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ARKANSAS
Department of Environmental Quality

July 31, 2013

Terry McGinister, General Manager
Helen Municipal Water and Sewer System
702 Cherry Street
Helena, AR 72342

RE: NPDES Permit Number AR0043389 AFIN 54-00083
NPDES Permit Effluent Violations

Dear Mr. McGinister:

A recent review of the above referenced permit has revealed the following permit effluent violations for the monitoring period ending June 2013:

Discharge Number	Parameter	Violation	Limit
001-A	Oxygen, Dissolved (DO) Inst. Min.	1.6	2

The Arkansas Pollution Control and Ecology Commission regulations and your NPDES Permit require you to take all reasonable measures necessary to eliminate or prevent the occurrence of effluent violations. Any violation of your permit could result in enforcement action by ADEQ pursuant to the Arkansas Water and Air Pollution Control Act. We maintain records of all violations, non-compliance reports and correspondence documenting corrective action, should enforcement action be necessary.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at 501-682-0630 or e-mail at layher@adeq.state.ar.us.

Sincerely,



April Layher
Enforcement Analyst
Water Division, Enforcement Branch