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CALIFORNIA REGIONAL
WATER QUALITY
CONTROL BOARD

Dear Mr. Robertus:

REQUEST FOR TECHNICAL CHANGE ORDER TO ORDER NO. R9-2007-0001 (NPDES NO. CAS0108758) TO PROVIDE THE OPTION FOR DRY WEATHER MONITORING REPORTS TO BE SUBMITTED ON JANUARY 31ST INSTEAD OF SEPTEMBER 30TH

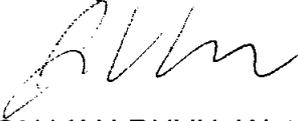
The County of San Diego, as lead Copermittee, requests on behalf of the San Diego Stormwater Copermittees' Regional Monitoring Workgroup that a Technical Change Order be issued to amend the existing requirements of Section J. 3. a. (3) (f) i. through iii. of Order No. R9-2007-0001 (NPDES No. CAS0108758), Waste Discharge Requirements for Discharges of Urban Runoff from the Municipal Separate Storm Sewer Systems (MS4s) Draining the Watersheds of the County of San Diego, the Incorporated Cities of San Diego County, the San Diego Unified Port District, and the Regional San Diego Airport Authority (Permit). This section requires that the dry weather monitoring results be submitted in the Jurisdictional Urban Runoff Management Program (JURMP) Annual Report. Because the dry weather field season is from May 1 to September 30, it is not possible for many jurisdictions, especially the larger jurisdictions with over 100 sample stations to complete their dry weather monitoring activities in time to meet a September 30th report deadline. Splitting the results between two reporting years is an option, but results in a less timely report and a less comprehensive analysis if fragmented between two years.

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To provide a timely report with a comprehensive analysis of the data collected over the dry weather season the Copermittees request the option to submit Annual Dry Weather Monitoring Report under Permit 2007-0001 as a stand alone report due January 31st of the subsequent year instead of September 30th (as part of the JURMP Annual Update).

Thank you for your consideration of this matter. If you have questions, please contact Jo Ann Weber of the County of San Diego at (858) 495-5317 or me at (858) 495-5133.

Sincerely,



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cc: Lilian Busse, Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Diego Region