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James J. Peveler, President Western Electrochemical Company 3770 Howard Hughes #300 Las Vegas, NV 89109

Larry Cummings, Director Safety and Environmental Engineering Western Electrochemical Company P.O. Box 629 Cedar City, UT 84721

> Re: Closure of Administrative Order Docket No. SDWA-8-1999-61 PWS ID #UT4912005

Dear Messrs. Peveler and Cummings:

This letter is to inform you of the United States Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) decision to close the Administrative Order (Order), Docket Number SDWA-8-1999-61, issued to Western Electrochemical Company on September 29, 1999. Not withstanding your failure to monitor violations that occurred in 2000, EPA has found that you have complied with the terms of the Order for the past three years so we will close the Order at this time.

Please be aware that you are still required to comply with the National Primary Drinking Water Regulations (NPDWR), 40 CFR Part 141. Violation of the NPDWRs or an administrative order may subject you to a court-imposed injunction and penalties of up to \$32,500 per day of violation.



Thank you for your attention to this matter and for your continued compliance with the regulations. If you have any questions related to this matter, please contact Jackson Naftel at (303) 312-6362.

Sincerely,

## SIGNED

Lisa Kahn, Team Leader Drinking Water Enforcement Program Office of Enforcement, Compliance and Environmental Justice

cc: Kevin Brown, Utah DEQ

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