CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD COLORADO RIVER BASIN REGION

## RESOLUTION NO. 84-68

ADOPTION OF WATER QUALITY CONTROL PLAN FOR THE COLORADO RIVER BASIN REGION OF CALIFORNIA (REGION 7)

## WHEREAS,

- 1. Section 13240 of Division 7 of the California Water Code requires that each Regional Board shall formulate and adopt water quality control plans for all areas within the region; and
- 2. The Federal Clean Water Act requires that each state submit water quality control plans for all basin planning areas within the State; and
- 3. On April 10, 1975, the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Colorado River Basin Region, (Regional Board) adopted Water Quality Control Plans separately for the West Colorado River Basin (7A) and the East Colorado River Basin (7B); and
- 4. Subsequent to said April 10, 1975 adoptions, the Regional Board made various specific revisions and/or amendments separately to both said West (7A) and East (7B) Basins; and
- 5. During 1983 and 1984, the Regional Board took all necessary and lawful steps to update said West (7A) and East (7B) Water Quality Control Plans, and to include therein the combining of said Plans into a single plan encompassing the entire Colorado River Basin Region of California; and
- 6. In the process of said updating and combining, the Regional Board forwarded copies of its proposed Water Quality Control Plan, Summary Report, and Environmental Checklist for the Colorado River Basin Region of California (Region 7) to interested agencies and persons, and conducted public hearings on July 13, 1983 in Palm Springs and on November 16, 1983 in El Centro after due notice to all interested persons in accordance with the applicable provisions of said Federal Clean Water Act and said Division 7 of the California Water Code; and
- 7. The Regional Board has considered the evidence introduced at said public hearings, and also as received subsequent thereto, and accordingly has revised its proposed plan as the Water Quality Control Plan for the Colorado River Basin Region of California (Region 7); and
- 8. Chapters 1 through 7 of the Water Quality Control Plan include all necessary elements of a water quality control plan in accordance with State and Federal requirements, and the remaining portions of the Plan consist of only supportive information; now therefore be it

## RESOLVED,

- 1. That the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Colorado River Basin Region hereby adopts said Chapters 1 through 7 of the Water Quality Control Plan for the Colorado River Basin Region of California (Region 7).
- 2. That this adopted Plan supersedes this Regional Board's Water Quality Control Plans for the West Colorado River Basin (7A) and the East Colorado River Basin (7B) each as adopted on April 10, 1975 together with all subsequent revisions and amendments thereto.
- 3. That the Executive Officer is directed to forward copies of the adopted Water Quality Control Plan for the Colorado River Basin Region of California (Region 7) to the State Water Resources Control Board for consideration of approval.

The undersigned Executive Officer of the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Colorado River Basin Region, does hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a Resolution adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Colorado River Basin Region, on May 16, 1984

Executive Officer