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COVERAGE UNDER GENERAL NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM AND WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS – CHARLES KING COMPANY, PORT OF LOS ANGELES SIPHON CROSSING RELOCATION, BERTH 234 TERMINAL ISLAND, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA (NPDES NO. CAG994002, CI-8404)

Dear Mr. King:

We have completed our review of your application for a permit to discharge waste under the National Pollution Discharge Elimination System (NPDES).

Based on the attached Fact Sheet and other information provided, we have determined that the proposed discharge of groundwater meets the conditions to be regulated under Order No. 97-043, *General National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Permit and Waste Discharge Requirements For Discharges of Treated Groundwater from Construction and Project Dewatering to Surface Waters in Coastal Watersheds of Los Angeles and Ventura Counties*, adopted by this Board on May 12, 1997.

Enclosed are your Waste Discharge Requirements, which also serve as your NPDES permit, consisting of Order No. 97-043 and Monitoring and Reporting Program No. CI-8404. The discharge limitations in Part E of Order No. 97-043 are applicable to your discharge. Attachment A of Order No. 97-043 lists waterbody specific limits; however there are no waterbody specific limits for your discharge to the Los Angeles Harbor (Part 9). Before commencing discharge, a representative sample of the effluent shall be taken and analyzed to determine compliance with the discharge limitations.

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, <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 No. CI-8404 and NPDES No. CAG994002", 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.

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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. 97-043 only to the applicant. For those on the mailing list, please refer to the Board Order sent to you previously. A copy of the Order will be furnished to anyone who requests it.

If you have any questions, please contact LB Nye at (213) 576-6793.

Sincerely,

Dennis A. Dickerson Executive Officer

- Enclosures Fact Sheet Figure 1. Schematic of Well Locations Figure 2. Project Location Map Attachment A, Priority Pollutants Attachment B, SWRCB Minimum Levels Monitoring and Reporting Program No. CI-8404 General NPDES Permit No. CAG994002, Order No. 97-043
- cc: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9, Clean Water Act Standards and Permits Office (WTR-5)

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