## STATE OF CALIFORNIA STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD

#### ORDER NO. 71-14

# WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR CROWN ZELLERBACH CORPORATION, ANTIOCH MILL

The State Water Resources Control Board finds:

- 1. Crown Zellerbach Corporation discharges approximately 20 mgd of mixed process and cooling wastewater from their Antioch Mill into the San Joaquin River 1½ miles downstream from the Antioch Bridge.
- 2. The discharge is subject to waste discharge requirements adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region in Resolution No. 61-112.
- 3. The State Board adopted a Water Quality Control Policy for the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta on June 14, 1967.
- 4. The beneficial uses of the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta are:
  - a. Agricultural water supply
  - b. Industrial water supply
  - c. Domestic water supply
  - d. Navigation
  - e. Recreation
  - f. Esthetic enjoyment
  - g. Preservation and enhancement of fish and wildlife
- 5. Concentrations of toxicants, biostimulants, and other deleterious substances exceed levels essential for the protection and enhancement of beneficial use of Bay-Delta waters as specified in No. 4, and must be significantly reduced. Existing waste discharge requirements are not adequate for this purpose.
- 6. There is an urgent need for either one or more of the following:

- a. The interception and transport of treated municipal and industrial wastewaters from the extremities of the estuary to the central bay.
- b. The interception, treatment, and transport of reclaimed waters to the extremities of the estuary for augmentation of fresh water flows or to areas of water reuse.
- c. Closed cycle industrial water use systems with adequate residual control.
- d. Removal of toxic and biostimulatory substances from all discharges to the estuary.
- 7. By July 1, 1971, following public hearing, the State Board intends to adopt an Interim Water Quality Management Plan for the San Francisco Bay Basin. It is intended that this plan will specifically implement the concepts outlined in 6 above.
- 8. The existing degree of treatment will not permit compliance with the discharge specifications contained in this order.
- 9. The State Board has notified the discharger and interested persons of its intent to revise the waste discharge requirements and had given the opportunity for comment on the proposed order.
- 10. The State Board in a public meeting heard and considered comments pertaining to the discharge.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, the Crown Zellerbach Corporation shall comply with the following:

- A. Discharge Specifications, Process Wastewater
  - 1. The undiluted discharge shall not contain constituents in excess of the following limits:

Constituents	Units	Median	Maximum
Settleable Matter Suspended Matter Phenol Grease	ml/l mg/l mg/l mg/l	0.5 50	1.0 75 0.01

- 2. The mean daily flow shall not exceed 25 mgd for the latest 30-day period.
- 3. The discharge shall not have a pH less than 6.5 nor greater than 8.5.
- 4. Survival of test fishes in 96-hour bioassays of the undiluted discharge:

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Any determination:

70% minimum

Median of any three or more determinations:

90% minimum

- 5. The maximum temperature of the discharge shall not exceed the ambient temperature of the San Joaquin River by more than 20°F.
- 6. The discharge shall not cause a surface water temperature rise greater than 4°F above the ambient temperature of the San Joaquin River at any time.
- 7. The discharge shall not cause floating materials in the San Joaquin River.
- 8. The discharge shall not cause discoloration at any point in the San Joaquin River.
- 9. The discharge shall not cause a pollution.
- 10. Neither the treatment nor the discharge shall cause a nuisance.
- B. Discharge Prohibition

If after June 1, 1976, this wastewater discharge contains toxic or biostimulatory substances, it shall be prohibited.

- C. Provisions
  - 1. The Crown Zellerbach Corporation shall immediately take all possible measures to achieve compliance with the discharge specifications in this order and shall submit to the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region by May 20, 1971, a report delineating the immediate measures that have been or will be taken.
  - 2. In addition to observing the provisions of paragraph 1, the Crown Zellerbach Corporation shall comply with the following time schedule and reporting program to assure compliance with discharge specifications 1 through 8 of this order:

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Task	Completion Date	Report of Compliance Due
Develop a Work Plan to Meet Discharge Specifications	6/1/71	6/15/71
Complete Conceptual Plan	9/1/71	9/15/71
Complete Final Plan	1/1/72	1/15/72
Begin Construction	3/1/72	3/15/72
Compliance with Requirement	s 1/1/73	1/15/73

Compliance with discharge specification 9 and 10 shall be forthwith.

