

## **NOTICE OF VIOLATION**

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March 18, 2019

Chesapeake Geosystems, Inc.  
Attn: Jeff Corron (MWD 567)  
6720 Fort Smallwood Road  
Baltimore, MD 21226

**Re: No well completion report for a geothermal well**  
#HO-17-0370  
6198 Fairbourne Court, Hanover, MD 21076  
Map 38, Block 9, Parcel 904

Dear Mr. Corron,

It has come to our attention that the well for the subject property has been drilled and our records indicate no well completion report (WCR) has been received from your office.

Be advised that *The Code of Maryland Regulations (COMAR)* indicates that you are responsible for submitting a completed WCR to the Approving Authority, or Health Department. *COMAR 26.04.04.29A.* states:

*The permittee is responsible for submitting, on a form provided by the Approving Authority, a well completion report.*

Our records indicate the well was grouted on December 3, 2018. You had 45 days upon completion of this well to complete the WCR and submit to the Health Department for review of completion. This is a direct violation of *COMAR 26.04.04.29 B.* which states:

*(1) The well completion report shall be submitted to the Approving Authority by the permittee not later than 45 days after construction or deepening of the well has been completed or after construction activity on an unsuccessful well, or dry hole, has been terminated.*

*(2) Well construction activity shall be considered complete for the purpose of this regulation when the permittee:*

*(a) Does not install the pump and the well is grouted; or*

*(b) Installs the pump before expiration of the permit and the well is ready for use.*

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**Maura J. Rossman, M.D., Health Officer**

This Notice of Violation is issued based on the referenced section of *COMAR*. Given these findings, you must submit a WCR to the Health Department by March 29, 2019. The Health Department will perform the necessary review of the report for verification of completion.

You have the right to have the decision reviewed in accordance with the provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act and other applicable statutes and regulations. All appeals shall be filed with the Director, Water Management Administration, within 30 days after notification of the final decisions by the Approving Authority.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact me at the Bureau of Environmental Health; phone 410-313-1771.

Sincerely,



Sarah Collins, L.E.H.S.  
Howard County Health Department  
Well & Septic Program

*Cc: John Boris and Elaine Nolan, Maryland Department of the Environment  
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