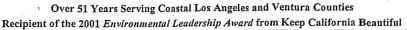


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October 10, 2007

Mr. Magdi Abdou Hermetic Seal Corporation 4232 Temple City Boulevard Rosemead, CA 91770

Dear Mr. Abdou:

TERMINATION OF COVERAGE UNDER GENERAL NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT—HERMETIC SEAL CORPORATION, 4232 TEMPLE CITY BOULEVARD, ROSEMEAD, CALIFORNIA (CAG914001, CI—7699)

The subject discharge is regulated under Order No. R4-2002-0107, General National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Permit and Waste Discharge Requirements for Treated Groundwater from Investigation and/or Cleanup of Volatile Organic Compounds Contaminated-Sites to Surface Waters in Coastal Watersheds of Los Angeles and Ventura Counties, which also serves as your NPDES permit.

On July 30, 2007, you informed the Regional Board staff that the treatment system at the above-referenced facility has been shutdown and dismantled since September 2005. Since the NPDES permit is no longer necessary, you requested termination of your coverage under the above-referenced General NPDES permit. On October 4, 2007, our staff inspected the facility and verified that there is no discharge to the storm drain.

Since there is no discharge from the facility into the storm drain, coverage under Board Order No. R4-2002-0107 for the subject facility is hereby terminated except for enforcement purposes. Please note that if future discharges of groundwater to surface water becomes necessary, you must file a Report of Waste Discharge with this office and obtain a Waste Discharge Requirements (WDRs) prior to discharging any groundwater from the site to surface waters.

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

Sincerely.

Tracy J. Egoscuè Executive Officer

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