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### **EHS Circular Letter #2012-70**

To: Directors of Health/Districts  
Chief Sanitarians

From: Pamela E. Scully, Sanitary Engineer 3

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Subject: Automatic Disinfectant Feeders & Chemicals Used for Public Pools

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When conducting an inspection of a public pool for compliance with §19-13-B33b of the Public Health Code, please ensure that each public pool is equipped with a dedicated automatic disinfectant feeder, as outlined in §19-13-B33b(b)(5) of the Code. In addition, please ensure that the automatic feeder is certified by the National Sanitation Foundation (NSF) and the chemicals are appropriate for the type of feeder(s) installed in the pool.

Pursuant to Section 19.1 of the Connecticut Public Swimming Pool Design Guide all chemical feeders shall comply in all respects with the standards of the NSF. NSF Standard 50 applies to Swimming Pools, Spas and Hot Tubs and product listings can be found at:

<http://www.nsf.org/Certified/Pools/>

If you have any questions please call Pam Scully at 860-509-7296.

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