



# California Regional Water Quality Control Board

## Los Angeles Region



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Arnold Schwarzenegger  
Governor

December 7, 2005

Mr. Michael Sant, President  
Abbot Kinney Investments  
1601 Abbot Kinney Boulevard  
Venice, CA 90291

Dear Mr. Sant:

**TERMINATION OF COVERAGE UNDER GENERAL NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT – ABBOT KINNEY INVESTMENTS, AK LIVE/WORK PROJECT, 1121 ABBOT KINNEY BOULEVARD, VENICE, CALIFORNIA (NPDES NO. CAG994004, CI-8720)**

The subject discharge is regulated under Order No. R4-2003-0111, *General National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System and Waste Discharge Requirements for Discharges of Groundwater from Construction and Project Dewatering to Surface Waters in Coastal Watersheds of Los Angeles and Ventura Counties*, which also serves as your NPDES permit.

You have requested this office to terminate the subject permit because you have ceased dewatering activities at the subject site. An inspection conducted by staff from this office on December 1, 2005 confirmed that you have ceased discharging treated groundwater from the site.

Since discharge of treated groundwater to surface waters has ceased, the NPDES permit is not necessary and coverage under Board Order No. R4-2003-0111 for the subject site is hereby terminated except for enforcement purposes.

Please note that if future discharges of groundwater to surface waters become necessary, you must file a Report of Waste Discharge with this office and obtain Waste Discharge Requirements prior to discharging any groundwater from the site to surface waters. If you have any questions, please contact Gensen Kai at (213) 576-6651.

Sincerely,

Jonathan S. Bishop  
Executive Officer

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Mr. Michael Sant  
Abbot Kinney Investment

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cc: U.S. EPA, Region 9, Clean Water Act Standards and Permits (WTR-5)  
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers  
NOAA, National Marine Fisheries Service  
Department of Interior, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service  
Michael Levy, Office of Chief Counsel, SWRCB  
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