

## California Regional Water Quality Control Board

Los Angeles Region





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Governor

July 2, 2008

Mr. Richard Cameron Director of Environmental Planning The Port of Long Beach 925 Harbor Plaza Long Beach, CA 90802

Dear Mr. Cameron:

TERMINATION OF COVERAGE UNDER GENERAL NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT—THE PORT OF LONG BEACH-PIER G/J TERMINAL DEVELOPMENT PROJECT, LONG BEACH, CALIFORNIA (NPDES NO. CAG994004, CI-8318)

In our letter dated November 7, 2003, we informed you that the subject discharge is regulated under Order No. R4-2003-0111, Waste Discharge Requirements for Discharges of Groudwater From Construction and Project Dewatering to Surface Waters in Coastal Watersheds of Los Angeles and Ventura Counties, adopted by this Board on August 7, 2003, which also serves as your NPDES permit.

We have received and reviewed your June 25, 2008 letter, requesting termination of your coverage under the General Permit. The letter indicated that you have completed the dewatering activities at the above-referenced project. Groundwater pumped from the project site was hauled for disposal off site.

On June 26, 2008, Board staff inspected the project site and verified that there is no discharge of wastewater from the site to the harbor. Since there is no discharge from the subject site, coverage under Board Order No. R4-2003-0111, General NPDES Permit No. CAG994004, for the subject project is hereby terminated except for enforcement purposes.

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

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

Sincerely,

Tracy J. Egoscue Executive Officer Mr. Richard Cameron The Port of Long Beach (Pier G/J Terminal Development Project)

cc: Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9, Clean Water Act Standards and Permits Office (WTR-5)

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

NOAA, National Marine Fisheries Service

Department of Interior, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

Bob Rinker, Permit Fee Unit, State Water Resources Control Board

Department of Fish and Game, Region 5

Los Angeles County Department of Public Works, Flood Control and Drainage

Los Angeles County, Department of Environmental Health

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