



Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board

October 20, 2016

Mr. Joerg Adomat Chief Executive Officer Permalite, Inc. 201 W. Howard Lane Austin, TX 78753

Dear Mr. Adomat:

TRANSMITTAL OF ORDER NO. R4-2016-0330 - TERMINATION OF WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS (WDRs) AND NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT FOR CHARTA GROUP, INC., DBA PERMALITE, INC., PERMALITE INC., FACILITY, GARDENA, CA. (NPDES NO. CA0059871, CI NO. 6759)

Our letter dated August 16, 2016, transmitted the tentative Order which would terminate the waste discharge requirements and NPDES permit for Charta Group, Inc. DBA Permalite, Inc. Permalite, Inc., Facility located at 230 East Alondra Boulevard, in Gardena, California. Pursuant to Division 7 of the California Water Code, the Regional Water Board, at a public hearing held on October 13, 2016, reviewed the tentative Order, considered all factors in the case, and adopted Order No. R4-2016-0330 (copy attached) relative to the termination of Order No. R4-2015-0024. Should any future activities at the subject site result in discharges of wastewater to surface waters, you are required to file a Report of Waste Discharge with this Regional Water Board prior to discharge.

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

Sincerely,

Cassandra D. Owens, Chief

Industrial Permitting Unit (NPDES)

assendes H. Quen

Enclosures:

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CC:

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State of California CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD, LOS ANGELES REGION

ORDER NO. R4-2016-0330

TERMINATING WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS AND NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM PERMIT FOR DISCHARGE IN THE LOS ANGELES REGION

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

- This Regional Water Board adopted waste discharge requirements for discharge to surface water which also served as the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit for the Discharger listed below.
- 2. The discharge of wastewater and storm water to surface water from this Facility has been eliminated.
- 3. The Discharger had moved out of state. The Facility is vacant and there are currently no operations at the site.
- 4. Therefore, the following waste discharge requirements and NPDES permit are no longer necessary and should be terminated.
- 5. The following Order is hereby terminated, except for enforcement purposes.
- The termination of waste discharge requirements is exempt from the provisions of Chapter 3 (commencing with Section 21100), Division 13, Public Resources Code, in accordance with Water Code Section 13389.

The Regional Water Board has notified the Discharger, interested agencies, and persons of its intent to consider termination of the following waste discharge requirements and has provided them with an opportunity to submit their written views and recommendations.

The Regional Water Board, in a public hearing, heard and considered all comments and testimony pertinent to this matter.

Order No. R4-2016-0330
Terminating Waste Discharge Requirements and NPDES Permit

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the following waste discharge requirements and NPDES permit be terminated:

DISCHARGER NAME (NPDES NO.)	ORDER NO. (ADOPTION DATE)	REASON FOR TERMINATION
Charta Group, Inc., DBA Permalite Inc., Permalite Inc., Facility (CA0059871)	R4-2015-0024 (February 12, 2015)	The discharge of wastewater and storm water to surface water from the Facility has been eliminated. The Discharger has moved out of state, the Facility is vacant and there are no operations at the site.

The Executive Officer of the Regional Water Board, is authorized and directed to certify and submit copies of this Order to the Discharger, and to such individuals and governmental agencies as may have need therefore, or may request the same.

I, Samuel Unger, Executive Officer, do certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of an Order adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Los Angeles Region on October 13, 2016.

Samuel Unger, P.E.

Executive Officer