

Response to Orange County Environmental Health Department Comment Letter dated March 22, 2013.

Comment 1 – A Case Closure Summary was submitted to the Santa Ana Regional Water Control Board (Regional Water Board) for concurrence on March 21, 2013. As such, Orange County request that the SWRCB dismiss the Fund Manager’s recommendation for closure as the closure process is already underway by the local agency.

Response: The March 22, 2013 comment letter from Orange County was sent 58 days into the 60 day comment period required by the Low Threat Closure Policy. The comment period has ended for the Fund Manager recommendation and the case can be closed immediately. Orange County would still have get concurrence from the Regional Water Board and then post the Case Closure Summary for an additional 60 days. Therefore, it is the recommendation of the Fund Manager that this case be closed immediately.