CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD SAN FRANCISCO BAY REGION

RESOLUTION NO. 81-5

RESOLUTION OF INTENT CLARIFYING REGIONAL BOARD RESOLUTION 78-1, REGARDING THE STINSON BEACH DISCHARGE PROHIBITION CONTAINED IN THE SAN FRANCISCO BAY REGION WATER QUALITY CONTROL PLAN

- Whereas the Regional Board, at the meeting of September 25, 1973, adopted Resolution 73-13, which amended the Water Quality Control Plan (Interim) San Francisco Bay Basin, to prohibit waste discharges to individual leaching or percolation systems in the Stinson Beach area of Marin County, after October 15, 1977, and
- 2. Whereas the Board, at the meetings of November 17, 1973 and May 21, 1974 adopted Resolutions 73-18 and 74-6 respectively which redefined the area covered by the discharge prohibition, and
- 3. Whereas the Board, on April 8, 1975 adopted the Water Quality Control Plan for the San Francisco Bay Basin (Basin Plan) which continued the prohibition contained in Resolution 73-13 (as amended), and
- 4. Whereas the Board, on January 17, 1978 adopted Resolution 78-1, which amended the first paragraph of Section IX of Resolution 73-13 to allow for a demonstration of the ability of the Stinson Beach County Water District to regulate the discharge of sewage bearing wastewater to individual leaching or percolation systems within Stinson Beach through a program contained in a document entitled "Rules and Regulations, SBCWD Wastewater Management Program," and
- Whereas, the Stinson Beach County Water District has requested the Board to allow for modification of the document entitled "Rules and Regulations, SBCWD Wastewater Management Program" for inclusion of an Ordinance allowing variances to design codes for repair of failed wastewater systems when in the public interest, and
- 6. Whereas, the project involves the continued regulation of the use of individual sewage disposal systems in Stinson Beach by the Stinson Beach County Water District this project will not have a significant effect on the environment based upon the exemption provided in Section 15501, Title 14, of the California Administrative Code, and
- 7. Whereas, a public hearing regarding amendment of the Stinson Beach discharge prohibition was held on July 15, 1981, at which time the Regional Board heard and considered all comments pertaining to this matter.

Therefore Be It Resolved, that it is the intent of this Board that the "Rules and Regulations" referred to in paragraph A of Resolution No. 78-1 shall be those rules and regulations as may be amended subject to the approval of the Executive Officer of the Regional Board.

Therefore Be It Further Resolved, that the Stinson Beach County Water District shall submit, on or within sixty days of the date of adoption of this resolution a detailed evaluation, to the satisfaction of the Executive Officer, of the methods by which the remaining primary failed systems and possible future secondary system failures on poorly suited lots will be corrected.

I, Fred H. Dierker, Executive Officer, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a resolution adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Francisco Bay Region, on July 15, 1981

ERED H. DIERKER Executive Officer