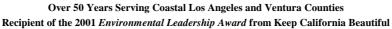
California Regional Water Quality Control Board







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September 18, 2001

Winston H. Hickox

Secretary for Environmental

Protection

Elizabeth Altman Weiss Properties P.O. Box 1003 Palos Verdes, CA 90274

Dear Ms. Altman:

WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR DISCHARGE OF CONTAMINATED SOIL – WEISS PROPERTIES, 22251 WILMINGTON AVENUE, CARSON, CALIFORNIA (FILE NO. 88-57-033(01))

On September 14, 2001, you filed with this Regional Board, a Report of Waste Discharge (ROWD) to dispose of up to 250-300 cubic yards of non-hazardous contaminated waste at a Class III Landfill in the Los Angeles Region. The waste consists of unused fill material dumped on your 22251 Wilmington Avenue, Carson, California property without your permission.

We have reviewed the analytical results provided for representative samples. The proposed discharge of this material meets the conditions specified in Order No. 91-93, "General Waste Discharge Requirements for Discharge of Non-Hazardous Contaminated Soils and Other Wastes in Los Angeles River and Santa Clara River Basins", adopted by this Regional Board on July 22, 1991 (attached). This material can be discharged at a Class III Landfill in the Los Angeles Region with the concurrence of the operator.

Enclosed are WDRs, comprising:

- 1. General Waste Discharge Requirements
- 2. Monitoring and Reporting Program

In the cover letter for the ROWD you indicate that you are seeking Regional Board approval to use the non-hazardous earthen material as Daily Cover at a Class III landfill in the Los Angeles Region. Section 20680 (Daily Cover) of Title 27 of the California Code of Regulations (27 CCR) lies within the regulatory purview of the California Integrated Waste Management Board and the Local Enforcement Agency (LEA). However, as indicated in section 20680 (d), "For the purposes of this section, earthen material shall include contaminated soil as defined in Title 14, California Code of Regulations, §17361(b), and soil with contaminants other than petroleum

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hydrocarbons which has been approved for use as landfill daily cover by the RWQCB, and any other governmental agencies from which approval is required, such as the Department of Toxic Substances Control and Air Pollution Control District or Air Quality Management District." This Regional Board approves the use of this material as Daily Cover at a Class III Landfill in the Los Angeles Region but request that you also gain the concurrence of the appropriate LEA.

Please note that the Monitoring and Reporting Program requires that a report be submitted to this Regional Board within 10 days of the completion of disposal operations. ATTN: Information Technology Unit. This report shall reference the above file number.

Pursuant to Section 13267 of the California Water Code, you must submit the required final report within 10 days of the completion of disposal operations and no later than December 28, 2001. Failure to submit the required report may result in the imposition of civil liability penalties by the Regional Board of up to \$1,000.00 per day for each day the report is not received after the due date. These civil liabilities can be assessed by the Regional Board at any time after December 28, 2001.

Should you have any questions, please call Mr. Enrique Casas at (213) 576-6724.

Sincerely,

Dennis A. Dickerson Executive Officer

Enclosures

cc: CIWMB

Joe Mello, State Water Resources Control Board Wayne Tsuda, City of Los Angeles Local Enforcement Agency Program Virginia Maloles, County of Los Angeles, Department of Health Services, Solid Waste Management Department

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