- 3. Resolution No. 61-112 of the regional board is rescinded.
- 4. The Crown Zellerbach Corporation shall furnish to the regional board by January 1, 1973, a technical report delineating the actions that will be taken to comply with the discharge prohibition or alternative.
- 5. Reports of compliance with the time schedules shall be submitted to the regional board.
- 6. The discharger shall comply with Monitoring and Reporting Program No. 71-14 as specified by the executive officer of the State Board and hereafter administered by the executive officer of the regional board.
- 7. Compliance with median values will be established by analysis of representative sampling results over the most recent 30-day period.

I, Jerome B. Gilbert, Executive Officer, do hereby certify the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of an order adopted by the State Water Resources Control Board on April 20, 1971.

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## STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD MONITORING AND REPORTING PROGRAM NO. 71-14 FOR CROWN ZELLERBACH CORPORATION, ANTIOCH MILL

## EFFLUENT MONITORING

Process wastewater shall be sampled prior to the addition of cooling water or other diluting waters. Samples for temperature shall be taken from the effluent outfall. Flows of process and cooling wastewaters shall be measured and reported independently. Composite samples may be taken by a proportional sampling device approved by the executive officer or by grab samples composited in proportion to the flow. In compositing grab samples, the sampling interval shall not exceed one hour. The following shall constitute the effluent monitoring program:

#### PROCESS WASTEWATER

Constituents	<u>Units</u>	Type of Sample	Sampling Frequency
Settleable matter Suspended matter pH Grease Phenol Toxicity Temperature Maximum flow Mean flow	ml/l mg/l pH Units mg/l mg/l % Survival °F mgd mgd	Grab Grab Grab 24-hour composite 24-hour composite 24-hour composite Grab 	Daily Daily Daily Weekly Weekly Deily Daily Daily Daily

COMBINED	PROCESS	AND	COOLING	WATER
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Constituents	<u>Units</u>	Type of Sample	Sampling Frequency
Temperature Maximum daily flow Mean daily flow	o <sub>F</sub> mgd mgd	Grab 	Daily Daily Daily

#### RECEIVING WATER MONITORING

All receiving water samples shall be grab samples. Receiving water samples shall be taken from the following stations:

Station		Description	
R-1		Intake water	
Constituents	Units	Station	Frequency
Temperature	$\circ_{\rm F}$	R-1	Daily

## PROVISIONS FOR SAMPLING AND ANALYSIS

Unless otherwise noted, all sampling, sample preservation, and analyses shall be conducted in accordance with the current edition of "Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater" or approved by the executive officer of the regional board.

Bioassays shall be conducted in accordance with the provisions of "Standard Methods." Percent survival in undiluted effluent shall be determined using Gasterosteus (sticklebacks) as the test organism.

All analyses shall be performed in a laboratory certified to perform such analyses by the California State Department of Public Health or a laboratory approved by the executive officer of the regional board.

All samples shall be representative of the waste discharge under the conditions of peak load.

## PROVISIONS FOR REPORTING

Monthly monitoring reports shall be submitted to the regional board by the 15th day of the following month.

In reporting the monitoring data, the discharger shall arrange the data in tabular form so that the date, the constituents, and the concentrations are readily discernible. The data shall be summarized in such a manner to illustrate clearly the compliance with waste discharge requirements.

For every item where the requirements are not met, the discharger shall submit a statement of the actions undertaken or proposed which will bring the discharge into full compliance with requirements at the earliest time and submit a timetable for correction.

By January 30 of each year, the discharger shall submit an annual report to the regional board. The report shall contain both tabular and graphical summaries of the monitoring data obtained during the previous year. In addition, the discharger shall discuss the compliance record and the corrective actions taken or planned which may be needed to bring the discharge into full compliance with the waste discharge requirements.

Ordered by Jerome B. Gilbert Éxecutive Officer APR 20 1971

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