

# FAILED BACTERIOLOGICAL RESULT RESAMPLE NOTICE

When a bacteriological sample indicates the presence of coliform bacteria, i.e. a 'positive/failed' bacteriological sample result, a corrective action, including additional monitoring is required. You should be aware of the details as outlined in the *Communication and Action Protocol for Failed Bacteriological Results and Other Potential Failures in Drinking Water for Waterworks Systems Regulated by the Environmental Protection and Enhancement Act*, as amended.

A 'set of re-samples consisting of at least 3 samples' must be taken: it includes **a sample taken at the Site that showed the failed bacteriological results, at a site upstream of the initial site, and at a site downstream of the initial site.** These re-samples must be identified on the Provincial Public Health Laboratory's *Request for Microbiological Analysis of Water* (requisition) form as RESAMPLE's. **The original requisition form ID No. and the AENV Reference (Call ID) No. must be noted** on the requisition. At this time, August 2009, neon labels are being provided. These must be completed and affixed to the requisition as shown in these examples.

UPSTREAM

R 961377

Water Supply for (NAME) Your Community Waterworks System

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Collection Site: #42 Address Location

Legal Land Description (For Private Households - Rural): \_\_\_\_\_

1/4 Section \_\_\_\_\_ Township \_\_\_\_\_ Range \_\_\_\_\_ W of \_\_\_\_\_

Regional Health Authority and Address: \_\_\_\_\_

AENV Reference #  
1 2 3 4 5 6

PPHL Requisition ID # (Of contaminated sample):  
R 7 8 9 1 2 3

Resample: previous sample showed coliform contamination

showed coliform contamination?  Yes

AENV Licensed Facilities ONLY  
Sampled for compliance?  
 Yes  No

SITE OF POSSIBLE CONTAMINATION

R 961378

Water Supply for (NAME) Your Community Waterworks System

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Collection Site: #64 Address Location

Legal Land Description (For Private Households - Rural): \_\_\_\_\_

1/4 Section \_\_\_\_\_ Township \_\_\_\_\_ Range \_\_\_\_\_ W of \_\_\_\_\_

Regional Health Authority and Address: \_\_\_\_\_

AENV Reference #  
1 2 3 4 5 6

PPHL Requisition ID # (Of contaminated sample):  
R 7 8 9 1 2 3

Resample: previous sample showed coliform contamination

showed coliform contamination?  Yes

AENV Licensed Facilities ONLY  
Sampled for compliance?  
 Yes  No

DOWNSTREAM

R 961379

Water Supply for (NAME) Your Community Waterworks System

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Collection Site: #102 Address Location

Legal Land Description (For Private Households - Rural): \_\_\_\_\_

1/4 Section \_\_\_\_\_ Township \_\_\_\_\_ Range \_\_\_\_\_ W of \_\_\_\_\_

Regional Health Authority and Address: \_\_\_\_\_

AENV Reference #  
1 2 3 4 5 6

PPHL Requisition ID # (Of contaminated sample):  
R 7 8 9 1 2 3

Resample: previous sample showed coliform contamination

showed coliform contamination?  Yes

AENV Licensed Facilities ONLY  
Sampled for compliance?  
 Yes  No