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BUREAU OF PUBLIC WATER SUPPLY

CALENDAR YEAR 2008 CONSUMER CONFIDENCE REPORT CERTIFICATION FORM

New Zion Utilities, Inc
Public Water Supply Name

0660004
List PWS ID #s for all Water Systems Covered by this CCR

The Federal Safe Drinking Water Act requires each community public water system to develop and distribute a consumer confidence report (CCR) to its customers each year. Depending on the population served by the public water system, this CCR must be mailed to the customers, published in a newspaper of local circulation, or provided to the customers upon request.

Please Answer the Following Questions Regarding the Consumer Confidence Report

- Customers were informed of availability of CCR by: (Attach copy of publication, water bill or other)
- Advertisement in local paper
- On water bills
- Other

Date customers were informed: / /

- CCR was distributed by mail or other direct delivery. Specify other direct delivery methods:

Date Mailed/Distributed: / /

- CCR was published in local newspaper. (Attach copy of published CCR or proof of publication)

Name of Newspaper: Stone County Enterprise

Date Published: 6/10/09

- CCR was posted in public places. (Attach list of locations)

Date Posted: / /

- CCR was posted on a publicly accessible internet site at the address: www.

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that a consumer confidence report (CCR) has been distributed to the customers of this public water system in the form and manner identified above. I further certify that the information included in this CCR is true and correct and is consistent with the water quality monitoring data provided to the public water system officials by the Mississippi State Department of Health, Bureau of Public Water Supply.

Charlie T Davis
Name/Title (President, Mayor, Owner, etc.)

6-18-09
Date

Mail Completed Form to: Bureau of Public Water Supply/P.O. Box 1700/Jackson, MS 39215
Phone: 601-576-7518

2008 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report

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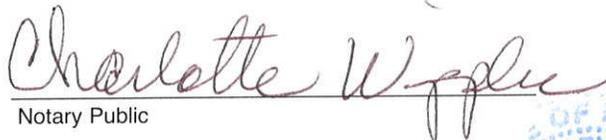
Personally appeared before me the undersigned authority in and for City, County and State aforesaid, **Heather Freret** who being by me first duly sworn, states on oath, that she is Publisher of the **Stone County Enterprise**, a newspaper published in the City, County, and State aforesaid, and the publication of the notice, a copy of which is hereto attached, has been made in said newspaper 1 times as follows:

On the 10th day of June 2009

On the _____ day of _____ 2009


Heather Freret

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10th day of June 2009.


Notary Public

My commission expires



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Lead/Copper Language

MSDH Message re: Radiological Lab

MRDL Violation

Chlorine Residual (MRDL) RAA

Other Violation(s) _____

Will correct report & mail copy marked "**corrected copy**" to MSDH.

Will notify customers of availability of corrected report on next monthly bill.

Mr Willis will get in contact with person who prepared CCR to get corrected copy and mail to us by July 1, 2009 and notify customers of available corrected report by July 1, 2009

Spoke with Billy Willis 601 528-1493
(Operator, Owner, Secretary)

9/10/09 11:48
John Price Accountant 601 928-3681
Will do corrected copy and fax to us.

**9/10/09
SECOND ATTEMPT**