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December 21, 2009

Mr. Sam Alameddine  
Office of Environmental Engineering  
California Department of Transportation  
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Los Angeles, CA 90012

**TERMINATION OF COVERAGE UNDER GENERAL NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT—CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, VENTURA ROUTE 150 PROJECT, ALONG 150 HIGHWAY, BETWEEN SANTA PAULA CREEK AND SISAR CREEK, SANTA PAULA, CALIFORNIA (CAG994004, CI—9238)**

Dear Mr. Alameddine:

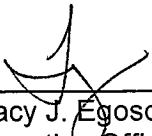
In our letter dated July 30, 2008, we informed you that the subject discharge is regulated under Order No. R4-2008-0032, *General National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Permit and Waste Discharge Requirements for Groundwater Discharges from Construction and Project Dewatering to Surface Waters in Coastal Watersheds of Los Angeles and Ventura Counties*, which also serves as your NPDES permit.

On September 3, 2009, you informed Regional Board staff that the above-referenced project was completed on May 20, 2009. Since the NPDES permit is no longer necessary, you requested termination of your coverage under the above-referenced General NPDES permit. On December 9, 2009, our staff inspected the facility and verified that there is no discharge to the Santa Paula Creek and Sisar Creek.

Since there is no discharge from the site to the creeks, coverage under Board Order No. R4-2008-0032 for the subject facility is hereby terminated except for enforcement purposes. Please note that if future discharges of groundwater to surface water becomes 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 Vilma Correa at (213) 576-6794.

Sincerely,

  
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Tracy J. Egoscue  
Executive Officer

cc: See attached mailing list

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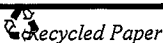
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