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California Regional Water Quality Control Board **Central Coast Region**

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Arnold Schwarzenegger Governor

May 14, 2008

Ms. Candace Salway Plains Exploration and Production 5640 South Fairfax Avenue Los Angeles, CA 90056

Dear Ms. Salway:

APPROVED NPDES PERMIT FOR PLAINS EXPLORATION & PRODUCTION ARROYO GRANDE PRODUCED WATER RECLAMATION FACILITY, SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY

At its public meeting on May 9, 2008, the Central Coast Water Board adopted Order No. R3-2008-0004, Waste Discharge Requirements for Plains Exploration and Production, Arroyo Grande Produced Water Reclamation Facility (NPDES Permit No. CA0050628). requirements are enclosed. Please review the requirements carefully and note that monitoring requirements are specified. Copy of the permit and associated staff report is also available electronically on our website http://www.swrcb.ca.gov/rwqcb3/Permits/Index.htm.

Thank you for the information and assistance you provided to aid the process of developing this permit. If you have any questions, please call Sorrel Marks at 805/549-3695 or Burton Chadwick at 805/542-4786.

Sincerely,

Roger W. Briggs **Executive Officer**

Attachment:

Order No. R3-2008-0004

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