CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD COLORADO RIVER BASIN REGION

ORDER NO. 83-32

WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR YUCCA VALLEY LAUNDROMAT Yucca Valley - San Bernardino County

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Colorado River Basin Region, finds that:

- 1. James Coad (hereinafter also referred to as the discharger) 56151 29 Palms Highway, Yucca Valley, CA 92284, submitted updated information on the discharge of wastes on January 10, 1983.
- 2. The discharge from this laundromat facility has been subject to waste discharge requirements adopted in Board Order No. 73-34.
- 3. The discharger is discharging a maximum of 7,200 gallons-per-day of laundry wastewater from 24 washing machines into a lint trap, two septic tanks and seven seepage pits. Domestic sewage from two restrooms is also discharged into the septic tanks and seepage pits. This facility is located in the NE¹/₄ of the NE¹/₄ of Section 3, T1S, R5E, SBB&M.
- 4. The discharger has reserved areas of sufficient size for possible future 100 percent replacement of the seepage pits.
- 5. There are no domestic wells within 200 feet of the discharge facilities described in Findings No. 3 and 4 (above).
- 6. The Water Quality Control Plan for the West Colorado River Basin Region was adopted on April 10, 1975. The Basin Plan contains water quality objectives for Joshua Tree Hydrologic Unit.
- 7. The beneficial uses of ground water of the Joshua Tree Hydrologic Unit are:
 - a. Municipal supply
 - b. Industrial supply
 - c. Agricultural supply
 - The Board has notified the discharger and interested agencies and persons of its intent to update waste discharge requirements for the discharge.
 - The Board in a public meeting heard and considered all comments pertaining to the discharge.

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10. This laundromat constitutes an ongoing project in accordance with provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (Public Resources Code Section 21000 et. seq.) and the State Guidelines because the government approvals on or after April 5, 1973, do not involve a greater degree of responsibility or control over such activity than the governmental approvals received prior to that date.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, the discharger shall comply with the following:

A. Discharge Specifications

- Neither the treatment nor the discharge of wastewater shall create a pollution or a nuisance as defined in Division 7 of the California Water Code.
- 2. No wastewater other than domestic sewage and laundromat wastewater shall be discharged at this location.
- 3. Wastewater discharged subsurface shall be retained underground with no surfacing.
- 4. Adequate measures shall be taken to assure that flood or surface drainage waters do not erode or otherwise render portions of the discharge facilities inoperable.
- 5. Septic tank and lint trap cleanings shall be discharged only by a duly authorized service.

B. Provisions

- 1. Sufficient land area shall be reserved for possible future 100 percent replacement of the seepage pits, until such time as this facility is connected to a municipal sewerage system.
- 2. Upon request from this Board's Executive Officer, the discharger shall furnish technical and/or monitoring reports on the treatment and discharge of wastes.
- 3. Prior to any modifications in this facility which would result in material change in the quality or quantity of wastewater discharged, or any material change in location of discharge, the discharger shall report in writing to the Regional Board.
- 4. Prior to any change of ownership of this laundromat, the discharger shall:
 - a. Specify as a condition of transfer that the area specified in Provision B.1. (above) remain servient to the facility for the purpose of providing additional subsurface sewage disposal capacity, until such time as the sewage facilities are connected to a municipal sewerage system.

- b. Transmit a copy of this Order to the succeeding owner or operator, and file a copy of the transmittal letter with this Board.
- 5. This Order supersedes Board Order No. 73-34.

I, Arthur Swajian, 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, Colorado River Basin Region, on May 18, 1983.

Executive Officer

CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD COLORADO RIVER BASIN REGION

MONITORING AND REPORTING PROGRAM NO. 83-32
FOR
YUCCA VALLEY LAUNDROMAT
Yucca Valley - San Bernardino County

Location of Discharge: NE 1/4, NE 1/4 of Section 3, T1S, R5E, SBB&M

MONITORING

The discharger shall report to the Regional Board concerning the following:

- 1. Water meter reading to determine discharge flow monthly reporting frequency.
- 2. Note any changes in the disposal system for the quarter.

REPORTING

 Monthly monitoring reports shall be submitted to the Regional Board on a quarterly basis - January 15, April 15, July 15, and October 15 of each year.

Submit monitoring reports to:

California Regional Water Quality Control Board Colorado River Basin Region 73-271 Highway 111, Suite 21 Palm Desert, CA 92260

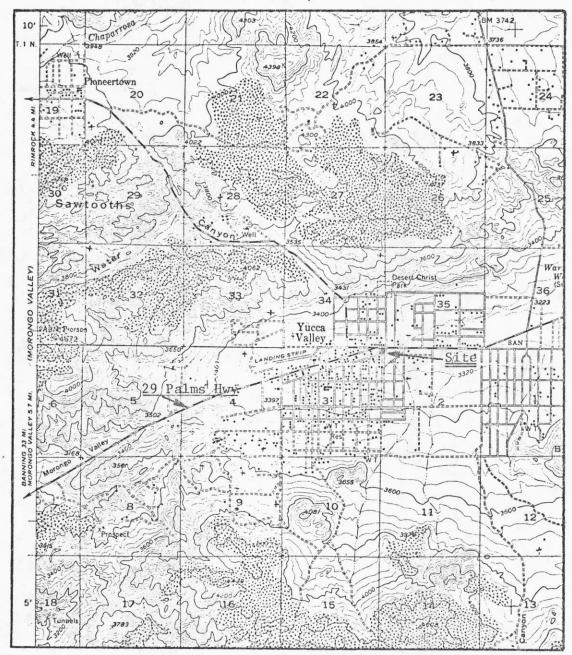
2. Report immediately any surfacing of wastewater or other failures of the system by telephone and follow-up by letter.

ORDERBY BY:

Executive Officer

Date

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SITE MAP

YUCCA VALLEY LAUNDROMAT
Yucca Valley - San Bernardino County
Portion of NE 1/4, NE 1/4, NE 1/4 of Section 3, T1S, R5E, SBB&M
USGS Joshua Tree 15 Min. Topgraphic Map

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Scale: 1"=1 mi.