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September 4, 2002

Tim Callaway
Siskon Gold Corporation
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Dear Mr. Callaway:

ORDER RESCINDING WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS – SISKON GOLD CORPORATION (BIG HORN GOLD MINE, FILE NO. 94-074), LOS ANGELES COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

Reference is made to our letter dated June 20, 2002, which transmitted a copy of a tentative Order which rescinds the waste discharge requirements (Order 95-084) adopted by this Regional Board on June 12, 1995.

Pursuant to Section 13263 of the California Water Code, this Regional Board, at a public meeting held on August 29, 2002, reviewed the tentative Order, considered all factors in the case, and adopted Order No. R4-2002-0141 (copy attached).

Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Dana Cole at (213) 620-2259.

Sincerely,

RODNEY H. NELSON, Chief
Landfills and Cleanup Unit

c: Joe Mello, State Water Resources Control Board
Robert Sams, Office of Chief Counsel, SWRCB
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Mr. Jim Mnoian, President
Nu-Way Industries, Inc.

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June 18, 2002

Gary W. Hildebrand, County of Los Angeles Public Works
Steve Carbaugh, U.S. Forest Service

State of California

CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD, LOS ANGELES REGION

ORDER NO. R4-2002-0141

RESCINDING WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS
FOR DISCHARGES TO LAND/GROUNDWATER

1. This Regional Board has adopted waste discharge requirements for the dischargers listed below.
2. These dischargers have either terminated their waste discharge, or have not had any discharge from their facilities since issuance of the waste discharge requirements.
3. Board staff has verified, by inspection, that these facilities have discontinued discharging, or there is no waste discharged.
4. The Board finds that these requirements are no longer applicable and should be rescinded.
5. The Board has transmitted copies of this tentative Order to the dischargers and to interested agencies and persons, and has notified them of its intent to rescind requirements at a public meeting to be held on August 29, 2002.
6. At that public meeting, the Board gave the opportunity for a hearing and considered comments and correspondence pertaining to this matter.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the following requirements be rescinded:

<u>Discharger</u>	<u>Order No.</u>	<u>Date Adopted</u>	<u>Reason for Rescission</u>
Landmark Materials	95-159	December 4, 1995	Discharge terminated
Nu-Way Industries	85-36	June 24, 1985	Discharge terminated
Big Horn Gold Mine	95-084	June 12, 1995	Discharge no longer intended

The Executive Officer of this Regional Board, is authorized, and he is 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 hereby 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 August 29, 2002.

DENNIS A. DICKERSON
Executive Officer