

**CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
SAN FRANCISCO BAY REGION**

RESOLUTION NO. 92-118

**AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTIVE OFFICER
TO MODIFY MONITORING AND REPORTING REQUIREMENTS
FOR INDUSTRIAL STORM WATER DISCHARGERS**

WHEREAS, federal regulations were promulgated by the US Environmental Protection Agency on November 19, 1990 which require National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permits for discharge of storm water associated with industrial activity (industrial storm water).

WHEREAS, due to the large number of facilities requiring industrial storm water NPDES permits, the State Water Resources Control Board (State Board) and the Regional Water Quality Control Board (Regional Board) are implementing the industrial storm water permit program under a tiered strategy beginning with baseline general permits to cover the majority of industrial storm water dischargers.

WHEREAS, the State Board issued NPDES General Permit No. CAS000001 (Water Quality Order No. 91-13-DWQ) on November 15, 1991 for discharges of industrial storm water throughout the state which includes minimum monitoring and reporting requirements.

WHEREAS, the State Board issued NPDES General Permit No. CAS000002 (Water Quality Order No. 92-08-DWQ) on August 20, 1992 for discharges of storm water from construction activities throughout the state which includes minimum monitoring and reporting requirements.

WHEREAS, the Regional Board issued NPDES General Permit No. CAG612001 (Order No. 92-011) on January 15, 1992 for discharges of industrial storm water in Santa Clara County to South San Francisco Bay or its tributaries which includes minimum monitoring and reporting requirements.

WHEREAS, additional monitoring and reporting requirements may be appropriate for specific industry categories or individual facilities due to the nature and effect of their industrial storm water discharges such as including facilities within watersheds shown to be adversely impacted by such storm water discharges, facilities where the pollution potential of the discharge cannot be assessed by the minimum requirements, or facilities where more information will lead to more effective control mechanisms.

WHEREAS, extending monitoring and reporting requirements is considered a minor modification of a NPDES permit and the authority to require them may be delegated to the Executive Officer.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

- 1. The Executive Officer is authorized to require additional monitoring and reporting by industrial storm water dischargers when additional information is needed to assess existing or potential adverse impacts by industrial storm water discharges, to evaluate effectiveness of industrial storm water pollution prevention or control measures, or to demonstrate compliance with permit requirements.**
- 2. The Executive Officer is directed to provide frequent reports to the Regional Board regarding the imposition of any additional monitoring and reporting requirements.**

I, Steven R. Ritchie, 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 Francisco Bay Region, on September 16, 1992.



**Steven R. Ritchie
Executive Officer**