

ORDER OF AN EXECUTIVE OFFICER NOTICE OF CLOSURE

To: **SR Canmore Resorts GP Inc.**

 Condominium Corporation #0711598

 Bellstar Hotels & Resorts

RE: The swimming pool located in Canmore, Alberta and municipally described as:
 Solara Resort & Spa Pool, 187 Kananaskis Way

WHEREAS I, an **Executive Officer** of **Alberta Health Services**, have inspected the above 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 the prevention or suppression of disease, namely:

- a. Water samples from the pool taken on August 8, August 15 and August 22, 2011 had an HPC of 29070, 9690 and 1280 cfu/mL respectively.
- b. The alkalinity of the pool water was measured as 20ppm.
- c. The skimmer on the west side of the pool was not functional.
- d. Automated disinfection and monitoring equipment are not functioning properly.
- e. The automated controller was not reading an accurate pH.

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. Water samples from the pool taken on August 8, August 15 and August 22, 2011 had an HPC of 29070, 9690 and 1280 cfu/mL respectively. This is in contravention of Section 16(a) of the Pool, Wading Pool and Water Spray Park Regulation, Alberta Regulation 293/2006.
- b. The alkalinity of the pool water was measured as 20ppm. This is in contravention of Part 3, Section 3(3) of the Pool Standards, 2006.
- c. The skimmer on the west side of the pool was not functional. This is in contravention of Section 9(1)(b) of the Pool, Wading Pool and Water Spray Park Regulation, Alberta Regulation 293/2006.
- d. Automated disinfection and monitoring equipment are not functioning properly. This is in contravention of Section 12(2)(a) of the Pool, Wading Pool and Water Spray Park Regulation, Alberta Regulation 293/2006.
- e. The automated controller was not reading an accurate pH. This is in contravention of Section 12(2)(b) 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.
2. That the owner immediately undertake and diligently pursue the completion of the following work in and about the above noted premises, namely:
 - a. Treat the pool water to eliminate any possible source of contamination and then chemically balance the pool.
 - b. Submit a pool water sample for microbial analysis to the Provincial Laboratory of Public Health (Microbiology) for testing.
 - c. Maintain the free available chlorine level of the pool water at a minimum of 2.0ppm.
 - d. Maintain the alkalinity of the pool water between 80 and 120ppm.
 - e. Ensure all skimmers are operational.
 - f. Ensure the automated disinfection and monitoring equipment is in good working condition.
 - g. Calibrate the automated controllers for pH.
3. That until such time as the work referred to above is completed to the satisfaction of an Executive Officer of Alberta Health Services and the water sample referred to as item b above is shown to be of satisfactory microbiological quality; the above noted pool shall remain closed.

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 Canmore, Alberta, August 26, 2011.

Diane Luka, CPHI(C)
Executive Officer
Environmental Health Officer

YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO APPEAL

A person who a) is directly affected by a decision of a Regional Health Authority, and
b) feels himself aggrieved by the decision

may appeal the decision within ten (10) days after receiving the order to the Public Health Appeal Board located at 24th Floor, Telus Plaza, 10025 - Jasper Avenue, Edmonton, Alberta, T5J 1S6 Telephone (780) 427-2813.

The terms of this Order remain in effect notwithstanding the filing or proposed filing of any such appeal. If you appeal, you may also make an application to the Board for a stay of this Order pending the appeal.

A copy of the Public Health Appeal form may be obtained by contacting Alberta Health Services at (780) 342-0122 or the Public Health Appeal Board (780) 427-2813.

You are advised that all orders remain in effect pending such an appeal

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Copies of standards are available by contacting the Health Protection Branch of Alberta Health & Wellness at (780) 427-4518, or by visiting: www.health.alberta.ca/about/health-legislation.html

Confirmation of an oral order issued to Randy Steinbach, at 4:30 pm, August 25, 2011.

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