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State Water Resources Control Board Division of Water Quality, Ocean Standards Unit P.O. Box 100 Sacramento, CA 95812-0100

Attention:

Dominic Gregorio

Subject:

Connolly Pacific Company - Subarea 4 ASBS

Dear Mr. Gregorio:

This letter is in response to your letter received October 18, 2004 regarding the Prohibition of Waste Discharges into the Santa Catalina Island Subarea 4, Area of Special Biological Significance.

Connolly-Pacific Company is applying for an exception to the California Ocean Plan in accordance with Section III.I.1 of the plan. Discharges from the facility "will not compromise protection of ocean waters for beneficial use, and, the public interest will be served."

We trust this letter meets the requirements to notify the board of our intentions. If you have any questions, or require additional information, please do not hesitate to call me at (562) 961-3494.

Respectfully,

Kathy Hubbard

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cc:

Ralph Larison, Connolly-Pacific Company

Jonathan Bishop, Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board