

## California Regional Water Quality Control Board

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Arnold Schwarzenegger Governor

October 22, 2007

Mr. Steve L. Cole General Manager Newhall County Water District 23780 North Pine Street Santa Clarita, CA 91322-0970 Certified Mail Return Receipt Requested Claim No. 7001 2510 0002 2221 6993

Dear Mr. Cole:

TERMINATION OF COVERAGE UNDER GENERAL NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT— NEWHALL COUNTY WATER DISTRICT, WELL NOS. 7, 10, 12, & 13, SAN FERNANDO ROAD, SANTA CLARITA, CALIFORNIA (NPDES NO. CAG994005, CI-8603)

The subject discharge is 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.

We have received and reviewed your August 16, 2007, letter which requested termination of your coverage under the General NPDES Permit. The letter indicated that you have completed the well development project and that the groundwater discharge from the subject facility to the Santa Clara River has been ceased.

On October 17, 2007, Board staff inspected the project site and verified that there is no discharge of groundwater from the site to the Santa Clara River. Since there is no discharge of groundwater from the facility, coverage under Board Order No. R4-2003-0108, General NPDES Permit No. CAG994005, for the facility is hereby terminated except for enforcement purposes.

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

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

Sincerely,

Tracy J. Egoseue Executive Officer

California Environmental Protection Agency

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