deficiencies of the water system.
- By failing to install a flap valve on the tank overflow and install a splash guard around it the. Respondents have violated Rule 1200-5-1-.17.

Rule 1200-5-1-.17(16) states:

- (16) All years on wells, springs, storage tacks, overflows and elearwells shall be properly screened. All overflows on springs and tanks shall be screened and protected.
- 11. By failing to provide proper cleaning and maintenance to its water storage tank the Respondents have violated Rule 1200-5-1-.17.

Rule 1200-5-1.17(33) states:

- All public water systems shall properly maintain their distribution system finished water storage tanks. Each community water system shall establish and maintain a maintenance file on each of its finished water and distribution storage tanks. These maintenance files must be available for inspection by Department personnel. These files must include the dates and results of all toutine water storage (ank inspections by system personnel, any reports of detailed professional inspections of the water storage tanks by contractor personnel, dates and details of routine tank cleanings and surface flushings, and detes and details of all tank maintenance activities. The tank inspection records shall include dates of the inspections; the sanitary, coating and structural conditions of the tank; and all recommendations for needed insintenance activities. Community Water Systems shall have a professional inspection performed and a written report produced on each of their finished water and distribution storage make at least once every five years, Non-community water systems shall have a professional inspection and written report performed on each of their atmospheric pressure finished water and distribution storage tanks no loss frequently than every five years. Records of these inspections shall be available to the Department personnel for inspection, Persons conducting underwater inspections of finished water storage tanks shall comply with AWWA standard C652-92 or later versions of the standard.
- By failing to install or have available a duplicate pump the Respondents have violated Rule 1200-5-1-,17.

Rule 1200-5-1-,17(13) states:

(13) All community water systems serving 50 connections or more shall install duplicate pumps for the raw water, finished water, and discribution pumping stations. A water system will not be required to have duplicate pumps in a distribution pumping station under the following conditions: limited number of service connections, availability of replacement pumps, maintaining adequate flows and pressures which it is pumping station, and for emergency use only. All community public water systems using ground water supplies and having more than 50 service connections must have duplicate wells and/or duplicate pumps in a spring supply unless fed by gravity flow.

 By failing to properly maintain buildings used in the production and distribution of water the Respondents have violated Rule 1200-5-1-.17.

Rule 1200-5-1-.17(17) states:

- (17) All buildings and equipment used in and for the production and distribution of water (to include chemical and other storage buildings) must be well maintained and be reliable and fit for the purpose for which they are used.
- By failing to maintain an up-to-date map of the distribution system the Respondents have violated Rule 1200-5-1-.17.

Rule 1200-5-1-.17(15) states:

- (15) All community water systems serving 50 or more service connections must have and maintain up-todate maps of the distribution system. These maps must show the locations of the water mains, sizes
 of mains, valves, blow-offs or flush hydrants, eir-release valves, and fire hydrants. One up-to-date
 copy of the overall system distribution map(s) is to be submitted to the Division of Water Supply
 every five years.
- 15. By failing to adequately cover and bury water lines conveying water to be served to the public, the Respondents have violated Rule 1200-5-1-.05.

Rule.1200-5-1-.05(3) states:

General Practice - All plan documents for public water system design and construction shall present all information in conformance with accepted engineering practices and the "Design Criteria for community Public Water Systems" as published by the Department.

Community Public Water Systems Design Criteria Part 9.1.4 states:

- 9.1.4 Cover All distribution mains shall be provided with sufficient earth or other suitable cover to prevent freezing. This shall not be less than 30 inches measured above the top of the pipe.
- 16. By failing to comply with compliance schedules contained in Letters of Agreement executed between himself and the Division, Respondent McMeans has violated T.C.A. 68-221-711.

T.C.A 68-221-711 states, in part:

68-221-711. Probibited sets. - The following sets are probibited:
(1) Fallure by a supplier of water to comply with this part, any order issued herounder, or the drinking water regulations;

T.C.A. 68-221-713 states, in pertinent part:

68-221-713. Penaltics - (a)(1) Any person who violates or fails to comply with any provision of this part, any order of the commissioner or the board issued pursuant to this part or any rule, regulation or standard adopted pursuant to this part is subject to a civil penalty of not less than lifty dollars (\$50.00) nor more than five thousand dollars (\$5,000) per day for each day of violation.

(f)(1) Any person violating, or failing, neglecting or refusing to comply with any of the provisions of this past or rules or regulations commits a Class C misdomennor.

(2) Each say upon which such violetion occurs constitutes a separate offense.

17. Respondents are hereby ORDERED to deliver to the Division, THRTY (30) DAYS following receipt of this ORDER, written plans and specifications detailing the actions Respondents will take to correct the deficiencies identified by the Division in the September 19, 2007 sanitary

survey report letter. The plans shall include a proposed schedule for the completion of such repairs, modifications, and corrective actions as described in the plans in an expeditious manner and without nanecessary delay.

- 18. Respondents are hereby ORDERED to commence repairs, modifications, and corrective actions in accordance with plans approved by the Division WITHIN FORTY-FIVE (45) DAYS following receipt of notice of said plans approval from the Division, and to complete said repairs, modifications, and corrective actions in accordance with the schedule approved by the Division. Should any condition or factor beyond the control of the Respondents prevent compliance with the provisions of this Paragraph, Respondents shall request from the Division, in writing, an extension of the approved compliance schedule.
- 19. Respondents are hereby jointly and severally assessed a CIVIL PENALTY of ELEVEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$11,000.00) to be paid to the Division of Water Supply in the following manner:
 - a. THREE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$3,000.00) to be paid to the Division WITHIN THIRTY (30) DAYS following receipt of this ORDER;
 - b. THREE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$3,000.00) to be paid to the Division if, and only if, Respondent fails to timely comply with the provisions of Paragraph 17 of this ORDER; and
 - c.FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$5,000.00) to be paid to the Division if, and only if, Respondent fails to timely comply with the provisions of Paragraph 18 of this ORDER.

Fayment of the civil penalty shall be made to the "Treasurer, State of Tennessee". All correspondence, including civil penalty payments, should be addressed to Gordon S. Caruthers, Enforcement Officer, Division of Water Supply, Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation, 6th Floor, L&C Tower, 401 Church Street, Nashville, Tennessee 37243-1549. The case reference number, "DWS-070014" should be placed on all payments and all correspondence concerning this matter, to insure that the payment is properly credited.

 Issued this 2nd day of January 2008 on behalf of James H. Fyke, Commissioner of the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation.

> Robert L. Poster, Jr., Director Division of Water Supply

NOTICE OF RIGHTS

The Respondent is hereby advised that in accordance with Rule T.C.A. Section 68-221-712, 713 and 714, he may secure a raview of the necessity for and the reasonableness of this Order by filing an appropriate Petition with the Controlasioner. The Petition must set forth the grounds and reasons for objection and ask for a hearing before the Water Quality Control Board. The Petition, however, must be filed no later than sixty (60) days from service of this Order or Respondent will be deemed to have consented to the Order and it will become a Final Order and Assessment, not subject to review.

