

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
CENTRAL COAST REGION

COVER SHEET
STAFF REPORT FOR BOARD WORKSHOP OF MARCH 17, 2011
Prepared on February 1, 2011

ITEM NUMBER: 14

SUBJECT: Staff Recommendation for an Updated Conditional Waiver of Waste Discharge Requirements for Discharges from Irrigated Lands, Draft Order No. R3- 2011-0006

The staff report, proposed Order, and supporting documents are attached. The Executive Summary in the staff report summarizes the information and staff's recommendation to the Board.

To facilitate your review, we highlighted in grey the sections of the documents that have changed significantly in response to comments since the documents were published in November 2010. Look for these grey highlighted areas in the documents.

LIST OF DOCUMENTS IN THIS AGENDA ITEM

Staff Report and several Appendices

Appendix A: Draft Agricultural Order [changes]

Appendix B: Draft Monitoring and Reporting Program [changes: created MRP for each Tier*]

Appendix C: Draft Time Schedule for Compliance [changes]

Appendix D: Options Considered **[TO BE DISTRIBUTED IN SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET]**

Appendix E: Response to Public Comments **[TO BE DISTRIBUTED IN SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET]**

Appendix F: Cost Considerations [minimal changes]

Appendix G: Report on Water Quality Conditions [minimal changes, updated data regarding trends]

Appendix H: Draft Environmental Documents Pursuant to CEQA [changes]

Appendix I: Background [minimal changes]

Appendix J: References [minimal changes]

**Note that Appendix B: Draft Monitoring and Reporting Program was broken up into three separate Monitoring and Reporting Programs, one for each Tier, such that it became too difficult to flag the locations of substantive changes clearly; consequently, readers should review those documents in their entirety.*