

## California Regional Water Quality Control Board Los Angeles Region

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January 12, 2012

Mr. Heath Geary Senior Property Manager Bantry Property Services Inc. 201 S. Alvarado St., Suite 316 Los Angeles, CA 90057

Dear Mr. Geary:

TERMINATION OF COVERAGE UNDER GENERAL NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM AND WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENT—ST. VINCENT HOSPITAL, S. MARK TAPER FOUNDATION TRANSPLANT CENTER, 2200 WEST THIRD STREET, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA (NPDES NO. CAG994004, CI-7154)

The subject discharge is regulated under Order No. R4-2008-0032, General National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Permit and Waste Discharges of Groundwater From Construction and Project Dewatering to Surface Waters in Coastal Watersheds of Los Angeles and Ventura Counties, adopted by this Board on July 8, 2008.

We have reviewed your December 27, 2010, letter which requested termination of your coverage under the General NPDES Permit. The letter indicated that you have obtained a permit from the City of Los Angeles to discharge groundwater from the facility to sanitary sewer system and that you have stopped the groundwater discharge to storm drain.

On January 9, 2012, Board staff inspected the project site and verified that there is no discharge of groundwater from the facility to the storm drain. Since there is no discharge of groundwater from the facility, coverage under Board Order No. R4-2008-0032, General NPDES Permit No. CAG994004, CI-7154, for the facility is hereby terminated except for enforcement purposes.

Please note that if future discharges of groundwater to surface waters or land become necessary, you must file a Report of Waste Discharge with this Board and obtain appropriate waste discharge requirements.

If you have any questions, please contact Namiraj Jain at (213) 620-6003.

Sincerely,

Samuel Unger Executive Officer Mr. Heath Geary Senior Property Manager Bantry Property Services Inc.

cc: Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9, Permit Section (WTR-5)
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