Any hearing will be conducted in accordance with the Tennessee Uniform Administrative Procedures Act, T.C.A. 4-5-301 et seq. and Rule 1360-4-1. An appeal from this Order and Assessment would be heard before the Water Quality Control Board. Board hearings are held with an Administrative Judge sitting. You have the right to be represented by counsel, to submit responsive pleadings, to discovery, to subpoen a witnesses on your behalf, and to present evidence and argument on all issues involved. Free or low-cost counsel may be available to those unable to afford counsel. If the Respondent is an individual you are not required to be represented by an attorney. If you intend to represent yourself, the Office of the Secretary of State, Administrative Procedures Division can provide you with a copy of the Rules of Procedure for Contested cases and other procedural information which may be helpful to you. You may contact that office at (615) 741-7008. Note that Limited liability partnerships, limited liability companies and corporations must be represented by an attorney.

ANY APPEAL OF THIS ORDER MUST BE ADDRESSED TO THE DIVISION OF WATER SUPPLY, 6TH FLOOR, L&C TOWER, 401 CHURCH STREET, NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE 37243-1539.

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MR. JOSEPH WUTCHER RENEGADE MOUNTAIN WATER P.O. BOX 288 : CRAB ORCHARD, TN. 37723

MR. WUTCHER:

I am sending you this letter in regards to the issue of being the Certified Operator-incharge of the Renegade Mountain Water System. Due to the lack of communications, all of the ownership issues, and the lack of cooperation between the Water System and the Regulatory Department of the Tennessee Department of Health and Environment, I wish to notify you that as of March 31, 2010, I will no longer accept the responsibility or the title of Operator-in-charge for the RENEGADE MOUNTAIN WATER SYSTEM.

I have the BT records, the Sanitary Surveys, the test results, and the communication records for the Renegade Mountain Water System. I will be glad to turn over all these records to whomever you hire to be the Operator-in-charge. There is also the issue of the 4 months arrears for the services already rendered.

If there is anything I can do to assist you or the new Operator, Please feel free to call me.

931-261-4583

Thank You

Cc: Mr. Johnny Walker, CEAC Mr. Darrel McQueen, PE





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J.L. Wucher Co LLC c/o Joseph L Wucher 18 Barcelona Cir Redwood City, CA 94065

RE: Sanitary Survey
Renegade Mountain Water System
PWSID #0008157
Cumberland County

On November 30 and December 1, 2009 Leo Coleman of the Division of Water Supply visited the Renegade Mountain Water System and performed a Sanitary Survey. The survey consisted of a records review to document the operational performance of the system, and on-site inspections of the distribution system. Mr. Gerald Williams certified operator and Mr. Red Ford were very helpful. The Sanitary Survey covered the time period September 17, 2007 through November 30, 2009. The survey indicates that the Renegade Mountain system has done little work since the last survey to bring the system into compliance with deficiencies identified during the previous two Sanitary Surveys, and is in serious need of maintenance to protect the good quality water that is delivered to your system.

Based on the file review and observations made at the time of the on-site inspections, The Renegade -Mountain-Water-System-earned a score-of-eighty eight (88) using the new-scoring method. The water system remains in the State's "Unsatisfactory" category.

The following comments apply:

The only records available for review were those maintained by the system operator at the Crab Orchard
Water Plant. These records include Monthly Operations Reports, Bacteriological analysis, Lead and
Copper analysis, Flushing Plan and records, Cross Connection Policy and Plan, Emergency Response
Plan and Disinfection Byproduct analysis. These records were available for the time period September
2007 through this date.

Rule 1200-5-1-20(1) requires all public water systems to maintain certain records for various periods of time. Failure by the water system to maintain a system of organized records for the following time



frames is a violation. The following records must be maintained for the time period specified in a logical order and readily available to the general public for review during normal business hours:

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The following records are required to be maintained and available for review for the specified period of time.

Microbiological results	5 усага	.20(1)(a)
(Including lins repair samples)		******
Chamical Analyses	10 years	,20(1)(a)
Chemical Monitoring Waivers	10 years	00(11)(1)
Lead and Copper (including documentation)	12 years	.20(1)(j)
Senitary Surveys or other reports .	10 years	.20(1))c)
Action taken regarding violations	3 years	.20(1)(b)
Public Notification	3 Years	.20(1)(1)
Notification of Construction	survey to survey	.5(6)
Flushing Records	survey to survey	.17(10)(23)
New Tap Records '	3 years or survey to survey	,17(32)
Turbidity results (combined effluent)	-5 years	.20(1)(f)
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Records of variance and exemption	5 years following expiration .	
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Daily worksheet, shift logs	•	
and MORs	5 years	,20(1)(g)
Cross connection records	5 years	.20(1)(h)
Complaint Logs	5 years	.20(1)(h).
Maintenance and Service Records	5 years	.20(1)(h)
(Including repairs of vandalism,		
break-ins, and system flushing)	·	
Storage tank inspections	5 years	.20(1)(h)
Consumer Confidence Reports	3 years	.20(1)(1)
Equipment Calibration Records	5 years	.20(1)(f)(g)
Disinfection Profiles	10 years	31
Filter Profiles	10 years	.31(6)(b)4.(ii)(I)
Filter Backwash Recycle Information	10 years	39
Corrective Action Documentation (G.W.)	10 years	mr.
Special Notice – Significant Deficiencles	3 years	
Record of Decision or Invalidation	5 years ·	
Notification to Wholesale System	5 years	
Dept. Specified Minimum Disinfectant Residual	10 years	
Daily Residual Disinfectant Concentration Records	5 years	
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The system should also maintain records involving public notification resulting from violating the primary drinking water requirements.

The Division recommends that separate files be constructed for each of the above categories and maintained in a central location.

- 2. Since the last sanitary survey, five (5) monthly operating reports have been received by this office after the 10th of the month following the reporting period. All community water systems shall compile and maintain accurate daily operating records. The daily operating records shall be submitted in a timely manner so they are received by the Department no later than ten days after the end of the reporting month, as per Rule 1200-5-1-.17(2).
- 3. Renegade Mountain Water System failed to notify this office of a major water main leak in January 2009 that required in excess of 7 days to repair. Rule 1200-5-1-,18(2) states in pertinent part: "All systems shall report to the Department within forty-eight (48) hours of the failure to comply with Departmental drinking water regulations or other requirements (including failure to comply with monitoring, maximum contaminant level or treatment technique requirements) set forth in these Rules and Regulations, and in case of any of the following events shall immediately notify the Department and responsible local officials:
 - (b) any serious loss of water service due to a failure of transmission or distribution facilities; or
 - (c) any situation with the water system which presents or may present an imminent and substantial endangerment to health."

