12 OCTOBER 2023 BOARD MEETING UNCONTESTED AGENDA ITEM

AGENDA ITEM: 17

SUBJECT:

Rescinding Waste Discharge Requirements Orders.

BOARD ACTION:

Adopt the Orders.

BOARD MEETING LOCATION:

Redding City Hall 777 Cypress Avenue Redding, CA 96001

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CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD CENTRAL VALLEY REGION

ORDER R5-2023-XXXX

RESCINDING WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region (Central Valley Water Board), finds that the Central Valley Water Board adopted the following Orders which are no longer applicable for the reasons shown:

A) BOGHOSIAN RAISIN PACKING COMPANY, INC. AND SELMA-KINGSBURG-FOWLER COUNTY SANITATION DISTRICT, BOGHOSIAN RAISIN PACKING PLANT, FRESNO COUNTY, ORDER NO. 97-127

Waste Discharge Requirements (WDRs) Order 97-127, adopted on 20 June 1997, prescribes requirements for the discharge from the Boghosian Raisin Packing Company Inc. (Boghosian) Raisin Packing Plant (Facility). The Facility processes and packs raisins and dehydrates grapes.

WDRs Order No. 97-127 was issued to both Boghosian and Selma-Kingsburg-Fowler County Sanitation District (SKF) for the discharge of wastewater from the Facility to 6.5 acres of land adjacent to the packing plant. SKF had an agreement with Boghosian to manage the Facility's waste disposal operation. On 10 July 2023, the Central Valley Water Board received a request from Boghosian to rescind WDRs Order No. 97-127 since all wastewater is now sent to SKF's Wastewater Treatment Facility, which is regulated by WDRs Order No. 97-127. Consequently, the land application area no longer receives wastewater since March 1, 2005. Therefore, it is appropriate to rescind Order 97-127.

B) SPRING VALLEY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, BUTTE COUNTY, ORDER 89-168

Waste Discharge Requirements Order 89-168, adopted on 22 September 1989, prescribes requirements for the discharge from Spring Valley Elementary School wastewater treatment and disposal system, Butte County (Facility). The Facility's wastewater flows via gravity to one of four disposal ponds. The Facility is now regulated under Water Quality Order 2014-0153-DWQ (General Order) for discharges to land from small domestic systems with a maximum average daily flow of 100,000 gallons or less. Therefore, it is appropriate to rescind Waste Discharge Requirements Order 89-168.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the above Orders are rescinded on the date of this order unless otherwise stated above.

I, PATRICK PULUPA, Executive Officer, do hereby certify the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of an Order adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region on 12 October 2023.	
	PATRICK PULUPA, Executive Officer