CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD COLORADO RIVER BASIN REGION

ORDER NO. 90-006

WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR BIG BEND RESORT Southwest of Parker Dam - San Bernardino County

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

- 1. Big Bend Resort, Glenn Steinhaus, owner, (hereinafter also referred to as the discharger), P. O. Box 24, Parker Dam, California 92267, supplied the updated information on the discharge of waste on October 31, 1989.
- The discharger is discharging a maximum of 50,000 gallons-per-day of 2. domestic sewage from a mobile home and recreational vehicle park consisting of 80 mobile home spaces, 12 motel units and two restrooms. The wastewater from this resort is discharged into 7 septic tanks, and the overflow is discharged into three (3) basins for disposal by infiltration and evaporation. The discharger is also discharging a maximum of 20,000 gallons-per-day of domestic sewage from 80 recreational vehicle spaces and two (2) restrooms into 9 septic tank/leach line systems. The park is located in the SW% of the NE% of Section 17, T2N, R27E, SBB&M.
- 3. The discharger is reserving sufficient area for possible future 100 percent replacement of the leach lines.
- This discharge has been subject to waste discharge requirements adopted in 4. Board Order No. 84-115.
- 5. The Water Quality Control Plan for the Colorado River Basin Region of California was adopted by the Regional Board on November 14, 1984.
- There are no domestic wells within 200 feet of the discharge facilities 6. described in Finding No. 2, above.
- 7. The discharge is located in the Colorado Hydrologic Unit. The beneficial uses of the surface waters and ground waters of the Colorado Hydrologic Unit are:
 - a. Municipal supply (MUN)
 - b. Industrial supply (IND)
 - c. Agricultural supply (AGR)
- The Board has notified the discharger and interested agencies and persons 8. of its intent to update waste discharge requirements for the discharge.
- The Board in a public meeting heard and considered all comments pertaining 9. to the existing discharge.
- 10. In accordance with Section 15301, Chapter 3, Title 14, of the California Code of Regulations, the issuance of these waste discharge requirements, which govern the operation of an existing facility involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond that previously existing, is exempt from the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (Public Resources Juper and 4 95-005 Auger and 4 1/25/95 Code, Section 21000 et seq.).

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

- 1. Neither the treatment nor the discharge of wastewater shall create pollution or nuisance as defined in Division 7 of the California Water Code.
- 2. No wastewater other than domestic wastewater shall be discharged into the sewage disposal system described in Finding No. 2, above.
- 3. A minimum freeboard of two (2)feet shall be maintained in each basin.
- 4. Treated or untreated sludge or similar solid waste materials shall be disposed only at locations approved by the Regional Board.
- 5. Adequate measures shall be taken to assure that unauthorized persons are effectively excluded from contact with the wastewater.
- 6. 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.
- 7. There shall be no surface flow of wastewater away from the discharge facilities.
- 8. There shall be no discharge, bypass, or flow of treated or untreated wastewater to any drainage channel which drains to surface waters.
- 9. Disposal by ponding shall be conducted in such a manner that there shall be no stranded or exposed sewage solids.
- 10. A surface aerobic environment shall be maintained for each basin.
- 11. Infiltration facilities (basins) shall be maintained and operated so as to maximize infiltration and minimize the increase in salinity of the infiltrating wastewater by evaporation.
- 12. Standby facilities shall be provided in the event of pump and/or commercial power failure.
- 13. Septic tank cleanings shall be discharged only by a duly authorized service.
- 14. Wastewater discharged subsurface shall be retained underground with no surfacing.
- 15. The discharger shall comply with "Monitoring and Reporting Program No. 90-006", and future revisions thereto, as specified by the Executive Officer.
- 16. 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.
- 17. In the event of any change in operation, or in control or ownership of land or waste disposal facilities owned or controlled by the discharger, the discharger shall:
 - a. Notify this Board of such change; and
 - b. Transmit a copy of this Order to the succeeding owner or operator, and file a copy of the transmittal letter with this Board.

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IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Board Order No. 84-115 be superseded by this Order.

I, Philip A. Gruenberg, 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 <u>January 17, 1990</u>.

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MONITORING AND REPORTING PROGRAM NO. 90-006 FOR BIG BEND RESORT Southwest of Parker Dam -San Bernardino County

Location of Discharge: SW4 of NE4 of Section 17, T2N, R27E, SBB&M

MONITORING

The discharger shall submit an annual status report on the following:

- 1. Estimate of maximum daily flow (gpd) of sewage discharged to basin(s).
- 2. Number of motel units, mobile home and RV spaces, and restrooms presently connected to the sewerage system.
- 3. List any proposed changes in the sewage disposal facilities during the upcoming year.

REPORTING

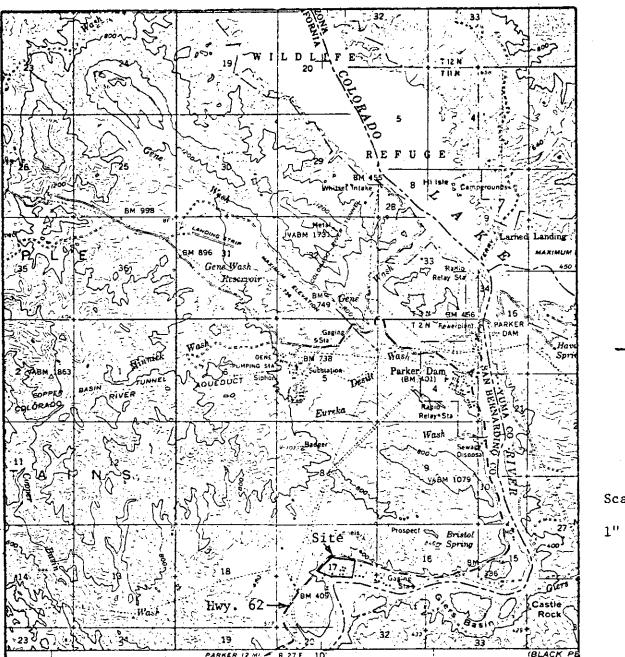
Monitoring reports shall be submitted to the Regional Board annually by January 15th of each year.

Submit monitoring reports to:

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

Immediately report to this office by telephone and follow-up by letter any failures of the sewerage system.

ORDERED BY: Efecutive Officer January 17, 1990 Date



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SITE MAP

BIG BEND RESORT Southwest of Parker Dam - San Bernardino County SW1, NE1 of Section 17, T2N, R27E, SBB&M USGS Parker Dam 7.5 min. Topographic Map

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Scale:

1'' = 1 mi.