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March 3, 2011

John Walstad, Code Revisor Legislative Council 600 E. Boulevard Ave., 2nd Fl. Bismarck, ND 58505-0360

Re: Notice of Intent to Amend N.D.A.C. Art. 33-17

Dear Mr. Walstad:

Enclosed please find a copy of amendments to North Dakota Administrative Code, Article 33-17, Public Water Supply Systems. The amendments address changes to three rules promulgated by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency under the federal Safe Drinking Water Act: the Lead and Copper Rule; the Public Notification Rule; and the Consumer Confidence Report Rule. No public comments were received regarding these changes. By a letter dated December 8, 2010, the Attorney General approved the proposed amendments as to their legality. On March 3, 2011, the State Health Council adopted the amendments, and is now submitting the amendments for publication in the North Dakota Administrative Code.

Please contact Larry Thelen at 328.5257 or <u>lthelen@nd.gov</u> if you have any comments or questions.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

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