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**Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board**

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Mr. Chau Vu  
City of Bell Gardens  
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**TERMINATION OF COVERAGE UNDER GENERAL NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM PERMIT AND WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS—CITY OF BELL GARDENS WELL NO. 1, 6607 FLORENCE PLACE, BELL GARDENS, CALIFORNIA (CAG994005, CI-7708)**

Dear Mr. Vu:

The subject discharges are regulated under Order No. R4-2003-0108, General National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System and Waste Discharge Requirements for Discharges of Groundwater from Potable Water Supply Wells to Surface Waters in Coastal Watersheds of Los Angeles and Ventura Counties, adopted by this Board on August 7, 2003.

On November 18, 2014, the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) adopted the Statewide National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit for Drinking Water Systems Discharges to Waters of the United States (Order WQ 2014-0194-DWQ, General Order No. CAG140001. The Order provides regulatory coverage for short-term or seasonal planned and emergency (unplanned) discharges resulting from a water purveyor's essential operations and maintenance activities undertaken to comply with the federal Safe Drinking Water Act, the California Health and Safety Code, and the State Water Board's Division of Drinking Water permitting requirements for providing reliable delivery of safe drinking water. The Order became effective on February 26, 2015.

On June 15, 2016, City of Bell Gardens submitted a completed application package to State Water Board for coverage under the Statewide Drinking Water Systems Discharge Permit. On September 27, 2016, the State Water Board issued a Notice of Applicability to City of Bell Gardens drinking water systems for coverage under the Statewide Drinking Water Systems Discharge Permit. Therefore, coverages for City of Bell Gardens Well No. 1 (WDID 4B196000276, CI-7708) under Regional Water Board Order R4-2003-0108, General NPDES Permit No. CAG994005 is no longer necessary and is hereby terminated, except for enforcement purposes.

If you have any questions, please contact Namiraj Jain at (213) 620-6003.

Sincerely,



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Executive Officer

cc: Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9, Permit Section (WTR-5)  
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