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RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. George Sylvester
Univar USA Inc.
32131 Steven Way
Conifer, CO 80465

Dear Mr. Sylvester:

CONTINUATION OF COVERAGE UNDER GENERAL NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM AND WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS—UNIVAR USA INC.—FORMER VOPAK USA INC. FACILITY, 4256 NOAKES STREET, COMMERCE, CALIFORNIA (NPDES NO. CAG914001, CI-8315)

We have completed our review of your Notice of Intent (NOI) submitted on June 5, 2007, and the analytical results of representative groundwater samples submitted in order to continue enrollment under the General NPDES Permit. Discharge of groundwater generated from the above-referenced facility is currently regulated under NPDES General Permit No. CAG914001 (Order No. R4-2002-0107) adopted by this Board on May 23, 2002.

Based on the attached Fact Sheet and other information provided, we have determined that the groundwater discharge meets the conditions to be regulated under Order No. R4-2007-0022, *Waste Discharge Requirements for Discharges 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*, adopted by this Board on April 5, 2007. Your existing enrollment under Order No. R4-2002-0107, which was issued to you on February 25, 2003, is superseded by this new permit.

Enclosed are your Waste Discharge Requirements, which also serve as your NPDES permit, consisting of Order No. R4-2007-0022 and Monitoring and Reporting Program No. CI-8315. The groundwater discharge drains into the Los Angeles River. Therefore, the discharge limitations in Attachment B.7.e. of Order No. R4-2007-0022 are applicable to your discharge.

The Monitoring and Reporting Program requires you to implement the monitoring program on the effective date of coverage under this permit. All monitoring reports should be sent to the Regional Board, ATTN: Information Technology Unit. When submitting monitoring or technical reports to the Regional Board per these requirements, please include a reference to "Compliance File No. CI-8315 and NPDES No. CAG914001", which will assure that the reports are directed to the appropriate file and staff. Also, please do not combine other reports with your monitoring reports. Submit each type of report as a separate document. In order to avoid future annual fees, please submit written notification when the project has been completed and the permit is no longer needed.

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Mr. George Sylester
Univar USA Inc.
(Former Vopak USA. Inc. Facility)

August 15, 2007

We are sending a copy of Order No. R4-2007-0022 only to the applicant. For those on the mailing list, please refer to the Board Order sent to you previously. A copy of the Order will be furnished to anyone who requests it, or it can be obtained at our web site address: http://www.swrcb.ca.gov/rwgcb4/html/permits/general_permits.html.

If you have any questions, please contact Dr. James Tang at (213) 576-6696.

Sincerely,



Deborah J. Smith
Interim Executive Officer

Enclosures:

Fact Sheet for CI-8315
Order No. R4-2007-0022
Monitoring and Reporting Program No. CI-8315
Attachment A – Definitions, Acronyms & Abbreviations
Attachment B – Receiving Water Specific Limitations
Attachment D – Federal Standard Provisions
Attachment E – Screening Levels for General NPDES Permit
Appendix A – Minimum Levels

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