

Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board

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Mr. Tedd Yargeau
Department of Toxic Substances Control
9211 Oakdale Avenue
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TERMINATION OF GENERAL WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR FORMER HARD CHROME PRODUCTS STATE ORPHAN SITE, 617 EAST 56TH STREET, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA (WDR ORDER NO. R4-2007-0019, SERIES NO. 037; CI-9335, DTSC SITE CODE 300457, GLOBAL ID WDR100000163)

Dear Mr. Yargeau:

On October 16, 2007, Regional Water Quality Control Board (Regional Board) informed you that the application of calcium polysulfide (CPS) as a pilot test for in-situ groundwater remediation and full-scale groundwater treatment of the onsite hexavalent chromium plume is regulated under Regional Board Order No. R4-2007-0019, which specifies your Waste Discharge Requirements (WDR).

In a letter dated February 25, 2013, you requested the termination of the WDR coverage under Regional Board Order No. R4-2007-0019. The subject site has been under the Department of Toxic Substances Control's (DTSC) State Orphan Site Program since 2002. Due to the lack of funding from the State Orphan Site Program allocated for the CPS injection at the subject site, the remediation has been ceased. Therefore, the WDR is no longer needed. The coverage for the subject facility, under Regional Board Order No. R4-2007-0019, is hereby terminated with the exception of enforcement under the term of the permit.

If you have any additional questions, please contact the Project Manager, Mr. David Koo at (213) 620-6155 (dkoo@waterboards.ca.gov) or the Unit Chief, Dr. Eric Wu at (213) 576-6683 (ewu@waterboards.ca.gov).

Sincerely,


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Executive Officer

cc: Mr. Salar Niku, Tetra Tech, Pasadena