Assessment Four (4) points.

4. With the exception of pump building repairs no work has been done to comply with the Letter of Agreement signed by Mr. Larry McMeans on February 2, 2007 or the order issued by the Attorney General's Office to Mr. Joseph L. Wucher, system owner, subsequent to that date. This is in violation of T.C.A. 68-221-701 et seq.

Assessment: Ten (10) points.

5. There was no Emergency Operations Plan available. Rule 1200-5-1-17(7) states: "Within one year after the effective date of these regulations all community water system shall prepare an emergency operations plan in order to safeguard the water supply and to alert the public of unsafe drinking water in the event of natural or man-made disasters. Emergency operation plans shall be consistent with guidelines established by the State and shall be reviewed and approved by the Department."

Assessment: Three (3) points.

- 6. No Customer Complaint log was found. Rule 1200-5-1-,17(24) states: "All community water systems must establish and maintain a file for customer complaints: This file should contain name of person with the complaint, date, nature of complaint, date of investigation, results or actions taken to correct any problems and name of person investigating complaint."
- 7. The 2003 and 2006 Sanitary Surveys indicated that the storage tank needed to be inspected and painted. An inspection was conducted in March 2004. Twenty four (24) mesh non-corrosive metal screen has been installed on the overflow, however the required flap valve as required by Rule 1200-5-1-17(16) has not been installed nor has a splash guard been installed beneath the overflow. The tank has not been cleaned or painted, as was required at the time of the previous surveys.

The last tank inspection was conducted March 5, 2004. Tanks must be inspected at least every five years as per Rule 1206-5-1-.17.

Paragraph (33) states: All public water systems shall properly maintain their distribution system finished water storage tanks. Each community water system shall establish and maintain a maintenance file on each of its finished water and distribution storage tanks. These maintenance files must be available for inspection by Department personnel. These files must include the dates and results of all routine water storage tank inspections by system personnel, any reports of detailed professional inspections of the water storage tanks by contractor personnel, dates and details of routine tank cleanings and surface flushings, and dates and details of all tank maintenance activities. The tank inspection records shall include dates of the inspections; the sanitary, coating and structural conditions of the tank; and all recommendations for needed maintenance activities. Community Water Systems shall have a professional inspection performed and a written report produced on each of their finished water and distribution storage tanks at least once every five years. ...Persons conducting underwater inspections of finished water storage tanks shall comply with AWWA standard C652-92 or later versions of the standard.

Paragraph (34) states: Paints and coatings for the interior of potable water storage facilities must be acceptable to the Department. Paints and coatings accepted by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and/or the National Sanitation Foundation (NSF) for potable water contact are generally acceptable to the Department. Paint systems for steel tanks shall be consistent with AWWA Standard D102-78. Factory coated bolted steel tanks shall be in accordance with AWWA D103-87. Wirewound circular pre-stressed concrete tanks shall be in accordance with AWWA D110-86.

Assessment: Seven (7) points.

8. Rule 1200-5-1-.17 (13) states in part "All community water systems serving 50 connections or more shall install duplicate pumps for the ... distribution pumping stations." Paragraph (17) states in part: "All buildings and equipment used in and for the production and distribution of water must be well maintained and be reliable and fit for the purpose for which they are used. ..."

The need for repair, disinfection and reinstallation of the duplicate pump was addressed in the 2006 Sanitary Survey. These issues have yet to be addressed.

Assessment: Four (4) points.

9. There is no documentation of line repairs, construction logs, etc. for repairs made in the system to this date. Rule 1200-5-1-.17 (8)(a) states "General-Public water systems, construction contractors and engineers shall follow and document sanitary practices used in inspecting, constructing or repairing water lines, finished water storage facilities... The documentation shall include bacteriological sample results, construction logs, standard operating procedures and may include photographs where appropriate. All pipes, tanks, filters, filter media and other materials shall be properly-disinfected prior to being placed in service. ... Bacteriological results including line repair records indicating adequacy of disinfection shall be maintained on file by the water system for five years. All public water systems, contractors, and engineers shall prepare and follow standard disinfection procedures approved by the state when inspecting, maintaining, repairing or constructing lines, tanks, ..."

Assessment: Three (3) points.

10. A flushing protocol has been developed for the Renegade Mountain Water System. Only the line in the Laurel Hills area is being flushed on a regular basis. Flushing records were available subsequent to late 2008. Rule 1200-5-1-.17(10) states "All community water systems having more than 50 service connections shall establish and maintain an adequate flushing program. The flushing program established shall help ensure that dead end and low usage mains are flushed periodically, drinking water standards are met, sediment and air removal and the free chlorine residual specified under Rule

1200-5-1.17(4) is maintained. Records of each flushing are to be maintained by the water system. These records shall include date, time, location, persons responsible and length of flushing. In addition to the above information, the free chlorine residual will have to be measured and recorded on the end of dead end mains after being flushed.

11. Regulations governing fire hydrant color codes have recently been changed. Rule 1200-5-1-.17 (18) states "All community water systems planning to or having installed hydrants must protect the distribution system from contamination. All water mains designed for fire protection must be six inches or larger and be able to provide 500 gallons per minute with 20 pounds per square inch residual pressure. Fire hydrants shall not be installed on water mains less than six inches in diameter or on water mains that cannot produce 500 gpm at 20 psi residual pressure unless the tops are painted red. Out of service hydrants shall have tops painted black or covered with a black shroud or tape.

Existing Class C hydrants (hydrants unable to deliver a flow of 500 gallons per minute at a residual pressure of 20 pounds per square inch (psi)) shall have their tops painted red by January 1, 2008.

The water system must provide notification by certified mail at least once every five years beginning January 1, 2008, to each fire department that may have reason to utilize the hydrants, that fire hydrants with tops painted red (Class C hydrants) cannot be connected directly to a pumper fire truck hydrants may be allowed to fill the booster tanks on any fire apparatus from an available hydrant by using the water system's available pressure only (fire pumps shall not be engaged during refill operations from a Class C hydrant)."

12. There are no apparent blow-off valves at dead ends. Rule 1200-5-1-17(23) States "All dead end water mains and all low points in water mains shall be equipped with a blow-off or other suitable flushing mechanism capable of producing velocities adequate to flush the main."

No apparent action has been taken on this item since the 2006 survey.

13. There is no up to date distribution map available. This deficiency has been addressed in the previous two surveys with no apparent progress in completion. Rule 1200-5-1-.17(15) States "All community water systems serving 50 or more service connections must have and maintain up-to-date maps of the distribution system. These maps must show the locations of the water mains, sizes of mains, valves, blow-offs or flush hydrants, air-release valves, and fire hydrants. One up-to-date copy of the overall system distribution map(s) is to be submitted to the Division of Water Supply every five years."

-Assessment: Three (3) points.

14. A Cross connection Policy and Plan were developed for the Renegade Water System subsequent to the 2006 Sanitary Survey however there were no records to indicate the program was initiated.

