

California Regional Water Quality Control Board

Los Angeles Region

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October 16, 2007

Mr. John Hundley Vice President – Environmental Affairs World Oil Marketing Corporation 9302 S. Garfield Avenue South Gate, CA 90280 Certified Mail
Return Receipt Requested
Claim No. 7001 2510 0002 2221 7006

Dear Mr. Hundley:

TERMINATION OF COVERAGE UNDER GENERAL NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT—WORLD OIL MARKETING CORPORATION, FORMER WORLD OIL STATION #20, 7275 MELROSE AVENUE, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA (NPDES NO. CAG834001, CI-8459)

The subject discharge is regulated under Order No. R4-2002-0125, General National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System and Waste Discharge Requirements for Treated Groundwater and Other Wastewaters from Investigation and/or Cleanup of Petroleum Fuel-Contaminated Sites to Surface Waters in Coastal Watersheds of Los Angeles and Ventura Counties, adopted by this Board on July 11, 2002.

We have reviewed your August 23, 2007, letter which requested termination of your coverage under the General NPDES Permit. The letter indicated that you have completed the groundwater cleanup project and that the groundwater discharge from the subject facility to the Ballona Creek has been ceased.

On October 15, 2007, Board staff inspected the project site and verified that there is no discharge of groundwater from the site to the Ballona Creek. Since there is no discharge of groundwater from the facility, coverage under Board Order No. R4-2002-0125, General NPDES Permit No. CAG834001, 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 waste discharge requirements.

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

Sincerely,

Tracy J. Egoscut Executive Officer

cc:

Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9, Clean Water Act Standards and

Permits Office (WTR-5)

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

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