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Arnold Schwarzenegger
Governor

December 14, 2007

Mr. Patrick Benton
Countrywide Financial Corporation
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Dear Mr. Benton:

TERMINATION OF COVERAGE UNDER GENERAL NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT—COUNTRYWIDE FINANCIAL CORPORATION—COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS WESTLAKE VILLAGE BUILDING, 31303 AGOURA ROAD, WESTLAKE VILLAGE, CALIFORNIA (NPDES NO. CAG994003, CI-5842)


In our letter dated June 15, 2005, we informed you that the subject discharge is regulated under Order No. R4-2004-0058, *Waste Discharge Requirements for Discharges of Nonprocess Wastewater to Surface Waters in Coastal Watersheds of Los Angeles and Ventura Counties*, adopted by this Board on April 1, 2004, which also serves as your NPDES permit.

We have reviewed your November 1, 2007, letter requesting termination of coverage under the General NPDES Permit. The letter indicated that the subject building have completed the diversion of the cooling tower bleed off to the sanitary sewer system in 2004. In addition, you have completed a flow test in October 2007 to confirm that the cooling tower bleed off drains to the sewer line.

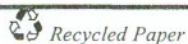
On December 12, 2007, Board staff inspected the project site and verified that there is no discharge of cooling tower bleed off from the site to the storm drain. Since there is no discharge from the subject site, coverage under Board Order No. R4-2004-0058, General NPDES Permit No. CAG994003, for the subject site is hereby terminated except for enforcement purposes.

If you have any questions, please contact Dr. James Tang at (213) 576-6696.

Sincerely,


Tracy J. Egoscue
Executive Officer

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cc: Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9, Clean Water Act Standards and
Permits Office (WTR-5)
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NOAA, National Marine Fisheries Service
Department of Interior, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
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Department of Fish and Game, Region 5
Los Angeles County Department of Public Works, Flood Control and Drainage
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