The Policy and Plans do not comply with current guidance.

All community water systems must adopt an ordinance or policy prohibiting all of the above and submit a copy of the executed ordinance or policy to the Department for approval. All community water systems shall develop a written plan for a cross-connection control program to detect and climinate or protect the system from cross-connections. The written plan must be approved by the Department.

After adoption and approval of the cross-connection ordinance or policy and plan, each community water system must establish an ongoing program for the detection and elimination of hazards associated with cross-connections. Records of the cross-connection control program must be maintained by the water supplier and shall include such items as date of inspection, person contacted, recommendations, follow-up, and testing results.

Assessment: (4) points.

15. The public swimming pool was placed in service during the 2009 swimming season. There is no back flow prevention device in place to protect the water system from the pool.

Rule 1200-5-1-17(6) states "Pursuant to Section 68-221-711(6) the installation, allowing the installation, or maintenance of any cross-connection, auxiliary intake, or bypass is prohibited unless the source and quality of water from the auxiliary supply, the method of connection, and the use and operation of such cross-connection, auxiliary intake, or bypass has been approved by the Department. The arrangement of sewer, soil, or other drain lines or conduits carrying sewage or other wastes in such a manner that the sewage or waste may find its way into any part of the public water system is prohibited.

Assessment: Nine (9) points.

16. The Muster meter pit contained approximately 12 inches of water. Plumbing is heavily corroded.

The pit shall be repaired so that it drains properly. The plumbing shall be treated so as to eliminate rust and other corrosion and shall be painted.

- 17. The bacteriological sampling rate for the Renegade Mountain Water System will remain at one (I) sample each month based on the population served.
- 18. State approval to conduct chlorine residual analysis is granted to Gerald Williams. This approval is valid until the next sanitary survey and is contingent upon proper operation, calibration, and maintenance of analytical equipment.
- 19. Rule 1200-5-1-,17(38) states; Public Water Systems identified as not complying or potentially not complying with the requirements of the Safe Drinking Water Act and in accordance with the priorities established in the State's Capacity Development Strategy shall prepare a "Capacity Development Plan" and demonstrate viability.

Renegade Mountain Water System shall prepare and submit for approval a Business Plan and Capacity Development Plan. Rule 1200-5-1-.04(3) "Business Plan" means a document which identifies source(s) of income or revenue sufficient to meet expenses over a three (3) year period. The business plan will identify costs related to retaining a certified operator, estimated annual infrastructure repair costs, depreciation, facility maintenance fees, estimated annual monitoring costs, estimated costs of providing public notices, estimated administrative costs, and any and all other operational, treatment, and related costs (e.g. chemicals and other supplies used to treat water, etc.). The business plan must include the re-payment of borrowed and amortized finids.

Rule 1200-5-1-.04(4) "Capacity Development Plan" means a document(s) identifying what actions a public water system is taking or shall take to become a "viable water system." Such plan shall include information concerning retention of a Certified Operator in direct charge; system ownership and accountability; staffing and organizational structure; fiscal management and controls, source water

assessment and protection plan; "business plan;" and any and all other information identifying any further action that shall be taken." Additional items to be included in this plan include a Monitoring Plan, Equipment maintenance plan, Security Plan, Emergency Operations Plan, Bacteriological Site Monitoring Plan, Record Keeping Checklist, and Cross Connection Control Plan. The Bacteriological Site Monitoring Plan and Standard Operating Procedures for line repairs was received by this office for review and approval on September 12, 2006.

The Business Plan and Capacity development Plan shall be submitted to this office for review and approval no later than November 15, 2006.

Please contact Leo Coleman, or me at (931) 432-4015 if you have questions or comments.

Sincerely

Johnny K. Walker P.G.

Manager

Division of Water Supply

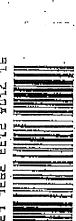
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J.L. Wucher Co LLC c/o Joseph L Wucher 18 Barcelona Cir Redwood City, CA 94065

RE: Notice of Noncompliance

This office has been recently notified of the resignation of Mr. Gerald Williams as chief operator of the Renegade Mountain Water System. This correspondence shall serve as written notice that services of a certified operator must be acquired. Our regulations only allow for a thirty (30) day lapse in services. Therefore, the Renegade Mountain Water System must retain the services of a Certified Distribution I Operator before May 1, 2010. This provision may be appealed to the Operator Certification Board, which may choose to extend the time limit.

All water distribution systems must have the person in direct charge certified under the Water Environmental Health Act (TCA 68-221-904). A person in direct charge shall mean the person or persons, expressly designated to be in direct charge and so named in writing to the certification board and the Division of Water Supply by the water supply system, whose decisions and directions to system personnel control the manipulation of equipment and thereby determine the quality and quantity of the water supplied by the water distribution system. The person in direct charge of the distribution system must have the appropriate certification in accordance with the classification system of the Board of Certification.

Systems which lose their certified operator are required to notify the Operator Certification Board and the Division of Water Supply within 30 days. Systems requesting a replacement within 30 days will not be penalized until the board rules on this matter. "The Board may allow a public water system a period of up to 6 months for the

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replacement of a certified operator whose services have been lost by death, illness or other unusual event." Systems will not be penalized for the duration of a Board approved replacement period.

A temporary certified operator agreement form and a full-time certified operator agreement form have been enclosed and must be completed and returned within 20 days of receipt of this notice. The system may contact the Operator Certification Board at the following location to request an extension.

Tennessee Department of Environment & Conservation
Fleming Training Center
2022 Blanton Drive
Murfreesboro, TN 37129
(615) 898-8090

If you have any questions or comments, or if we can be of further assistance, contact Troy Taubert, Leo Coleman or myself at (931) 432-4015.

Sincerely

Johnny Walker, Manager

Division of Water Supply

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Temporary Certified Operator Agreement

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Nashville, Tennessee 37243-1549

October 28, 2010

JOSEPH WUCHER MANAGING MEMBER RENEGADE MOUNTAIN WATER SYSTEM PO BOX 288 CRAB ORCHARD, TN 37723

Violation of the National Primary Drinking Water Regulations For the Monitoring Period: Re: July 1, 2010 through September 30, 2010

County: CUMBERLAND

DWS Field Office: COOKEVILLE

PWSID: TN0008157

Dear Mr. WUCHER:

The Tennessee Safe Drinking Water Act and the Regulations promulgated pursuant to the Act require public water systems to meet certain sampling and reporting requirements, as well as drinking water standards. Failure by a public water system to meet drinking water standards, sampling requirements or reporting requirements is a violation of the crinking water regulations. Based on the information in our office, RENEGADE MOUNTAIN WATER SYSTEM (PWSID#TN0008157) has incurred a violation, Specifically:

RENEGADE MOUNTAIN WATER SYSTEM was required to submit a collection of 1 maximum residence time sample for Total Haloacetic Acids and I maximum residence time sample for Total Trihalomethanes during the 3rd Quarter of 2010. According to the Division's records, O sample results for each contaminant were provided during the 3rd Quarter of 2010,

Since the water system failed to report monitoring results as required by Regulation 1200-5-1-.36(6) a monitoring or reporting violation has incurred. Failure to submit evidence of monitoring to the division with fifteen (15) days of receipt of this correspondence will result in a monitoring violation for the applicable compliance period. Monitoring violations are reported to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. The system must conduct sampling for these contaminants as soon as possible.

