The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region, (hereafter Central Valley Water Board) finds that:

1. The County of Fresno (hereafter Discharger) maintains a clean-closed Class III solid waste disposal site (hereafter Mendota Landfill), located about 1.5 miles northeast of the City of Mendota, in Section 29, T13S, R15E, Mount Diablo Base & Meridian, Fresno County.

2. On 18 October 2002, the Central Valley Water Board adopted Waste Discharge Requirements (WDRs) Order 2002-0199, to regulate the Mendota Landfill, which is an unlined waste management unit covering approximately 21 acres of the 22-acre site.

3. On 23 June 2006, the Central Valley Water Board adopted Cease and Desist Order No. 2006-0065 (CDO), due to a failure to close the Mendota Landfill in accordance with the WDRs.

4. The CDO required the Discharger to complete clean closure activities in accordance with the approved clean-closure plan. The Discharger has completed all tasks contained in the CDO.

5. The Discharger and interested agencies and persons were notified of the intent to consider recession of the CDO and provided an opportunity for public hearing and an opportunity to submit their written views and recommendations.

6. Any person adversely affected by this action of the Central Valley Water Board may Petition the State Water Resources Control Board (State Board) to review the action. The petition must be received by the State Board Office of the Chief Counsel, P.O. Box 100, Sacramento, CA, 95812-0100, within 30 days of the date on which the action was taken. Copies of the law and regulations applicable to filing petitions will be provided on request.
IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Cease and Desist Order No. 2006-0065 is rescinded.

I, PAMELA C. CREEDON, Executive Officer, do hereby certify the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of an Order adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region on 27 May 2010.

PAMELA C. CREEDON, Executive Officer