The State of New Hampshire
Department of Environmental Services

Michael P. Nolin
Commissioner

LETTER OF DEFICIENCY

No. WD SS 06-011

August 23, 2006

Ms. Judy Hilliard
10 Brock Lane
Groton, NH 03241
RE: Lack of Septic Approvals on Lot, Map 2, Lot 105

Dear Ms. Hilliard:

On February 13, 2006, personnel from the Department of Environmental Services, Water Division ("DES") conducted an inspection of the your property, described as Lot # 105, on Tax Map # 2, and located on Brock Lane, Groton, NH, 03241 ("the Property"). The purpose of this inspection was to determine whether you were in compliance with RSA 485-A and it's implementing regulations, the Subdivision and Individual Sewage Disposal System Design Rules, Env-Ws 1000 ("the Rules").

As a result of the inspection, the following deficiencies were noted:

1. There is no state-approved septic system serving the lot.

2. There are black plastic pipes running from one of the mobile homes into the ground, potentially emptying wastewater into a nearby brook.

DES believes the above deficiencies can be permanently corrected within 30 days by initiating and completing the following measures:

1. Engage a permitted septic system designer to prepare and submit septic system plans and specifications to DES for the total waste load generated on the Property.

2. Obtain approval to construct the system.

3. Construct and obtain approval to cover and use the system.

4. Operate and maintain the system in accordance with NH Administrative Rule Env-Ws 1023.

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During interim between receipt of this letter and the date by which permanent corrections have been completed, as an alternate to vacating the premises, DES requests that collected sewage be pumped and disposed in accordance with NH Administrative Rule Env-Ws 1600 at sufficient frequent intervals to prevent further overflow. If this alternative is utilized, it is requested that pumping receipts be retained.

DES believes the cited deficiencies can be corrected within 30 days and a report describing the corrective measures can be submitted to this office within 30 days of receipt of this letter.

In the event compliance is not achieved within this period, DES may initiate further action against «keyboard», including issuing an order requiring the above items to be corrected and/or referring the matter to the New Hampshire Department of Justice for imposition of civil and/or criminal penalties. DES reserves the right to pursue administrative fines for the violation(s) noted above.

The written report as requested above should be addressed as follows:

Richard J. de Seve, SSB, DES
Department of Environmental Services
6 Hazen Drive, PO Box 95
Concord, NH 03302-0095

Your prompt cooperation is appreciated. Should you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Richard J. de Seve at 271-3442.

Sincerely,

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for

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Administrator
Subsurface Systems Bureau

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