Violations of the Tennessee Safe Drinking Water Act require that the persons served by this system be informed pursuant to Regulation 1200-5-1-.19, outlined in the attached information. Inclusion of a Tier 3 Public Notice in the system's Consumer Confidence Report (CCR) is an acceptable format, provided that the system notifies both the Central Office and the Environmental Field Office of this decision. A copy of the public notification must be submitted to the Division of Water Supply within ten (10) days of providing to the public.

Please call the COOKEVILLE Field Office (888-891-8332) or Wayne Muirhead (615-253-4067) with questions.

Sincerely.

Lee Keck Enforcement Coordinator TN Division of Water Supply

cc: COOKEVILLE Field Office.



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LAUREL HILLS CONDOMINIUMS PROPERTY OWNERS ASSOCIATION P.O. BOX 288 CRAB ORCHARD, TN 37723

MEMORANDUM

DATE: December 30, 2011

TO: Water Customers of Laurel Hills Condominiums Property Owners

Association

VIA: Mailed with Monthly Water Bills and Posted On-Site

RE: Water Service Suspension

In June of 20 II, the Board of Directors of the Laurel Hills Condominiums Property Owners Association approved a monthly water rate of \$86.40. This water rate may be viewed by some as an increase from the subsidized rate the previous system owner was charging. However, in setting its rates, the Association is required to take into account its operating expenses and the costs associated with water system improvements being mandated by the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation.

The vast majority of the Association's water system customers have refused to pay their monthly bills for water service. As a result the Association is now unable to meet its operating expenses, including paying its water supplier, Crab Orchard Utility District. When the water system was installed, the prior owner of the water system did not install water meters to measure water service by connection and installed no mechanism which would permit the water system to discontinue water service to individual customer connections for nonpayment of monthly water bills.

In an emergency meeting of the Association's Board of Directors on December 22, 2011, the Board concluded that it had no alternative except to suspend water service to all customers for the nonpayment of the Association's water bills by its water customers. Please be advised that water service will be discontinued on January 31, 2011, unless Crab Orchard Utility District elects to terminate water service to the Association sooner for nonpayment.

The Association's Board urges the Association's water customers to pay their outstanding accounts in full to avoid this water service suspension.

POSTED AT: GUARD SHACK AND RENEGADE TIME SHARES LOCATED AT 17 MOUNT LAUREL, CRAB ORCHARD, TN 37723.

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IN THE CHANCERY COURT FOR CUMBERLAND COUNTY, TENNESSEE

GARY HAISER; JOHN MOORE; GERALD NUGENT; ROY PERRY; JOHN PETERS AND JOEL MATCHAK

Plaintiffs

VS.

NO. 2012-CH-513

LAUREL HILLS CONDOMINIUMS
PROPERTY OWNERS ASSOCIATION INC.;
MICHAEL MCCLUNG AND PHILLIP
GUETTLER INDIVIDUALLY AND AS
DIRECTORS OF THE LAUREL HILLS
CONDOMINIUMS PROPERTY OWNERS
ASSOCIATION INC.

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Defendants

COMPLAINT

- 1. The Plaintiffs, Gary Haiser, John Moore, Gerald Nugent, Roy Perry, John Peters and Joel Matchak ("Owners") are all owners of property within Renegade Resort in Cumberland County, Tennessee and are all current customers of, and receive water services from the Laurel Hills Condominiums Property Owners Association Inc.
- 2. Defendant Laurel Hills Condominiums Property Owners Association Inc.

 ("Laurel Hills") is a Tennessee not for profit, mutual benefit corporation
 operating in Cumberland County, Tennessee. It is the property owners'
 association for the Laurel Hills Timeshares located within Renegade Resort,
 also in Cumberland County, Tennessee. It also operates a public water
 system for approximately 120 customers in Renegade Resort in Cumberland

County, Tennessee. Laurel Hills Condominiums Property Owners

Association, Inc. may be served with process by serving its agent for service
of process Michael McClung at 3227 Renegade Mountain Community Club,

Crab Orchard, Tennessee 37723-0228.

- 3. The individual named Defendants, Phillip Guettler and Michael McClung are current officers and directors of the Laurel Hills. They are sued in their individual capacities as well as their official capacities as members of the Board of Directors of Laurel Hills. They may be served with process through the Secretary of State as follows:
 - (a) Michael McClung, 61 NW Boundary Drive, Port St. Lucie, FL 34986
 - (b) Phillip Guettler, 4401 Whiteway Dairy Road, Fort Pierce, FL 34981
- 4. Defendant Laurel Hills purchased the water system at issue in 2011. It currently services approximately 120 customers located within Renegade Resort, including the Owners. This system purchases already treated water from Crab Orchard Utility District and pumps it up the mountain via two (2) alternating pumps located at the bottom of the mountain, and then distributes the water through a series of pipes for consumption by its customers.
- Defendant Laurel Hills, under direction of the named Defendants, raised the monthly water rate for all customers in June 2011 from a flat, unmetered rate of twenty-five (25) dollars to a flat, unmetered rate of eighty-six (86) dollars and forty (40) cents without notice to customers and without identifying the factors associated with the increase.
- 6. Plaintiffs, and certain other Laurel Hills customers in July 2011, through verbal negotiations with Laurel Hill's agent, Daryl McQueen, agreed to

- accept a flat, un-metered water rate of forty-three (43) dollars and twenty (20) cents per month for the remainder of 2011, after which Laurel Hills, as stated by their agent Daryl McQueen, would reevaluate the 2012 water rates.
- 7. It is averred that Defendant Laurel Hills sold water to customers, including Owners, that did not meet the water system and water quality requirements as promulgated by the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC) from the time of the purchase of said water system.
- 8. Defendant Laurel Hills, on information and belief, at the direction of named individual Defendants, without good cause, disconnected a two hundred and fifty (250) thousand gallon water storage tank from the water system, thereby eliminating the emergency storage capabilities of the system for drinking water and significantly reducing the sustained quantity of water available for fire protection.
- Defendant Laurel Hills, by letter dated October 31, 2011, breached its
 contract for water rates with the Plaintiffs, and most other customers, by
 demanding an additional payment for water retroactive to June 2011.
- 10. Defendant Laurel Hills, beginning in or about November 2011, selectively stopped cashing and crediting checks of certain Plaintiffs, other water system customers and the Cumberland Point Condominium Association, thereby significantly reducing Laurel Hills' ability to meet its debts.
- 11. Defendant Laurel Hills, by letter dated December 30, 2011, notified all customers that water service was scheduled to be suspended as of January 31, 2012 for all customers, regardless of payment status, due to Laurel Hills' inability to physically shut off water to what Defendant Laurel Hills defines as "non-paying customers", even though some customers remitted all water

