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7 **BEFORE THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION**

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15 **IN THE MATTER OF PICACHO PEAK**  
16 **WATER COMPANY, INC.'S RATE**  
17 **APPLICATION**

Docket No. W-02351A-11-0231

**NOTICE OF FILING  
STATUS REPORT**

19 Picacho Peak Water Company ("Company") hereby files its status report  
20 regarding the Company's compliance with Arizona Department of Environmental  
21 Quality ("ADEQ") regulations. See Attachment 1. The Company received the  
22 compliance status report from ADEQ staff on January 3, 2012. The Company is  
23 working with ADEQ to resolve the issues and has already corrected the storage tank issue  
24 and reverse osmosis unit light issue. Point-of-use treatment systems are being tested to  
25 ensure compliance and the Company is installing two small pressure pumps and flow  
26 regulators to test the efficiency of reverse osmosis systems under such conditions.  
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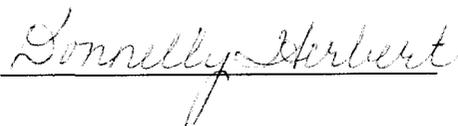
1 RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 5<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2012.

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7 filed this 5<sup>th</sup> day of January 2012, with:

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# **ATTACHMENT 1**

**Arizona Department of Environmental Quality**  
**Drinking Water Monitoring and Protection Unit**  
 Mail Code 5415B-2  
 1110 West Washington Street  
 Phoenix, AZ 85007

### Drinking Water Compliance Status Report

<b>System Name</b>	<b>System Type</b>	<b>Is system consecutive?</b>
PICACHO PEAK WATER COMPANY	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Community	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes, to PWS #
<b>System ID #</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Non-transient Non-community	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
11038	<input type="checkbox"/> Transient Non-community	

<b>Overall compliance status</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> No major deficiencies	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Major deficiencies
<b>Monitoring and Reporting status</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> No major deficiencies	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Major deficiencies
Comments: PWS has history of ongoing Nitrate MCL. Point-of-use treatment was installed in July 2009, but the system has not submitted the three required samples per year from the distribution system reflecting treatment. Therefore, compliance is based upon samples taken at the entry point to the distribution system which reflect an ongoing MCL with results (2009-2011) ranging from 11-21 mg/L.		

<b>Operation and Maintenance status</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> No major deficiencies	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Major deficiencies
<b>Date of last Sanitary Survey</b>	6-29-11	<b>Inspector</b> Karen Berry, PHX
<b>Major unresolved/ongoing operation and maintenance deficiencies:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> unable to maintain 20psi <input type="checkbox"/> cross connection/backflow problems <input type="checkbox"/> treatment deficiencies <input type="checkbox"/> certified operator <input type="checkbox"/> inadequate storage <input type="checkbox"/> surface water treatment rule <input type="checkbox"/> ATC/AOC <input type="checkbox"/> other =		
Comments: During the last sanitary survey, significant deficiencies were assigned for: Finished Water - opening in storage tank has not been repaired; M&R - system has a high Nitrate level historically; O&M - no operating light on reverse osmosis unit; Treatment - Culligan Ion Exchange unit did not have any test strip data available.		

<b>Is an ADEQ administrative order in effect?</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Comments: DW-45-06 - M&R Consent Order		

System Information			
Population Served	321		
Service Connections	11		
Number of Entry Points to the Distribution System	1		
Number of Sources	2		
Initial Monitoring Year	1993		
Monitoring Assistance Program (MAP) System	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No

<b>Evaluation completed by</b>	Donna Calderon, Manager <i>DC</i> Drinking Water Monitoring and Protection Unit		
<b>Phone</b>	602-771-4641	<b>Date</b>	September 28, 2011
<input type="checkbox"/>	Based upon data submitted by the water system, ADEQ has determined that this system is currently delivering water that meets water quality standards required by 40 CFR 141/Arizona Administrative Code, Title 18, Chapter 4, and <b>PWS is in compliance.</b>		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Based upon the monitoring and reporting deficiencies noted above, ADEQ <b>cannot determine</b> if this system is currently delivering water that meets water quality standards required by 40 CFR 141/Arizona Administrative Code, Title 18, Chapter 4, and/or <b>PWS is not in compliance.</b>		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Based upon the operation and maintenance deficiencies noted above, ADEQ <b>cannot determine</b> if this system is currently delivering water that meets water quality standards required by 40 CFR 141/Arizona Administrative Code, Title 18, Chapter 4, and/or <b>PWS is not in compliance.</b>		

***This compliance status report does not guarantee the water quality for this system in the future, and does not reflect the status of any other water system owned by this utility company.***