## STATE OF CALIFORNIA CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD LOS ANGELES REGION

## ORDER NO. R4-2017-0044-A01

## AMENDING WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR PORT OF LONG BEACH (NRG GENERATING STATION INTAKE STRUCTURE DEMOLITION) (FILE NO. 16-134)

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Los Angeles Region (Regional Board) finds:

- 1. The Regional Board issued Waste Discharge Requirements (WDRs) Order No. R4-2017-0044, on February 2, 2017, for demolition and removal of the existing seawater intake structure used by the NRG Long Beach Generating Station in Long Beach Harbor, Los Angeles County (Order).
- 2. The Order authorized dredging and disposal of a maximum volume of 1,500 cubic yards of sediment. The Order expires on June 30, 2020.
- 3. On August 28, 2019, the Port of Long Beach (Port) submitted a request for renewal of Order No. R4-2017-0044. The request was submitted approximately 10 months before the Order expires.
- 4. The project has been delayed. The Port plans to complete dredging in 3-4 weeks and the demolition of the intake structure in the third quarter of 2020.
- 5. To allow sufficient time for completion of the project, an amendment to Order No. R4-2017-044, extending the expiration date from June 30, 2020 to June 30, 2021 is needed.
- 6. Modification of the issuance of waste discharge requirements requires approval by the Regional Board. This amendment serves to revise Order No. R4-2017-0044 to extend the expiration date.
- 7. The Regional Board provided public notice of the draft amendment to the Order from February 21, 2020 to March 21, 2020.
- 8. The Regional Board, in a public hearing, heard and considered all testimony pertinent to this matter. All Orders referred to above, Regional Board files on this matter, and

records of hearings and testimony therein are included in the administrative record for this matter.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Order No. R4-2017-0044, adopted by this Regional Board on February 2, 2017 is amended as follows:

1. WDRs cover page and Header - Change "ORDER NO. R4-2017-0044" to "ORDER NO. R4-2017-0044-A01".

## 2. WDRs page 8

- Change "This Order shall expire on June 30, 2020" to "This Order shall expire on June 30, 2021".
- Change "Samuel Unger, P.E." to "Renee Purdy".
- After "February 2, 2017," add "and amended on April 16, 2020".

I, Renee Purdy, Executive Officer, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of an amendment to Order No. R4-2017-0044 adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Los Angeles Region, on April 16, 2020.

Renee Purdy
Executive Officer