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RE: Wastewater and surface water quantitray enumeration for total coliform

Dear Valued Clients

The ELAP division of the California Waterboard no longer offers a field of testing for total coliform using Colilert-18. Due to this change, Abalone Coast Analytical, Inc. can no longer offer what we call a QT total for any water that is not drinking water when the analysis is for regulatory reporting. This is effective February 1st, 2021. Clients who have requested the QT total coliform analysis on wastewater will be reverted back to either the 15 tube or 25 tube multiple tube fermentation analysis for total coliform. Please check with your permitting needs or your regulatory representative to determine if you, individually, may continue to receive the Colilert 18 total coliform on your wastewater.

Thank You

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