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Arnold Schwarzenegger
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August 7, 2007

Mr. Dan Masnada
Castaic Lake Water Agency
27234 Bouquet Canyon Road
Santa Clarita, CA 91350

Dear Mr. Masnada:

TERMINATION OF COVERAGE UNDER GENERAL NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT—CASTAIC LAKE WATER AGENCY—THREE PRODUCTION WELLS AQUIFER TESTING PROJECT, ALONG SAN FERNANDO ROAD, SANTA CLARITA, CALIFORNIA (NPDES NO. CAG914001, CI-8440)

In our letter dated July 31, 2002, we informed you that the subject discharge is regulated under Order No. R4-2002-0107, *Waste Discharge Requirements for Treated Groundwater From Investigation and/or Cleanup of Volatile Organic Compounds Contaminated-sites to Surface Waters in the Coastal Watersheds of Los Angeles and Ventura Counties*, adopted by this Board on May 23, 2002, which also serves as your NPDES permit.

We have reviewed your May 2, 2007, letter which requested termination of coverage under the General Permit. It is our understanding that you have completed the well aquifer tests.

On August 2, 2007, Board staff inspected the project site and verified that there is no discharge of groundwater from the project to the bank of the South Fork Santa Clara River. Since there is no discharge of groundwater from the subject project, coverage under Board Order No. R4-2002-0107, General NPDES Permit No. CAG914001 for the subject site is hereby terminated except for enforcement purposes.

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

Sincerely,

Deborah J. Smith
Interim Executive Officer

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Mr. Dan Masnada
Castaic Lake Water Agency
(Three Production Wells Aquifer Testing Project)

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