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Mr. Mark S. Norris Wastewater Superintendent City of Oxnard Public Works Department Wastewater Division 6001 South Perkins Road Oxnard, CA 93033-9047

Dear Mr. Norris:

ADMINISTRATIVE CORRECTIONS TO WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS AND NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT – OXNARD WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT (NPDES NO. CA0054097, CI- 2022), CITY OF OXNARD

On July 17, 2002, we transmitted the adopted National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Order No. R4-2002-0129 for the Oxnard Wastewater Treatment Plant. However, this Order contained typographical errors which have recently been brought to our attention. In accordance with 40 CFR 122.63, this letter administratively corrects the following minor typographical errors:

- 1. Correct the number of "Average, Minimum, and Maximum", Effluent Characteristics for Year 2001 in Table 1, for "Non-Chlorinated-Phenolic Compounds" from "0.2 μg/L" to "10 μg/L" on Page 3 of the Order;
- 2. Correct the "Performance Goal Monthly of Discharge Limitations" for "Non-Chlorinated-Phenolic" from "7.3^[10]" to "10^[25]" on Page 14 of the Order, because the lowest achievable detection limit generally for these compounds is 10 μ g/L, and there was a transcription error;
- 3. Correct the "Type of Sample" for "Acrylonitrile" from "24-hr composite" to "Grab" on Page T-5, and for "PCBs", from "Grab" to "24-hr composite" on Page T-7 of the Monitoring and Reporting Program;
- 4. Correct the "Units" for "Settleable solids" and "Enterococcus" from "mg/L" to "mL/L" and from "CFU/100 mL" to "MPN/100mL", respectively, on Page T-7 of the Monitoring and Reporting Program; and,
- 5. Correct the "Constituents" for "n-Nitrosodiphenylamine" from "n-Nitrosodiphenylamine" to "n-Nitrosodi-n-propylamine" on Page T-8 of the Monitoring and Reporting Program, as this was a transcription error.

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In addition, the City of Oxnard may discontinue bacteriological sampling during the wet season (October – March) due to safety concerns, consistent with our August 31, 1998, letter entitled "REVISION OF MONITORING AND REPORTING PROGRAM FOR OXNARD WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT (CA0054097, M2022)". The City of Oxnard shall continue to provide the bacteriological data from Ventura County as it becomes available for the dry season (April-September).

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Please replace the Pages of the Order and the Monitoring and Reporting Program that were originally mailed to you with the enclosed corrected pages.

If you have any questions, please contact Don Tsai at (213) 576-6665 or Blythe Ponek-Bacharowski at (213) 576-6720.

Sincerely,

Jonathan S. Bishop Executive Officer

Enclosures

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