- fees requested by Laurel Hills, and even though Laurel Hills was aware of this un-metered situation at the time the water system was purchased.
- Defendant Michael McClung, in January 2012, representing Laurel Hills

 (which owed in excess of Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000.000 in overdue water fees to Crab Orchard Utility District) approached the Crab Orchard Utility District Manager and asked that the Crab Orchard Utility District voluntarily shut off the flow of water to the Laurel Hills pump station for non-payment. Crab Orchard Utility District declined to take the requested action as it would have left many innocent customers without needed water.
- Defendant Michael McClung, on January 20, 2012, representing Laurel Hills made a request to Volunteer Electric (VEC) to disconnect the electric meter from the Mullinix Drive pump house, on Friday, January 21, "as late in the day as possible", in order to try to cut off water to the customers on the mountain.
- Defendants Michael McClung, Phillip Guettler and Laurel Hills, by attempting to disconnect the electric power supplied to the water system (without any prior notice of any kind) improperly attempted to cause the system to become inoperable and, in effect, abandoned the water system.
- VEC, recognizing the impact to the health and safety of the 120 residential properties served by Laurel Hills, asked Plaintiff John Moore, President of the Renegade Mountain Community Club, ("Community Club") to take control of the electric meter in order to avoid a total shutdown of the water system. Moore accepted this responsibility on behalf of the Renegade Mountain Community Club at 3:00 pm on January 21, 2012.

- 16. The abandoned water system is currently in operation with water paid for and provided by Crab Orchard Utility District and electric service paid for and provided by the Renegade Mountain Community Club. It is under no discernable control on a day to day basis by the Defendants.
- 17. Nevertheless, Defendants Michael McClung, Phillip Guettler and Laurel
 Hills are currently renewing their efforts to shut down the water system,
 thereby jeopardizing the health, safety and well-being of the water system's
 customers including Owners.
- 18. Plaintiffs aver that the Defendants' actions in attempting to shut down and abandon the water system without giving its customers proper notice is in violation of T.C.A., Section 68-221-711, which provides that the abandonment or other termination of water services by a water supplier is prohibited without giving at least 60 days' notice of all interested parties including the appropriate state department and all customers served by the water system. This notice was not given.
- 19. It is further averred that the actions taken as described herein by Michael McClung and Phillip Guettler are personal and retaliatory in nature because of a lawsuit filed by the Renegade Mountain Community Club against them individually for breach of their fiduciary duties as officers and directors of the Community Club. This Action is styled Gary Haiser and Joel Matchak, as Members of the Board of Directors of the Renegade Mountain Community Club, Inc.; The Renegade Mountain Community Club, Inc.; John Moore; and Gerald Nugent. V. Michael McClung; Michael Haines; Phillip Guettler; Joseph Wucher, and Moy Toy, LLC, ("Community Club Action"), Chancery

Court for Cumberland County, Tennessee, Docket No. 2011-CH-508. The actions at issue in this case are attempted in order to punish the Plaintiffs for the filing and prosecution of the Community Club Action and to gain leverage over Plaintiffs.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiffs demand as follows:

- 1. That an immediate Temporary Restraining Order (TRO) be issued by the Court to prevent and enjoin:
 - (a) The Defendants, or their agents, servants, employees or attorneys from attempting to stop the flow of drinking water to the Owners or other customers of the water system action.
 - (b) The Defendants, or their agents, servants, employees or attorneys from attempting to dismantle or remove any portion of the current or former water system including, but not limited to pumps, water storage tanks and devices, distribution piping and other equipment.
 - (c) Interference by Defendants, their agents, servants, employees or attorneys with State, Crab Orchard Utility District officials, or other governmental agencies who are attempting to ensure that the drinking water at issue is clean and reliable in accordance with the regulations promulgated by the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC).
- 2. That proper process issue and be served upon all of the named Defendants requiring them to appear and answer this Complaint as required by law.
- 3. That upon notice and an opportunity to be heard that a temporary injunction issue preventing the actions set forth in Paragraph 1 (a), (b) and (c) above from occurring prior to trial.

4. That this Court declare that Defendant Laurel Hills water system, given the acts and intent of the Defendants, was abandoned on January 21, 2012 and that a new owner or group owner it be established for the water system.

5. That the Court order that Plaintiffs, and other water customers served by Defendant Laurel Hills, receive the required notice of abandonment as required by Tennessee State law to seek alternative sources of drinking water before their water is shut off.

6. That the Plaintiffs be awarded their reasonable costs incurred in the filing of this action.

7. That Plaintiffs have such other, further and general relief to which they may show themselves to be entitled to upon a hearing of this case.

THIS IS THE FIRST APPLICATION FOR EXTRAORDINARY RELIEF IN THIS CAUSE.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED.

MELANIE E. DAVIS, Attorney for

Plaintiffs

Tennessee Bar No. 017947

KIZER & BLACK, ATTORNEYS, PLLC

329 Cates Street

Maryville, Tennessee 37801

Telephone: (865) 980-1625

COST BOND

We, the undersigned, hereby bind ourselves for the costs of the cause in accordance with T.C.A. $20^{\text{-}}12^{\text{-}}120$.

KIZER & BLACK, ATTORNEYS, PLLC:

Melanie E. Davis

IN THE CHANCERY COURT FOR CUMBERLAND COUNTY, TENNESSEE

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Defendants

TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER

It is hereby ORDERED that the Defendants, Laurel Hills Condominiums
Property Owners Association Inc.; Michael McClung and Phillip Guettler
Individually and as Directors of the Laurel Hills Condominiums Property Owners
Association, their agents, servants, employees and actorneys in all persons in active
concert or participation with them be and are hereby restrained and enjoined from:

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1. Attempting to stop the flow of drinking water to the Owners as identified in the Complaint and to other customers of the Laurel Hills Condominiums Property Owners Association, Inc. water system.

- Attempting to dismantle or remove any portion of the current or former water system including but not be limited to pump, storage tanks and devices, distribution piping and other equipment.
- Interfering with State, Crab Orchard Utility District officials, or other governmental officials, who are attempting to ensure the drinking water at issue is safe and reliable in accordance with the regulations promulgated by the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation.

It is further ORDERED that this Restraining Order shall remain in full force and effect for fifteen (15) days or until otherwise ordered by this Court. Plaintible 565K Foot propagation of the court of 30,000 DATED this the 3rd day of Sebwar 2012 at 1:26 o'clock.

