

Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

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ORDER AMENDING CLEAN WATER ACT SECTION 401 TECHNICALLY CONDITIONED WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION; CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF TOXIC SUBSTANCES CONTROL, ARGONAUT MINE STORMWATER UPGRADE PROJECT (WDID#5B03CR00099A3), AMADOR COUNTY

This Order responds to the 1 October 2024 request for an amendment of the Argonaut Mine Stormwater Upgrade Project (Project) Section 401 Water Quality Certification (WDID#5B03CR00099). The original Water Quality Certification (Certification) was issued on 19 July 2023 and amended on 17 November 2023 and 21 June 2024. The requested amendment is hereby approved. The original Certification is therefore amended as described below. Please attach this document to the original Certification.

AMENDMENT:

The California Department of Toxic Substances Control is requesting a change of the Applicant Contact and Applicant's Agent.

The Certification is amended as shown below:

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APPLICATION FEE RECEIVED:

No fee was required for this amendment. Total fees of \$4,630.00 for the original Certification were received on 22 June 2023. The fee amount was determined as required by California Code of Regulations, title 23, sections 3383(b)(3) and 2200(a)(3), and was calculated as Category A - Fill & Excavation Discharges (fee code 84) with the dredge and fill fee calculator.

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WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION:

I hereby issue an Order amending the existing Clean Water Act, Section 401 Technically Conditioned Water Quality Certification for the Argonaut Mine Stormwater Upgrade Project (WDID#5B03CR00099A3). All other conditions and provisions of the original Water Quality Certification and any previously approved amendments remain in full force and effect, except as modified based on the conditions of this Order. Failure to comply with the terms and conditions of the original Water Quality Certification, previously approved amendments, or of this Order may result in suspension or revocation of the Water Quality Certification.

Original Signed by Anne Walters for:
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