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Mr. Kenneth A. Ehrlich
Trancas Property Owners Association
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Los Angeles, California 90067

VIA CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED
No. 7009 2820 0001 6537 9232

DENIAL WITHOUT PREJUDICE OF WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION FOR PROPOSED BROAD BEACH SHORE AND DUNE RESTORATION PROJECT, PACIFIC OCEAN, CITY OF MALIBU, LOS ANGELES COUNTY (File No. 11-011)

Dear Mr. Ehrlich:

Regional Board staff has reviewed the Trancas Property Owners Association request for a Clean Water Act Section 401 Water Quality Certification for the above referenced project. I hereby deny your application without prejudice pursuant to §3835(d) of Title 23 of the California Code of Regulations (23 CCR) because it is incomplete.

Additional fees and final CEQA documents are required in addition to a final or draft Clean Water Act Section 404 Permit from the Army Corps of Engineers and final or draft California Coastal Commission Development Permit. You may choose to revise and/or submit the missing information to complete your application in the future.

We look forward to continuing to work with you. Should you have questions concerning this Certification action, please contact Valerie Carrillo, Lead, Section 401 Program, at (213) 576-6759.

Sincerely,

Samuel Unger, P.E.
Executive Officer

cc: Tonia McMahon, Moffatt & Nichol
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