



# California Regional Water Quality Control Board

## Los Angeles Region



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Arnold Schwarzenegger  
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July 20, 2005

Mr. Dan Masnada, General Manager  
Castaic Lake Water Agency  
27234 Bouquet Canyon Road  
Santa Clarita, CA 91350

Dear Mr. Masnada:

**TERMINATION OF COVERAGE UNDER GENERAL NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT – CASTAIC LAKE WATER AGENCY, TAPIA CANYON ROAD AND CASTAIC CREEK, LOS ANGELES COUNTY, CALIFORNIA (NPDES NO. CAG994004, CI-8894**

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.

On June 30, 2005, we received a letter from Mr. David E. Kimbrough of your office requesting termination of the subject permit because you have completed your pipeline replacement project. An inspection conducted by staff from this office on July 13, 2005, confirmed that you have ceased discharging treated groundwater at the site.

Since discharge of treated groundwater to surface waters has ceased, 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 (WDRs) 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. Dan Masnada  
Castaic Lake Water Agency

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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 Lauffer, Office of Chief Counsel, SWRCB  
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