

STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD
RESOLUTION NO. 94-8

AMENDMENTS TO REGULATIONS COVERING THE CERTIFICATION OF WASTEWATER TREATMENT
PLANT OPERATORS AND THE REGISTRATION OF CONTRACT OPERATORS, TO BE CODIFIED IN
CHAPTER 14 OF DIVISION 4 OF TITLE 23 OF THE CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS

WHEREAS:

1. Senate Bill 1266 (Ayala), signed by the Governor on May 8, 1992, required the State Board to adopt regulations prescribing the procedures and requirements for registering contract operators of wastewater treatment plants.
2. Adoption of such regulations would amend existing Chapter 14 regulations covering operators of wastewater treatment plants.
3. Such amendments would require contract operators to register with the State Board and within one year of registration and annually thereafter submit a report to the State Board.
4. The annual report would include a listing of the wastewater treatment plants operated and the operators employed.
5. The proposed amendments establish a fee schedule to cover the costs of registering contract operators.
6. In addition, the proposed amendments define the term "direct supervision" as it pertains to operators-in-training.
7. The proposed amendments were publicly noticed for the required 45-day comment period beginning July 23, 1993.
8. Changes made to the proposed amendments in response to public comments were minor.
9. The State Board's Advisory Committee on Operator Certification and Training participated in the development of the amended regulations and has recommended adoption.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The State Water Resources Control Board adopt the proposed regulations and authorize the Executive Director or his designee to transmit the proposed regulations with the final statement of reasons and rulemaking to the Office of Administrative Law.

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned, Administrative Assistant to the Board, does hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a resolution duly and regularly adopted at a meeting of the State Water Resources Control Board held on January 19, 1994.


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