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RETURN OF SERVICE OF RESTRAINING ORDER

I hereby certify and return that I receive day of, 2012, and serv	d this restraining order on theed a true copy upon the Defendant,
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IN THE CHANCERY COURT FOR CUMBERLAND COUNTY, TENNESSEE

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Defendants

ORDER GRANTING TEMPORARY INJUNCTION

Plaintiffs, by and through counsel, pursuant to Rule 65.04 of the Tennessee Rules of Civil Procedure moved this Court for a temporary injunction enjoining the Defendants, their agents, servants, employees and attorneys and all persons in active concert or participation with them from interfering with or shutting off the water provided the Plaintiffs by Laurel Hills Condominiums Property Owners Association, Inc.

A hearing on this Motion was held on the 14th day of February, 2012. After considering the record in this case, the Motion of the Plaintiffs, the Defendants' response thereto, the arguments of counsel, as well as various Affidavits, and the testimony of Ron Fill, witness for the Plaintiffs, this Court is of the opinion that the Plaintiffs' request for a temporary injunction should be granted.

As grounds for this temporary injunction, the Court finds that the Plaintiffs would be irreparably harmed if their water is shut off immediately without the ability to obtain alternate water sources. While the Court is not completely satisfied about the likelihood of success on the merits of Plaintiffs' claims, the Court finds that under its equity jurisdiction, this Order shall nevertheless issue according to the parameters stated herein.

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This Court concludes that T.C.A. §68-221-711 applies to the facts at bar.

Accordingly, a temporary injunction will be in place for sixty (60) days from February 14, 2012, preventing the Defendants from shutting off or disconnecting water service to the Plaintiffs. This temporary injunction applies only to party Plaintiffs who bring their accounts current as explained in detail in the next paragraph.

Within twenty (20) days from February 14, 2012, the Plaintiffs shall each pay the sum of \$43.20 per month for each month since June of 2011 to the Defendant, Laurel Hills Condominiums Property Owners Association, Inc. In the event any overpayment was previously made, it shall be credited to the account with the account reflecting the rate of \$43.20 per month. Plaintiffs shall have the continuing obligation for so long as this Order is in effect to pay to Defendant \$43.20 per month for water service.

Plaintiffs have five business (5) days from February 14, 2012, to add additional party Plaintiffs. Additional Plaintiffs added during this time period will be protected by the temporary injunction, but also must bring their accounts current as set forth in the previous paragraph and also have the continuing obligation to pay to the Defendant \$43.20 per month for water service.

Meanwhile, counsel for the Plaintiffs and the Defendants shall promptly contact the Tennessee Regulatory Agency to determine whether or not the water system operated by Defendant, Laurel Hills Condominiums Property Owners Association, Inc., is subject to

oversight by the Tennessee Regulatory Agency. If so, the process for such regulation must be commenced.

Plaintiffs shall post a bond of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) which may be either a corporate or cash bond. Such bond that be provided within ten (10) days of the entry of this Order. This bond shall be posted as security for the payment of such costs and damages as may be incurred or suffered by any party who is found to have been damaged by the wrongful issuance of this temporary injunction.

ENTER this 27 day of Lelizance, 2012, at 10:30 A.m. o'clock.

RONALD THURMAN, CHANCELLOR

APPROVED FOR ENTRY

MELANIE E. DAVIS/Attorney for Plaintiffs

DONALD L. SCHOLES, Attorney for Defendants



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February 16, 2012

ASSOCIATES:
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OF COUNSEL: ROBERT E. RICHARDSON, JR. ****

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Via hand delivery and first class mail

Jean Stone, General Counsel Tennessee Regulatory Authority 460 James Robertson Parkway Nashville TN 37243-0505

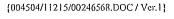
Re: Laurel Hills Condominiums Property Owners Association

Dear Jean:

I represent Laurel Hills Condominiums Property Owners Association (Laurel Hills). Laurel Hills is a Tennessee nonprofit corporation. Laurel Hills acquired a very small water system on May 1, 2011 which serves a development community in Cumberland County called Renegade Mountain. After Laurel Hills acquired the water system it installed a new, higher rate. Since that time Laurel Hills and its customers have had continuing disputes over the new rate and other issues.

Based upon the amendment to T.C.A. § 65-4-101 passed last year by the legislature, I believe Laurel Hills is probably subject to regulation by the TRA. I wanted to let you know that within the next three weeks or so, I will be filing a petition with the Tennessee Regulatory Authority to request a certificate of public convenience and necessity for Laurel Hills to provide water service to the Renegade Mountain community.

I wanted to make you aware that Laurel Hills will be filing a petition in the near future because you or others at the Authority may be contacted by some of these customers about the operation of Laurel Hills. I am having the board members of Laurel Hills to begin gathering some information on the history of the water system and its operations which I know the Authority will want to see as a part of the proceeding.



Jean Stone, General Counsel February 16, 2012 Page 2

If you or the Authority receives any inquiries about the Laurel Hills water system before the petition is filed, feel free to contact me, and I will be glad to discuss the water system with you.

Sincerely yours,

DONALD L. SCHOLES

c:

Mike McClung Rob Schwerer Melanie Davis



456 North Main Street, Crossville, Tennessee 38555

July 20, 2012

Honorable Ben Gastel 227 Second Avenue North, 4th Floor Nashville, Tennessee 37201-1631

Re: Crab Orchard Utility District

Dear Mr. Gastel:

This will confirm wherein I informed you that Crab Orchard Utility District has requested for me to proceed with suit and collection of the past due utility water bill owed to Crab Orchard Utility District by Laurel Hills Property Owners Association. It appears as if Laurel Hills Property Owners Association has been receiving funds from the land owners for payment for their water bill as ordered by the Court, but Laurel Hills has failed to pay the Utility District for the water. I am attaching hereto a bill in the amount of \$17,993.65, which we are demanding to be paid within ten days.

I will be glad to discuss this with you, but please understand that I have no authority from the Board, or from the manager of Crab Orchard Utility District, to accept anything other than full payment.

If there is going to be a problem in the collection of this, I would appreciate calling me so we can discuss this.

Sincerely

S. Roger York Attorney at Law

SRY/tb

Enclosure

C: Crab Orchard Utility District

S. Roger York • Susan Vr. Bilbrey

Phone 931-484-2929 • Fax 931-456-1078 • E-mail: yorkbilbrey@aol.com

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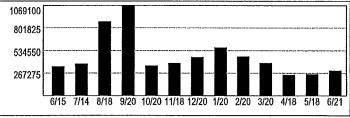
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Arrears are amounts that are past due and are due immediately.

Credits also show up in the arrears as a negative amount and are not due.

Bank Drafts are deducted between the 10th and 15th of each month.

