



California Regional Water Quality Control Board

Los Angeles Region



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Mr. Martin Adams, Director
Water Quality Operations
Los Angeles Department of Water and Power
111 N. Hope Street, Room 1213
Los Angeles, CA 90012

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Dear Mr. Adams:

TERMINATION OF COVERAGE UNDER GENERAL NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM AND WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS – LOS ANGELES DEPARTMENT OF WATER AND POWER, ENCINO WATER QUALITY IMPROVEMENT PROJECT, 4500 ENCINO LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA (NPDES NO. CAG674001, CI-8626)

The subject discharge is regulated under Order No. R4-2004-0109, *General National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System and Waste Discharge Requirements for Discharges of Low Threat Hydrostatic Test Water to Surface Waters in Coastal Watersheds of Los Angeles and Ventura Counties*, adopted by this Board on July 1, 2004, which also serves as your NPDES permit.

We have reviewed your March 29, 2006, letter which requested termination of coverage under the General Permit. The letter indicated that this permit is no longer needed.

On July 10, 2006, Board staff inspected the project site and verified that the project is completed and there is no discharge of groundwater from the site to Los Angeles River. Since there is no discharge of groundwater from the subject site, coverage under Board Order No. R4-2004-0109, General NPDES Permit No. CAG674001, for the subject site 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 waste discharge requirements.

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

Sincerely,

ORIGINAL SIGNED BY

Jonathan S. Bishop
Executive Officer

California Environmental Protection Agency



Our mission is to preserve and enhance the quality of California's water resources for the benefit of present and future generations.

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