

California Regional Water Quality Control Board

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January 20, 2007

Mr. John McMullen Stellar Biotechnologies Inc. PMB 170, 417 E. Hueneme Road Port Hueneme, CA 93041

VIA CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED No. 7002 2030 0002 1672 8257

Dear Mr. McMullen:

WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS – STELLAR BIOTECHNOLOGIES, INC., PORT HUENEME AQUACULTURE PARK, PORT HUENEME (NPDES NO. CA0064131, CI NO. 7854, ORDER NO. R4-2007-0005)

On November 3, 2007, the Regional Board issued the Tentative Waste Discharge Requirements (WDRs) for Stellar Biotechnologies, Inc.

Pursuant to Division 7 of the California Water Code, this Regional Board at a public hearing held on January 11, 2007, reviewed the tentative requirements including the change sheet, considered all factors in the case, and adopted Order No. R4-2007-0005 (copy attached) relative to this waste discharge.

This Order serves as a NPDES permit, and expires on December 10, 2011. 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 (March 2, 2007). Your first monitoring report for the period of January 2007 through March 2007 is due by May 1, 2007. Monitoring reports should be sent to the Regional Board, <u>ATTN: Information Technology Unit.</u>

When submitting monitoring or technical reports to the Regional Board per these requirements, please include a reference to Compliance File CI-7854 and NPDES No. CA0064131, 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.

We are sending the final copy of the permit only to the Discharger. For those on the mailing list who would like access to a copy of the final permit, please go to the Regional Board's website at http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/losangeles.

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If you have any question please contact Cassandra Owens at (213) 576-6750.

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Sincerely,

David Hung, Chief Watershed Regulatory Section

Enclosures: Waste Discharge Requirements Monitoring and Reporting Program Fact Sheet

cc: Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9, Permits Branch (WTR-5) U.S. Army Corps of Engineers NOAA, National Marine Fisheries Service Department of Interior, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Mr. Phil Isorena, State Water Resources Control Board, Division of Water Quality Mr. William Paznokas, Department of Fish and Game, Region 5 Department of Health Services, Sanitary Engineering Section California State Parks and Recreation California Coastal Commission, South Coast Region Water Replenishment District of Southern California Los Angeles County, Department of Public Works, Waste Management Division Los Angeles County, Department of Health Services Dr. Mark Gold, Heal the Bay Mr. Daniel Cooper, Lawyers for Clean Water Mr. David Beckman, Natural Resources Defense Council Mr. Mati Wayia, Ventura CoastKeeper Mr. Lee Solomon, TetraTech

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