

**IN THE MATTER OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH ACT - ALBERTA**  
**ORDER OF AN EXECUTIVE OFFICER**

**To:** Calgary Plaza Hotel Ltd. operating as  
The Coast Plaza Hotel  
1316 33 St. N.E.  
Calgary, Alberta T2A 6B6

**Re:** The **Swimming Pool** located in Calgary, Alberta and municipally described as:  
  
1316 33 St. N.E.  
Calgary, Alberta T2A 6B6

WHEREAS I, an **Executive Officer** of the **Calgary Health Region**, have inspected the above noted swimming pool 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 swimming pool which are or may become injurious or dangerous to the public health or which might hinder the prevention or suppression of disease, namely:

- a. Two consecutive water samples were received in which unacceptable bacterial levels were detected. Specifically the samples collected on August 15<sup>th</sup>, 2008 and August 19<sup>th</sup>, 2008 indicated the presence of total coliforms.

AND WHEREAS such inspection disclosed that the following breaches of the Public Health Act and the Swimming Pool, Wading Pool and Water Spray Park Regulation, Alberta Regulation 293/2006 exist in and about the above noted swimming pool, namely:

- a. Two consecutive water samples were received in which unacceptable bacterial levels were detected. Specifically the samples collected on August 15<sup>th</sup>, 2008 and August 19<sup>th</sup>, 2008 indicated the presence of total coliforms. This breaches Section 16 of the Pool, Wading Pool and Water Spray Park Regulation, Alberta Regulation 293/2006.

AND WHEREAS by virtue of the foregoing, the above noted premises are hereby declared to be **closed**;

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

1. That the Owner **immediately close** the above noted swimming pool and secure it from unauthorized entry.

2. That the Owner undertake and diligently pursue the completion of the following work in and about the above noted swimming pool, namely:
  - a. Treat the swimming pool water and equipment to eliminate presence of total coliforms.
  - b. Rebalance the water chemistry.
  - c. Collect a sample of the swimming pool water and submit the sample to the Provincial Laboratory for analysis.
  
3. That until such time as the work referred to in paragraph 2 is completed to the satisfaction of the undersigned or an executive officer of the Calgary Health Region, and lab results show that a water sample taken after the above work is done meets the standards outlined in Section 16 of the Pool, Wading Pool and Water Spray Park Regulation, Alberta Regulation 293/2006, the above noted swimming pool shall remain closed and secured from unauthorized entry.

This written order dated at Calgary, Alberta, this 21<sup>st</sup> day of August, 2008, confirms the verbal order issued on August 20<sup>th</sup>, 2008.

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Jeremy Vaughan, CPHI(C)  
Executive Officer  
Calgary Health Region

***Section 5(2) of the Public Health Act provides that a person who is directly affected by this Order and considers himself or herself aggrieved hereby may appeal the same to the Public Health Appeal Board, 24<sup>th</sup> Floor, Telus Plaza North Tower, 10025 Jasper Avenue, Edmonton AB T5J 2N3, within ten (10) days. The terms of this Order remain in effect notwithstanding the filing or proposed filing of any such appeal.***

***The Owner is advised that the Public Health Act empowers the Calgary Health Region to carry out the terms of this Order on the Owner's behalf and at the Owner's expense should the Owner fail to comply with the terms hereof.***

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