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Larry Englerth, Executive Director
South Dakota One Call Notification Board
1012 North Sycamore Ave.
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Re: Complaint OC04-007

Dear Mr. Englerth,

Thank you for your response to our complaint regarding the work of Johnson Digging, Inc., dated October 21, 2004. We sincerely appreciate the attention devoted to this situation by the SD One Call Board. Situations of this nature are difficult for SEC in that our employees work with these contractors on a day to day basis and we want to keep an open and honest relationship with them, but when numerous situations occur that are not done properly and our system is damaged along with our relationship with our members we feel there comes a time when we have to draw the line.

We have returned the Enforcement Committee Action sheet indicating that we accept the committee resolution of this complaint. As mentioned above we appreciate your efforts and hope that we don't have to utilize this option again in the future.

Thanks again for your consideration of this matter.

Sincerely yours,

Brad Schardin