

California Regional Water Quality Control Board

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June 10, 2009

Mr. Sean Clark, Vice President AvalonBay Communities Inc. 16255 Ventura Blvd., Suite 950 Encino, CA 91436

Dear Mr. Clark:

TERMINATION OF COVERAGE UNDER GENERAL NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT—AVALONBAY COMMUNITIES INC., AVALON ENCINO CONSTRUCTION PROJECT 16328-16352 VENTURA BLVD., ENCINO, CALIFORNIA (NPDES NO. CAG994004, CI-9038)

The subject discharge is regulated under Order No. R4-2003-0111, General National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Permit and Waste Discharge Requirements for Groundwater Discharges 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.

We have reviewed your October 31, 2008, letter which requested termination of your coverage under the General NPDES Permit. The letter indicated that you have completed the construction project at the above-referenced site and that the groundwater discharge from the subject site to the Los Angeles River has been ceased.

On June 1, 2009, Board staff inspected the project site and verified that there is no discharge of groundwater from the site to Los Angeles River. Since there is no discharge of groundwater from the facility, coverage under Board Order No. R4-2003-0111, General NPDES Permit No. CAG994004, 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. Egoscue Executive Officer

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