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NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT ORDER SETTING ADMINISTRATIVE LIABILITY IN THE MATTER OF:

TOWN OF HILLSBOROUGH, SAN MATEO COUNTY (Administrative Civil Liability Complaint No. R2-2008-0066)

The San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board's (Water Board) Executive Officer has been presented with a proposed settlement of the claims alleged in Administrative Liability Complaint No. R2-2008-0066, dated September 16, 2008 (the Complaint). The proposed settlement represents a mutually agreed-upon resolution of the Water Board's Prosecution Team claims through the payment of an administrative civil liability in the amount of \$405,000. This administrative civil liability will consist of a payment of \$120,000 to the State Water Resources Control Board's Cleanup and Abatement Account, a payment of \$60,000 to the State Water Resources Control Board's Waste Discharge Permit Fund, and completion of a \$225,000 Supplemental Environment Project. A Tentative Order has been prepared which will effectuate the proposed settlement. The Executive Officer intends to adopt the Tentative Order setting Administrative Civil Liability if no significant comments are received by the deadline stated below. If significant comments are received, a hearing for the Water Board to consider this matter may be publicly noticed.

Written Comment Deadline and Availability of Documents

The deadline for comment is **5 p.m. on February 20, 2009**. Comments should be sent to the attention of Bruce Wolfe and Dyan Whyte. Persons wishing to file written comments on or objections to the Tentative Order must do so no later than this deadline.

The Complaint, Settlement Agreement, Tentative Order, and related documents are on file, and may be inspected or copied at the Water Board's offices during weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5.00 p.m. The Complaint, Settlement Agreement, and Tentative Order are also available on the Water Board's website at www.waterboards.ca.gov/sanfranciscobay.

Questions concerning this matter may be addressed to prosecutorial staff Michael Chee at 510-622-2333 or mchee@waterboards.ca.gov. Please also refer to the website given above for future developments and updates.