

ORDER OF AN EXECUTIVE OFFICER

To: **Bethel United Reformed Church of Calgary**
“the Owner”

James Debruyne
“the Operator”

RE: The food establishment located in Calgary, Alberta and municipally described as:
Bethel United Reformed Church
730 – 101 Street SW

WHEREAS I, an **Executive Officer** of **Alberta Health Services**, have inspected the above noted premises pursuant to the provisions of the Public Health Act, RSA 2000, c. P-37, as amended;

AND WHEREAS such inspection disclosed that the following conditions exist in and about the above noted premises which are or may become injurious or dangerous to the public health or which might hinder in any manner the prevention or suppression of disease, namely:

- a. Water samples were not submitted consistently for bacteriological testing.
- b. Hydrogen peroxide used to treat the drinking water was not used according to the manufacturer’s instructions.
- c. The operations plan lacks details outlining the operating procedures, maintenance procedures, monitoring and responses to failed conditions, record keeping and reporting necessary for the drinking water system.

AND WHEREAS such inspection disclosed that the following breaches of the Public Health Act and the Food Regulation, Alberta Regulation 31/2006 and the Food Retail and Foodservices Code exist in and about the above noted premises, namely:

- a. Water samples were not submitted consistently for bacteriological testing. This contravenes section 17 (1) (f) (i) of the Alberta Food Regulation AR 31/2006, which states that: An operator must ensure that, before operation of the commercial food establishment commences, the commercial food establishment is supplied with hot and cold running water that is safe for human consumption and available in quantities sufficient to meet the needs of the commercial food establishment.
- b. Hydrogen peroxide used to treat the drinking water was not used according to the manufacturer’s instructions. This contravenes section 11 of the Nuisance and General Sanitation Regulation AR 243/2003, which states that: where a person provides a source of water that the person intends to be used or realizes or ought to realize will be used by the public for human consumption, the person shall ensure that the water is potable.

- c. The operations plan lacks details that outlines the operating procedures, maintenance procedures, monitoring and responses to failed conditions, record keeping and reporting necessary for the drinking water system. This contravenes section 29 (1) of the Alberta Food Regulation AR 31/2006, which states that: "A commercial food establishment must have written procedures designed to ensure its safe and sanitary operation and maintenance.

NOW THEREFORE, I hereby **ORDER** and **DIRECT**:

1. That the Owner immediately undertake and diligently pursue the completion of the following work in and about the above noted premises, namely:
 - a. Submit a water sample on a monthly basis for bacteriological testing.
 - b. Eliminate the use of hydrogen peroxide in drinking water and chlorinate between 0.1 to 0.5 mg/L. Alternatively, follow manufacturer's instructions for use including maximum dosage for hydrogen peroxide and a chlorine treatment to follow with a residual that does not exceed 4mg/L.
 - c. Provide testing equipment to measure chemical concentrations in drinking water.
 - d. Comply with the public health guidelines for non-municipal drinking water published in July 2021 for water treatment, operations and maintenance and retain records for three years.
2. The work referred to in paragraph 1 shall be completed by **June 18, 2022**.

The above conditions were noted at the time of inspection and may not necessarily reflect all deficiencies. You are advised that further work may be required to ensure full compliance with the Public Health Act and regulations, or to prevent a public health nuisance.

DATED at Calgary, Alberta, May 18, 2022.

Confirmation of a verbal order issued to James Debruyne on May 18, 2022 via voice mail.

Executive Officer
Alberta Health Services

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 b) feels himself aggrieved by the decision

may appeal the decision by submitting a Notice of Appeal form within ten (10) days after receiving the order to:

Public Health Appeal Board
c/o Central Reception
Main Floor, ATB Place North Tower
10025 Jasper Avenue NW
Edmonton, Alberta, T5J 1S6
Phone: 780-222-5186
Fax: 780-422-0914
Email: HealthAppealBoard@gov.ab.ca
Website: <https://www.alberta.ca/public-health-appeal-board.aspx>

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