



California Regional Water Quality Control Board Los Angeles Region



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Mr. Daniel Guillory
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TERMINATION OF COVERAGE UNDER GENERAL NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT—METROPOLITAN WATER DISTRICT OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA, RIO HONDO POWER PLANT, 9840 MILLER WAY, SOUTH GATE, CALIFORNIA (NPDES NO. CAG994003, CI—6742)

Dear Mr. Guillory:

The subject discharge is regulated under Order No. R4-2009-0047, *General NPDES and Waste Discharge Requirements for Discharges of Nonprocess Wastewater to Surface Waters in Coastal Watersheds of Los Angeles and Ventura Counties*,

We have reviewed your August , 2010, letter which requested termination of your coverage under the General NPDES permit. The letter indicated that you have diverted the non-contact cooling water discharge to the sanitary sewer line and that you have stopped the cooling water discharge to the storm drain.


As indicated to you in our September 1, 2010, correspondence Regional Board staff has conducted and completed the compliance history review for your facility. Based on the review, no outstanding mandatory minimum penalty violations exist for your facility. Therefore, your permit has been cleared for termination.

On November 3, 2011, Board staff inspected the project site and verified that there is no discharge of groundwater from the facility to the storm drain. Since there is no discharge of groundwater from the facility, coverage under Board Order No. R4-2009-0047, General NPDES Permit No. CAG994003, for the facility is hereby terminated.

Please note that if future discharges of groundwater to surface water or land become necessary, you must file a Report of Waste Discharge with this Board and obtain appropriate waste discharge requirements.

If you have any questions, please contact Vilma Correa at (213) 576-6794.

Sincerely,


Samuel Unger, P.E.
Executive Officer

cc: See attached mailing list

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