REGION 10
SEATTLE, WA 98101

January 22, 2026

Christopher Ball, Ph.D.
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Idaho Department of Health and Welfare
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Dear Dr. Ball:

This summary report is for the requested modification made to your current scope of accreditation for the drinking water methods for which the Idaho Bureau of Labs (IBL) has been designated to serve as Idaho's principal state laboratory. IBL is being granted the additional certification for Standard Methods 9223B Colilert QuantiTray® for use under the Long Term 2 Enhanced Surface Water Treatment Rule (LT2).

This additional certification is granted based in part on EPA Region 10's on-site inspection conducted December 2, 2024, as well as the recent review of applicable standard operating procedures and acceptable performance test results. Please retain a copy of this letter alongside your current letter of certification.

MICROBIOLOGY

Long Term 2 Enhanced Surface Water Treatment Rule (LT2) Quantitative Methods:
Standard Methods 9223B (Colilert QuantiTray® and Coliler18 QuantiTray®) for *E. coli*

This additional certification will be due for renewal in 2027, at which time an audit in support of your continued certification will be scheduled. If you have any questions or comments, please do not hesitate to contact me or the Certification Officer listed below:

Stephanie Bailey (360) 871-8739

Sincerely,

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