

CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
SAN DIEGO REGION

RESOLUTION NO. 78 - 34

A RESOLUTION CLARIFYING THE INTENT OF THE REGIONAL BOARD TO PROTECT
GROUNDWATER BODIES WHERE BENEFICIAL USE DESIGNATIONS AND WATER
QUALITY OBJECTIVES HAVE BEEN ENTIRELY DELETED

WHEREAS, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 13240 ET SEQ. OF THE CALIFORNIA WATER CODE,
THE CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD, SAN DIEGO REGION, CAUSED
TO BE DEVELOPED A COMPREHENSIVE WATER QUALITY CONTROL PLAN FOR THE SAN DIEGO
WATER QUALITY CONTROL REGION; AND

WHEREAS, THE REGIONAL BOARD, ACTING IN ACCORD WITH SECTION 13244 OF THE CALIFORNIA
WATER CODE, ON FEBRUARY 27, 1978, ADOPTED RESOLUTION NO. 78-6 AMENDING ITS COM-
PREHENSIVE WATER QUALITY CONTROL PLAN; AND

WHEREAS, THE AMENDMENTS TO THE COMPREHENSIVE WATER QUALITY CONTROL PLAN ADOPTED
BY THE REGIONAL BOARD ON FEBRUARY 27, 1978 PROVIDE FOR DELETIONS AND REVISIONS OF
BENEFICIAL USE DESIGNATIONS FOR SURFACE WATERS, MODIFICATION OF WATER QUALITY
OBJECTIVES FOR GROUNDWATERS AND FOR THE DELETION OF ALL BENEFICIAL USE DESIGNA-
TIONS AND WATER QUALITY OBJECTIVES FOR GROUNDWATERS IN A NUMBER OF COASTAL BASINS;
AND

WHEREAS, THE REGIONAL BOARD MAY IN THE FUTURE AMEND ITS COMPREHENSIVE WATER
QUALITY CONTROL PLAN TO FURTHER MODIFY, REVISE AND/OR DELETE BENEFICIAL USE
DESIGNATIONS AND WATER QUALITY OBJECTIVES; AND

WHEREAS, AT ITS APRIL 20, 1978 MEETING, THE STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD
ADOPTED RESOLUTION NO. 78-15 WHICH APPROVED PORTIONS OF THE AMENDMENTS TO THE
COMPREHENSIVE WATER QUALITY CONTROL PLAN FOR THE SAN DIEGO WATER QUALITY CONTROL
REGION AND REQUESTED THAT THE REGIONAL BOARD ADOPT A RESOLUTION CLARIFYING ITS
INTENT TO PROTECT, UNDER THE NONDEGRADATION POLICY, THOSE GROUNDWATER BODIES
WHERE BENEFICIAL USE DESIGNATIONS AND WATER QUALITY OBJECTIVES HAD BEEN ENTIRELY
DELETED.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE REGIONAL BOARD SHALL CONSIDER THE POTENTIAL
WATER QUALITY IMPACT OF ANY PROPOSED WASTE DISCHARGE TO ANY GROUNDWATER BASIN
WITHIN THE REGION AND ISSUE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS CONSISTENT WITH
RESOLUTION NO. 68-16 OF THE STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD (NONDEGRADATION
POLICY), REQUIREMENTS FOR THE PROTECTION OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND PREVENTION OF
NUISANCE, AND WATER QUALITY OBJECTIVES AS SET FORTH IN THE COMPREHENSIVE WATER
QUALITY CONTROL PLAN.

I, LEONARD BURTMAN, EXECUTIVE OFFICER, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE FOREGOING IS A FULL,
TRUE, AND CORRECT COPY OF A RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY THE CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER
QUALITY CONTROL BOARD, SAN DIEGO REGION, ON JULY 24, 1978.


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