STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD RESOLUTION NO. 2011-0015

AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR TO NEGOTIATE, EXECUTE, AND AMEND, AS NECESSARY, A CONTRACT TO EVALUATE AND REFINE BIOANALYTICAL SCREENING TECHNIQUES FOR CONSTITUENTS OF EMERGING CONCERN IN RECYCLED WATER

WHEREAS:

- 1. The State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) adopted a Recycled Water Policy on February 3, 2009.
- The Recycled Water Policy required the establishment of a scientific advisory panel to provide recommendations for monitoring constituents of emerging concern in recycled water.
- 3. The Constituents of Emerging Concern Advisory Panel met during 2009-2010 and issued their final report on June 25, 2010.
- 4. This final report provides recommendations for additional research, including the development of bioanalytical screening techniques for constituents of emerging concerning in recycled water.
- 5. The Costa-Machado Water Act of 2000 (Wat. Code §79000 et seq.) established the Water Recycling Subaccount, and authorizes the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) to use a portion of it, not to exceed 3 percent of the total amount deposited in the subaccount, to fund water recycling research. Funds are available within the subaccount to fund this research on bioanalytical screening techniques.
- 6. The cost of the contract would be no more than \$800,000.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The State Water Resources Control Board authorizes the Executive Director or his designee to negotiate, execute, and amend, as necessary, a contract to evaluate and refine bioanalytical techniques for screening for constituents of emerging concern in recycled water, for an amount not to exceed \$800,000.

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned Clerk to the Board does hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a resolution duly and regularly adopted at a meeting of the State Water Resources Control Board held on April 5, 2011.

AYE: Chairman Charles R. Hoppin Vice Chair Frances Spivy-Weber Board Member Tam M. Doduc NAY: None

ABSENT: None

ABSTAIN: None

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