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TARIFF OF

LAUREL HILLS CONDOMINIUMS PROPERTY OWNERS ASSOCIATION

SCHEDULE OF RATES, TERMS AND CONDITIONS

FOR

WATER SERVICE

Issued By:

Laurel Hills Condominiums Property Owners Association

Michael McClung, President

Address:

17 Laurel Mountain Drive

Crab Orchard, TN 37723

Issue Date: Effective Date:

August 3,, 2012

SCHEDULE OF RATES AND CHARGES

Monthly Water Service

\$134.26 per residential unit

Miscellaneous charges

Connection Fee

\$100

Reconnection Fee

\$500.00

Returned Check Charge

\$30.00

Issue Date: Effective Date:

August 3, 2012

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Authorization of Rules and Regulations

Laurel Hills Condominiums Property Owners Association is a Tennessee nonprofit corporation which owns and operates a public water system in the State of Tennessee under a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity issued by the Tennessee Regulatory Authority on _______, 2012 under Docket No. 12-00030, and establishes these rules and regulations governing water service.

2. <u>Effect of Rules and Regulations</u>

All provisions of these rules and regulations shall be incorporated in each Application and Water Service Customer Contract with each Customer of Laurel Hills Condominiums Property Owners Association.

3. Definition of Terms

Authority - Shall mean the Tennessee Regulatory Authority.

Company – Shall mean Laurel Hills Condominiums Property Owners Association

Customer - Shall mean any person, firm, corporation, association or government unit furnished water service by the Company

Operator – Shall mean the Company's licensed water operator

Owner – Shall mean the person or firm who owns the premises or property to which water service is furnished

Point of Delivery – Shall mean the outgoing side of the water service line past the valve or water meter installed and maintained by the Company

Issue Date:

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Tenant – Shall mean anyone occupying a premises which is furnished water service under a lease, oral or written, with the premises owner

Water Main – Shall mean all water lines and appurtenances, including valves, meters and fittings, for the transport of water to the point of delivery to the Customer

Water Service Line – Shall mean those lines extending from the point of delivery to the customer's premises

Water Service Connections and Applications for Service

- 1. Water service will be provided upon the completion by the Customer of the Company's Application and Water Service Customer Contract.
- 2. No Application and Water Service Customer Contract will be approved until the outstanding balance on any existing accounts served by the Company have been paid in full.
- 3. Water service lines shall not be used to supply water to more than one residential premise without the consent of the Company.
- 4. A new Application and Water Service Customer Contract must be made and approved by the Company on any change in ownership or any change in tenancy of the property served. If a new owner or tenant fails to make an application for service, the Company shall have the right to discontinue water service until a new Application and Water Service Customer Contract is made and approved.

Billing and Payment

- 1. Bills for monthly water service will be mailed to the customer on the first day of each month for water service that month unless the first day of the month falls on a weekend or holiday in which case the bills will be mailed the next business day.
- 2. Water bills shall be paid by the due date which is the 15th day of the month in which the bill is mailed. When the due date falls on a weekend or holiday, the due date shall be the next business day.
- 3. A nonpayment penalty of five percent (5%) of the outstanding charge on the due date will be added to the Customer's account if the water bill is not paid in full by the due date.

Issue Date:

August 3, 2012

- 4. Water bills will be mailed to the last address on file with the Company. Failure to receive a bill will not relieve the Customer from his or her obligation to pay the bill by the due date.
- 5. All water which passes through the water meter shall be purchased by the Customer.

Discontinuance of Service

- 1. The Company shall have the right to discontinue service or refuse to connect service for:
 - (a) nonpayment of the customer's monthly bill or any other charge;
 - (b) a violation of or a failure to comply with the Company's rules and regulations for service;
 - (c) a violation of or a failure to comply with the regulations of the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC); or
 - (d) a breach of the Application and Water Service Customer Contract.
- 2. Discontinuance of water service shall not release the Customer from payment of water bills for service already received or which come due thereafter.
- 3. When service is discontinued for nonpayment, service will be reinstated upon the payment in full of the Customer's account and the Company's reconnection charge.
- 4. When service has been discontinued for a violation of or failure to comply with the Company's Rules and Regulations, Application and Water Service Customer Contract for Service or TDEC regulations, water service shall not be reinstated until such violation has been corrected or compliance has occurred and the until the Customer has paid the full outstanding balance on its account and the Company's reconnection charge.

Water Main Extensions

Any property owner or developer (the owner) requesting water service which requires a water main extension or other water system improvements to make water service available to the owner's property shall pay the entire cost of the water system improvements. The plans for any water system improvements shall be approved by the Company and shall be installed in accordance with the plans approved and in accordance with the Company's specifications. The Company shall approve the location of the new water system improvements, and the owner shall supply any easements needed for the new water system improvements at the owner's expense.

Issue Date:

August 3, 2012

General Conditions of Service

- 1. The Customer shall convey to the Company any easements or right-of-way upon the Customer's property necessary for the Company to provide water service to the Customer.
- 2. The Company's water system is not designed to provide water for public fire protection.
- 3. Only the Company's employees or agents shall take water from any fire hydrant except for water used for fire fighting by a fire protection agency.
- 4. The Company will not provide water service to any premises with leaky or defective plumbing. The Customer shall timely repair or replace leaky or defective plumbing to avoid the waste of water within the Company's water system.
- 5. The Company may experience water system breakdowns, drought, the interruption of water supply, sudden or unanticipated changes of pressure within its water system and other operational problems which can cause the temporary reduction or interruption of water service, changes in water pressure, changes in water quality and water rationing. Therefore, the Company cannot and does not guarantee the pressure, flow or quality of water to the Customer. The Customer agrees that the Company shall not be liable under any circumstances for any injury to persons or property arising whatsoever from the provision of water service to the Customer.
- 6. The Company reserves the right to interrupt service without notice in connection with the operation, maintenance, repair, and extension of the Company's water system or when public safety so requires.
- 7. The Customer hereby authorizes the Company's agents and employees to enter the Customer's premises at all reasonable times for the purpose of inspecting water service components to confirm compliance with the Company's Rules and Regulations.
- 8. The Customer agrees that the water purchased from the Company will be used only for the benefit of the persons residing at the designated premises and for no other property. Water service shall not be shifted or changed to serve any other property without the prior written permission of the Company.
- 9. At its sole expense the Customer shall be responsible to install, operate and maintain all water distribution facilities, including but not limited to the Water Service Line, located on his or her premises past the Point of Delivery.

Issue Date:

August 3, 2012

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Expense Type		Amount	
Engineering & Labor	\$	2,5	
Construction Contracts	s \$	1,4	
Water testing	\$	6	
Depreciation	\$	5	
Real Estate Tax	\$	2	
Telephone	\$	1	
Permits and Penalties	\$	1,20	
Interest Expense	\$	1,9	
Legal	\$	2,50	
Accounting and Mgt Se	ervices \$	1,5	
Office Expenses	\$	2	
Insurance	\$	7(
Postage	\$		
Equipment Rental	\$	1!	
Maintenance & Repair	\$	2,00	
Water	\$	1,7	
Electricity	\$	80	
Total	\$	18,12	