

California Regional Water Quality Control Board

Los Angeles Region





Alan C. Lloyd, Ph.D. Agency Secretary

320 W. 4th Street, Suite 200, Los Angeles, California 90013 Phone (213) 576-6600 FAX (213) 576-6640 - Internet Address: http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/losangeles Arnold Schwarzenegger Governor

April 21, 2005

CERTIFIED MAIL No. 7002 0860 0004 5295 6888 RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. Sudhir Avalakki Pacific Terminals, LLC 5900 Cherry Avenue Long Beach, CA 90805

Dear Mr. Avalakki:

CONTINUATION OF COVERAGE UNDER GENERAL NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM AND WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS - PACIFIC TERMINALS, LLC, TANK FARM AND PUMPING STATION, 2865 SEASIDE BOULEVARD, LONG BEACH, CALIFORNIA (NPDES NO. CAG674001, CI-8095)

We have completed our review of your Notice of Intent (NOI) submitted in order to continue enrollment under the General NPDES Permit. Discharge of hydrostatic test water from the abovereferenced facility is currently regulated under NPDES General Permit No. CAG674001 (Order No. 97-047) adopted by this Board on May 12, 1997.

Based on the attached Fact Sheet and other information provided, we have determined that the wastewater discharge meets the conditions to be regulated under Order No. R4-2004-0109, General National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System and Waste Discharge Requirements for Discharges of Low Threat Hydrostatic Test Water to Surface Waters in Coastal Watersheds of Los Angeles and Ventura Counties, adopted by this Board on July 1, 2004. Your existing enrollment under NPDES Permit No. CAG674001, Order No. 97-047, which was issued to you on November 29, 1999, is superseded by this new permit and your coverage under Order No. 97-047 has been terminated.

Enclosed are your Waste Discharge Requirements, which also serve as your NPDES permit. consisting of Order No. R4-2003-0109 and revised Monitoring and Reporting Program No. CI-8095. The discharge limitations in Part E.1 of Order No. R4-2004-0109 are applicable to your discharge. Discharge from the facility drains to the Long Beach Harbor. Therefore, the discharge limitations in Attachment B are not applicable to your discharge.

The Monitoring and Reporting Program requires you to implement the monitoring program on the effective date of coverage under this permit. All monitoring reports should be sent to the Regional Board, ATTN: Information Technology Unit. When submitting monitoring or technical reports to the Regional Board per these requirements, please include a reference to "Compliance File No. CI-8095 and NPDES No. CAG674001", which will assure that the reports are directed to the appropriate file and staff. Also, please do not combine other reports with your monitoring reports. Submit each type of report as a separate document.

California Environmental Protection Agency

In order to avoid future annual fees, please submit written notification when the project has been completed and the permit is no longer needed.

We are sending a copy of Order No. R4-2004-0109 only to the applicant. For those on the mailing list, please refer to the Board Order previously sent to you. A copy of the Order will be furnished to anyone who requests it, or it can be obtained at our web site address: http://www.swrcb.ca.gov/rwqcb4/html/permits/general_permits.html.

If you have any questions, please contact Gensen Kai at (213) 576-6651.

Sincerely,

Jonathan S. Bishop Executive Officer

Enclosures:

Order No. R4-2004-0109 Fact Sheet Monitoring and Reporting Program for No. CI-8095

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

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

U.S. Fish and Wildlife Services, Division of Ecological Services

NOAA, National Marine Fisheries Service

Michael Lauffer, Office of Chief Counsel, State Water Resources Control Board

California Department of Fish and Game, Marine Resources, Region 5

California Department of Health Services, Environmental Branch

Los Angeles County, Department of Public Works, Waste Management Division

Los Angeles County, Department of Health Services

City Manager, City of Long Beach

Lee Solomon, Tetratech