

**State of California  
CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD  
LOS ANGELES REGION**

**ORDER NO. R4-2018-XXXX**

**TERMINATING WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS  
AND  
NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM PERMIT  
FOR DISCHARGE IN THE LOS ANGELES REGION**

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Los Angeles Region (Regional Water Board), finds:

1. This Regional Water Board adopted waste discharge requirements for discharge to surface water which also served as the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit for the Discharger listed below.
2. The Discharger has eliminated discharge to surface water.
3. Therefore, the following waste discharge requirements and NPDES permit are no longer necessary and should be terminated.
4. The following Order is hereby terminated, except for enforcement purposes.
5. The termination of waste discharge requirements is exempt from the provisions of Chapter 3 (commencing with Section 21100), Division 13, Public Resources Code, in accordance with Water Code Section 13389.

The Regional Water Board has notified the Discharger, interested agencies, and persons of its intent to consider termination of the following waste discharge requirements and has provided them with an opportunity to submit their written views and recommendations.

The Regional Water Board, in a public hearing, heard and considered all comments and testimony pertinent to this matter.

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Order No. R4-2018-XXXX  
Terminating Waste Discharge Requirements and NPDES Permit

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the following waste discharge requirements and NPDES permit be terminated:

| <b><u>DISCHARGER NAME<br/>(NPDES NO.)</u></b>                              | <b><u>ORDER NO.<br/>(ADOPTION DATE)</u></b> | <b><u>REASON FOR TERMINATION</u></b>  |
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| NRG California South LP<br>(Mandalay Generating<br>Station)<br>(CA0001180) | Order No. R4-2015-0201<br>(October 8, 2015) | The once-through cooling circulating system, including the ocean water cooling pumps and the associated conduits/piping, was disconnected and its ends terminated, eliminating the withdrawal of ocean water from the canal and the discharge of once-through cooling water and in-plant wastewaters to surface water. All steam boiler generation and associated steam boiler processes have been retired and discharges from all waste streams as well as storm water have been eliminated. |

The Executive Officer of the Regional Water Board, is authorized and directed to certify and submit copies of this Order to the Discharger, and to such individuals and governmental agencies as may have need therefore, or may request the same.

I, Deborah J. Smith, Executive Officer, do certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of an Order adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Los Angeles Region on September 13, 2018.

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Deborah J. Smith.  
Executive Officer

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