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VIA CERTIFIED MAIL
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Ms. Katherine Rubin
Manager of Wastewater Quality and Compliance
City of Los Angeles Department of Water and Power
111 North Hope Street, Room 1213
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Dear Ms. Rubin:

TRANSMITTAL OF THE AMENDMENT TO THE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS (WDRs) AND NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT (ORDER NO. R4-2007-0025) FOR CITY OF LOS ANGELES, DEPARTMENT OF WATER AND POWER, CASTAIC POWER PLANT, CASTAIC, CA. (NPDES NO. CA0055824, CI NO. 6112)

Our letter dated August 12, 2010, transmitted the tentative Order for the amendment to the waste discharge requirements in Order No. R4-2007-0025 (adopted on May 3, 2007) to incorporate the associated updates based on the new information contained in the Castaic Dieldrin Source Study submitted on May 11, 2010.

Pursuant to Division 7 of the California Water Code, this Regional Water Board at a public hearing held on October 7, 2010, reviewed the tentative requirements, considered all factors in the case, and adopted Order No. R4-2010-0181 amending the NPDES permit for Castaic Power Plant.

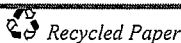
Order No. R4-2010-0181 serves as an NPDES permit, and expires on April 10, 2012. Section 13376 of the California Water Code requires that an application/Report of Waste Discharge for a new permit must be filed at least 180 days before the expiration date.

The "Monitoring and Reporting Program" requires you to implement the monitoring program on the effective date of this Order (November 8, 2010). Your first monitoring report for the period of November 2010 through December 2010 is due by February 1, 2011. Monitoring reports should be sent to the Regional Water Board, ATTN: Information Technology Unit.

When submitting monitoring or technical reports to the Regional Water Board per these requirements, please include a reference to Compliance File CI-6112 and NPDES No. CA0055824, which will assure that the reports, are directed to the appropriate file and staff.

Please do not combine your discharge monitoring reports with other reports, such as progress reports. Submit each type of report as a separate document.

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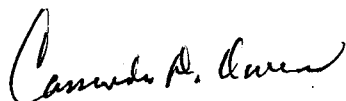
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We are sending the paper copy of the permit to the Discharger only. For those on the mailing list or other interested parties who would like access to a copy of the order, please go to the Regional Water Board's website at:
http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/losangeles/board_decisions/adopted_orders/by_permits_tools.shtml.

If you have any questions, please contact Rosario Aston at (213) 576-6653.

Sincerely,



Cassandra D. Owens, Chief
Industrial Permitting Unit

Enclosures: Order No. R4-2010-0181 - Waste Discharge Requirements
Attachment T - Monitoring and Reporting Program (MRP No. 6112)
Fact Sheet

cc: See mailing list

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