

California Regional Water Quality Control Board
North Coast Region

Order No. R1-2014-0051

Rescinding Waste Discharge Requirements
and
Monitoring and Reporting Program
Order No. R1-2003-0043

For

International Paper Company
Former Masonite Wood Treatment Facility
Cloverdale, California
Case No. 1NS0266
WDID No. 1B03036RSON

Sonoma County

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, North Coast Region (hereinafter Regional Water Board), finds that:

1. The former Masonite Wood Treatment Facility is located approximately 0.5 mile east of Highway 101, approximately 1,500 feet west of the Russian River, and one mile southeast of the City of Cloverdale. The facility occupied a site approximately four acres in size and consisted of an operations building, chemical storage tanks, two pressure vessels or retorts, an unlined recycling pond, and wood storage areas. The facility operated from the late 1950s to 1975. In 1976, the facility was dismantled. Wood was treated with oil-based pentachlorophenol and water-based chromated copper arsenate.
2. On October 29, 2002, International Paper Company submitted a report of waste discharge to conduct in-situ treatment of soil and groundwater contaminated with pentachlorophenol and arsenic at the former Masonite Wood Treatment Facility located in Cloverdale, California.
3. On March 27, 2003, Waste Discharge Requirements Order No. R1-2003-0043 was adopted by the Regional Water Board along with Monitoring and Reporting Program Order No. R1-2003-0043.
4. The in-situ treatment project and associated groundwater monitoring has been completed and the Orders are no longer needed for the protection of water quality.

THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Waste Discharge Requirements Order No. R1-2003-0043 and Monitoring and Reporting Program Order No. R1-2003-0043 be rescinded.

CERTIFICATION

I, Matthias St. John, Executive Officer, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of an Order adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, North Coast Region, on November 20, 2014.

Matthias St. John
Executive Officer