



California Regional Water Quality Control Board

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Arnold Schwarzenegger
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April 20, 2009

Mr. Daniel Guillory
Manager, Environmental Program Support
Metropolitan Water District
700 N. Alameda Street
Los Angeles, CA 90054

Dear Mr. Guillory:

TERMINATION OF COVERAGE UNDER GENERAL NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT—METROPOLITAN WATER DISTRICT FOOTHILL FEEDER WATER PIPELINE REPLACEMENT PROJECT, 23238 WEST VALENCIA BLVD., VALENCIA, CALIFORNIA(NPDES NO. CAG994004, CI-9035)

The subject discharge is regulated under Order No. Order No. R4-2003-0111, *General National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Permit and Waste Discharge Requirements for Groundwater Discharges from Construction and Project Dewatering to Surface Waters in Coastal Watersheds of Los Angeles and Ventura Counties*, adopted by this Board on August 7, 2003.

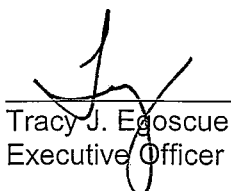
We have reviewed your October 16, 2008, letter which requested termination of your coverage under the General NPDES Permit. The letter indicated that you have completed your pipeline replacement project at the above-referenced site and that the groundwater discharge from the subject site to the Santa Clara River has been ceased.

On April 2, 2009, Board staff inspected the project site and verified that there is no discharge of groundwater from the site to the Santa Clara River. Since there is no discharge of groundwater from the facility, coverage under Board Order No. R4-2003-0111, General NPDES Permit No. CAG994004, for the facility is hereby terminated except for enforcement purposes.

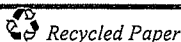
Please note that if future discharges of groundwater to surface waters or land become necessary, you must file a Report of Waste Discharge with this Board and obtain appropriate waste discharge requirements.

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

Sincerely,


Tracy J. Egoscue
Executive Officer

California Environmental Protection Agency



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Metropolitan Water District

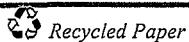
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