

January 16th, 2025CG-24
Paul Kennedy
Konrad, Plastics, Inc
1731 Cypress Court
Portage, IN 46368Re: Monitoring & Reporting Violation
2024 Notice
PWSID: 012640050
Public Point: 0001

Dear Mr. Paul Kennedy:

The Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM) staff of the Drinking Water Branch has conducted a review of your drinking water monitoring requirements. This review was conducted in order to determine compliance with 327 IAC 5-2-4, 10(f).

This review noted the following violation(s):

Contaminant	Monitoring Period	Violation	Corrective Action
Nitrate	January 1-December 31, 2024	Failure to monitor and report as required 327 IAC 5-2-4, 10(f)	Public notice and sample analysis for nitrate release collect 2025 sample as soon as possible

If you collected a nitrate sample during the January 1-December 31, 2024 monitoring period, please submit a copy of the monitoring results to our office. If you did not, you will need to complete the enclosed public notification and submit proof of distribution or publication per the attached instructions.

You (the owner of each public water supply) are mandated to keep all records documenting compliance with each of the requirements listed above, must be submitted to this office. Submit this information to:

IDEM
Drinking Water Branch, Compliance Section
100 North Senate Avenue - Mail Code 68-64
Indianapolis, IN 46204-0257
Or email to: drinkingwater@dem.in.govSubmit your response to the Drinking Water Branch
by January 16, 2025**IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER****NITRATE RULE****Monitoring and Reporting Requirements Not Met for:**
Konrad Plastics, Inc

Our water system recently violated a drinking water standard. Although this is not an emergency, as our customers, you have a right to know what happened, what you should do, and what we are doing to correct this situation.

We are required to monitor your drinking water for specific contaminants on a regular basis. Results of regular monitoring are an indicator of whether or not our drinking water standards meet EPA's health standards. During 2024, we did not test for Nitrate and therefore cannot be sure of the quality of our drinking water at this time.

What should I do? There is nothing you need to do at this time.

What does this mean? This is not an immediate risk. If it had been, you would have been notified immediately.

What Happened? What is being done? Explain below.

We anticipate resolving the violation within _____.

For more information, please contact the public water system.

Contact Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Please share this information with all the other people who drink this water, especially those who may not have received the notice directly. For example, people in neighborhoods, nursing homes, schools, and businesses. You can do this by posting this notice in a public place or distributing copies by hand or mail.

This notice is being sent to you by: 012640050 Konrad Plastics, Inc

Date dictated: _____

Notification for the State of Indiana (CCR)

PWSID: 012640050 PWS Name: Konrad Plastics, Inc

PWSID: 012640050 Monitoring & Reporting (PWS) Sampling: 1-2024

This public notification is distributed to the public as required by law, to inform you of the violation, the corrective actions being taken, and the contact information for the PWS.

Name & Title of State Representative: _____ Date: _____

Please be advised that failure to submit the required information will result in a referral to IDEM's Office of Water Quality Enforcement Section. If your system is referred to Enforcement it may result in additional penalties. Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions, please contact Barbara Fisher at (317) 234-2531 or email barfish@dem.in.gov.

Sincerely,

Stacy Jones, Section Chief
Compliance Section
Drinking Water Branch
Office of Water QualityCC: Porter County Health Department
Cheryl Wiseman, Field Inspection Section
Kathleen Schmitt, Environmental Manager**Tier 2****Public Notice Instructions**

You are required to provide the enclosed public notice within the next thirty (30) days. You must use one or more of the following methods to deliver the notice to consumers.

Community systems (PWSID begins with a 0) must use one of the following methods:

- Hand or direct delivery
- Mail as a separate notice or included with the bill
- Publishing in newspaper within the area served
- Consumer Confidence Report (CCR) if the CCR is delivered to customers within 12 months of the violation

Non-community systems (PWSID begins with a 2) must use one of the following methods:

- Posting in conspicuous locations
- Hand or direct delivery
- Mail

You may need to use additional methods since notice must be provided in a manner reasonably calculated to reach all persons served. You may modify the enclosed public notice to tailor it to your specific situation, but you must still include all the required elements and health effects language must remain unchanged. This language is mandatory.

After issuing the notice

Send a copy of each type of notice and certification form within ten (10) days from the time you issue the notice to the following address:

Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM)
DWC Drinking Water - Mail Code 68-64
100 N. Senate Avenue
Indianapolis, IN 46204-0257
Email: drinkingwater@dem.in.gov