**ACRONYM LIST**

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| ASBS | Areas of Special Biological Significance |
| BAT | Best Available Technology Economically Achievable |
| BCT | Best Conventional Pollutant Control Technology |
| BIER | BMP Implementation Extension Report |
| BMP | Best Management Practices |
| BOD | Biochemical Oxygen Demand |
| BPELSG | Board for Professional Engineers, Land Surveyors and Geologists |
| BPJ | Best Professional Judgment |
| BPT | Best Professional Technology |
| CFR | Code of Federal Regulations |
| CG1 | Baseline/Level 1 Compliance Group |
| CG2 | Level 2 Compliance Group |
| CGL1 | Baseline/Level 1 Compliance Group Leader |
| CGL2 | Level 2 Compliance Group Leader |
| CTR | California Toxics Rule |
| DWQ | Division of Water Quality |
| ELGs | Effluent Limitations Guidelines and New Source Performance Standards |
| EPA | Environmental Protection Agency |
| ERA | Exceedance Response Action |
| LRP | Legally Responsible Person |
| MIP | Monitoring Implementation Plan |
| MS4 | Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System |
| MSGP | Multi Sector General Permit |
| NAL | Numeric Action Level |
| NAICS | North American Industrial Classification System |
| NEC | No Exposure Certification |
| NEL | Numeric Effluent Limitation |
| NOI | Notice of Intent |
| NONA | Notice of Non Applicability |
| NOT | Notice of Termination |
| NPDES | National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System |
| NSPS | New Source Performance Standards |
| NSWD | Non Storm Water Discharges |
| O&G | Oil and Grease |
| PRDs | Permit Registration Documents |
| QA/QC | Quality Assurance/Quality Control |
| QISP | I,II, III Qualified Industrial SWPPP Practitioner |
| QSE | Qualifying Storm Event |
| SFR | Sampling Frequency Reduction Request |
| SIC | Standard Industrial Classification |
| SLR | Sample Location Reduction Request |
| SMARTS | Storm Water Multi Application Reporting and Tracking System |
| SWPPP | Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan |
| TBEL | Technology Based Effluent Limitation |
| TDS | Total Dissolved Solids |
| TMDL | Total Maximum Daily Load |
| TOC | Total Organic Carbon |
| TSS | Total Suspended Solids |
| US EPA | United States Environmental Protection Agency |
| WDID | Waste Discharge Identification Number |
| WLA | Waste Load Allocation |
| WQBEL | Water Quality Based Effluent Limitation |
| WQS | Water Quality Standard |

**Acronym List for Response to Comment Categories**

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| AR | Annual Report |
| B | Background |
| BAT/BCT | BAT/BCT related |
| BMP | Inspections, covering materials, BMPs, etc.. |
| C | Cost/Economics |
| CA | Corrective Actions |
| DS | Design Storm designation |
| EL | Effluent limitations |
| GM | Group Monitoring |
| G-SIRT | Comments regarding G-SIRT requirements in permit |
| L | Legal |
| M | Monitoring |
| NDC | No Discharge Certification |
| NEC | No Exposure Certification |
| NPDES | NPDES related comments |
| PLS | Permit Language Suggested |
| QAS | Qualifications for approved signatory/training pre-requisites |
| QSD | Qualified SWPPP Developer |
| S | Sampling |
| School Template - See Commenter #8 | Refers to Commenter 8 for response to template |
| SMARTS | SMARTS database and electronic reporting |
| SWPPP | Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan requirements |
| T | Training |
| Template Letter - See Commenter 120 | Refers to Commenter 120 for response to template |
| TMDLs | Total Maximum Daily Loads |
| WRF | Water runoff |
| NAL | Numeric Action Levels |