



Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

22 August 2013

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NOTICE TENTATIVE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR OLAM WEST COAST, INC. ONION DEHYDRATOR FRESNO COUNTY

Enclosed are tentative Waste Discharge Requirements for Olam West Coast, Inc., onion dehydrator in Fresno County. To conserve resources, this letter transmits a paper copy of the proposed Order to the Discharger only.

Beginning 26 August 2013, interested parties may download the proposed Order from the Regional Water Board's Internet website at:

http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_decisions/tentative_orders/

Persons wishing to comment on this matter must submit their testimony, evidence, and/or comments in writing to the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region, at the address in the footer below no later than **5 p.m. on 26 September 2013**. Written materials received after 5 p.m. on **26 September 2013** will not be accepted and will not be incorporated into the administrative record if doing so would prejudice any party.

The Central Valley Water Board meeting where the above matter will be considered is scheduled for the following time and location:

Date: 5/6 December 2013
Time: 8:30 a.m.
Place: California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region
11020 Sun Center Drive #200
Rancho Cordova, CA

Persons wishing to make non-evidentiary policy statements at the Board meeting (such statements will generally be limited to 3 minutes) are **not** required to submit written comments, but the Board appreciates receiving those comments in writing by the due date listed above so that they may be included in the packages that the Board members will receive ahead of the meeting.

If you have any questions regarding this tentative Order, or if you do not have Internet access and wish to request paper copies, contact Denise Soria at (559) 444-2488 or dsoria@waterboards.ca.gov.

Original signed by:

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Enclosures: Tentative Waste Discharge Requirements (Discharger Only)
Standard Provisions and Reporting Requirements, March 1991 (Discharger Only)
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Department of Public Health, Fresno
Fresno County, Environmental Health, Fresno
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