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November 8, 2001

Mr. Paul Roden
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Dear Mr. Roden:

RESCISSION OF WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS AND NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT FOR VINTAGE PETROLEUM (NPDES PERMIT NO. CA0000761, ORDER NO. 95-094, CI-5358).

Our letter dated September 24, 2001, transmitted a tentative Order which, in part, rescinds the requirements for your discharge of wastes from the subject facility to surface waters.

Pursuant to Division 7 of the California Water Code, this Regional Board at a public hearing held on October 25, 2001, reviewed the tentative Order, considered all factors in the case, and adopted Order No. 01-153 (copy attached) relative to this waste discharge.

Should any future activity at the subject site results in a discharge of wastewater to surface water, you are required to file a Report of Waste Discharge with this Regional Board prior to the discharge.

If you have any questions, please contact Cassandra Owens at (213) 576-6750.

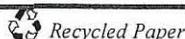
David Hung, Chief
Industrial Permitting Unit

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cc: See attached mailing list

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

ORDER No. 01-153

RESCINDING WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS
AND
NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM PERMITS
FOR DISCHARGES IN THE LOS ANGELES REGION

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

1. This Regional Board adopted waste discharge requirements for discharges to surface waters which also served as the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permits for the dischargers listed below.
2. These dischargers have been enrolled under a general NPDES permit or have eliminated their discharges to surface waters.
3. Therefore, the following waste discharge requirements and NPDES permits are no longer necessary and should be rescinded.
4. The rescission 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 Board has notified the dischargers and interested agencies and persons of its intent to consider rescission of the following waste discharge requirements and has provided them with an opportunity to submit their written views and recommendations.

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

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the following waste discharge requirements be rescinded:

<u>Discharger</u> <u>(NPDES No.)</u>	<u>Order No.</u> <u>(Adoption Date)</u>	<u>Reason for Rescission</u>
Vintage Petroleum Inc. (CA0000761)	95-094 (07-17-95)	No discharge to surface water

October 25, 2001

Order No. 01-153

<u>Discharger</u> <u>(NPDES No.)</u>	<u>Order No.</u> <u>(Adoption Date)</u>	<u>Reason for Rescission</u>
Celotex Corp. (CA0001899)	98-097 (12-14-98)	Facility ceased operation and is being demolished

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

I, Dennis A. Dickerson, 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 October 25, 2001.



Dennis A. Dickerson
Executive Officer

Mailing List

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9
Clean Water Act Standards and Permits (WTR-5)
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
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Department
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Vicki Clark, Environmental Defense Center
Mr. Jim Lovins, Vintage Petroleum

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August 24, 2001

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Dear Ms. Owens:

The purpose of this correspondence is to provide your office with this request to withdraw the renewal application of Vintage Petroleum's NPDES Permit CA 0000761. There have been no discharges from this facility for a number of years; therefore Vintage wishes to surrender this permit.

Should you have any additional questions or require information in addition to that supplied, please contact Mr. Jim Lovins at (805) 641-5580 or Mr. Paul Roden at (805) 641-5566.

Sincerely,

Paul T. Roden
Vintage Petroleum, Inc.
Production Foreman