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Environment Department UPDATE for Precautionary Boil Water Advisory for Sacramento Mountain Range in Otero and Lincoln Counties, New Mexico

(Santa Fe, NM) The New Mexico Environment Department Secretary David Martin has issued an update for the precautionary Boil Water Advisory for the Sacramento Mountain Range in Otero and Lincoln Counties of New Mexico. Due to extreme weather conditions, many but not all water suppliers in the Sacramento Mountains have had water lines freeze and rupture.

The New Mexico Environment Department asks that if water consumers experience sudden changes to their water supply such as color, taste, or odor they notify their local water supplier and are advised to boil water for five minutes before drinking, cooking and dishwashing or to use bottled water if at all possible until further notice.

The New Mexico Environment Department is asking individual water suppliers in this area to assess and post the current water conditions to keep consumers informed.

The New Mexico Environment Department will continue to monitor the situation and provide updates.

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