



State Water Resources Control Board

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Dear Mmes. Dunham, Spaletta, Fisher, and Mr. Bothwell:

PETITION OF GROWER-SHIPPER ASSOCIATION OF CENTRAL CALIFORNIA, GROWER-SHIPPER ASSOCIATION OF SANTA BARBARA AND SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTIES, WESTERN GROWER ASSOCIATION, WESTERN PLANT HEALTH ASSOCIATION, MONTEREY COUNTY FARM BUREAU, CALIFORNIA FARM BUREAU FEDERATION, & CALIFORNIA STRAWBERRY COMMISSION, AND PETITION OF CALIFORNIA COASTKEEPER ALLIANCE, SANTA BARBARA CHANNELKEEPER, MONTEREY COASTKEEPER, SAN JERARDO COOPERATIVE, INC., CALIFORNIA SPORTFISHING PROTECTION ALLIANCE, PACIFIC COAST FEDERATION OF FISHERMEN'S ASSOCIATIONS, & INSTITUTE FOR FISHERIES RESOURCES FOR REVIEW OF GENERAL WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR DISCHARGES FROM IRRIGATED LANDS, ORDER NO. R3-2021-0040, DATED APRIL 15, 2021, ISSUED BY CENTRAL COAST REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD: APPROVAL OF REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF WRITTEN COMMENT PERIOD AND CHANGE TO PUBLIC MEETING DATE

SWRCB/OCC FILES A-2751(a-b)

On June 16, 2023, the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) (1) released a proposed order in the above-entitled matter, (2) solicited public comments and set the deadline for receiving written comment at 12:00 noon on Wednesday, July 19, 2023, and (3) provided notice that a public meeting to receive oral comments and consider adoption of the proposed order would be held on August 15, 2023.

E. JOAQUIN ESQUIVEL, CHAIR | EILEEN SOBECK, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

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On June 23, 2023, the Central Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board (Central Coast Water Board) submitted a letter requesting an extension of time for filing written comments until July 28, 2023. On June 27, 2023, California Coastkeeper Alliance, et al. (CCKA Petitioners) submitted a letter (1) requesting an extension of time for filing written comments until August 14, 2023, (2) requesting that the State Water Board convert the August 15, 2023 public meeting to a workshop, with consideration of adoption deferred to a later public meeting, and (3) requesting live Spanish language interpretation during all public meetings on this item. On June 28, 2023, the Grower-Shipper Association of Central California, et al. (GSA Petitioners) submitted a letter opposing CCKA Petitioners' extension request, but not opposing the Central Coast Water Board's extension request.

The State Water Board hereby (1) grants all interested persons an extension of time, until **12:00 noon on Friday, August 11, 2023**, to submit written comment on the proposed order, and (2) provides notice that the State Water Board has rescheduled the public meeting to receive oral comments and consider adoption of the proposed order from August 15, 2023 to **Tuesday, September 19, 2023**, **at 9:30 a.m**. The State Water Board will arrange for live Spanish language interpretation during this meeting.

The agenda for the September 19, 2023 Board Meeting, along with instructions for participating in the Board Meeting, will be posted on or about September 8, 2023 at https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/board info/calendar/.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact me at (916) 322-8421 or eric.gillman@waterboards.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

Original signed by

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