

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

To: Bow Valley Club LP
Unit 370
250 – 6 Ave SW
Calgary, AB T2P 3H7
(the “**Owner**”)

Re: The Whirlpool located in Calgary, Alberta and municipally described as:
Bow Valley Club
Unit 370
250 – 6 Ave SW
Calgary, Alberta

WHEREAS I, an **Executive Officer** of the **Alberta Health Services**, 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 as well as three of the last four bacteriological samples were unsatisfactory. A sample collected on November 5, 2009 had a Heterotrophic Plate Count of 57,000 CFU per ml and presence of *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*, a sample collected on November 19, 2009 had a Heterotrophic Plate Count of 250 CFU per ml and presence of *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*, and a sample collected on November 26, 2009 had *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*.

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 as well as three of the last four bacteriological samples were unsatisfactory. A sample collected on November 5, 2009 had a Heterotrophic Plate Count of 57,000 CFU per ml and presence of *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*, a sample collected on November 19, 2009 had a Heterotrophic Plate Count of 250 CFU per ml and presence of *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*, and a sample collected on November 26, 2009 had *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*. This is in contravention of Section 16 of the *Swimming Pool, Wading Pool and Water Spray Park Regulation (AR 293/2006)*.

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

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

1. That the Owner **immediately closes** the above noted whirlpool 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 whirlpool, namely:
 - a. Treat whirlpool water and equipment to eliminate any possible source of contamination then chemically balance the water.
 - b. Following treatment, submit a water sample to the Provincial Laboratory of Public Health.
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 Alberta Health Services and the water sample submitted under paragraph 2(b) is deemed to be satisfactory, the above noted whirlpool shall remain closed and secured from unauthorized entry.

Dated at Calgary, Alberta, this 30th day of November, 2009.

Nick Suen CPHI (C). BSc
Executive Officer
Alberta Health Services

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, 24th 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 Alberta Health Services 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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