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## Los Angeles Region



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Ms. Keitha Mills, Assistant General Manager  
Westfield Shoppingtown Century City  
10250 Santa Monica Boulevard, Suite 196  
Los Angeles, CA 90067

Dear Ms. Mills:

**TERMINATION OF COVERAGE UNDER GENERAL NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT – WESTFIELD SHOPPINGTOWN CENTURY CITY, 10250 SANTA MONICA BOULEVARD, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA (NPDES NO. CAG994001, CI-5834)**

In our letter dated July 29, 1997, we informed you that the subject discharge is regulated under *General National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Permit and Waste Discharge Requirements for Groundwater Discharges From Construction and Project Dewatering to Surface Waters in Coastal Watersheds of Los Angeles and Ventura Counties*, which also serves as your NPDES permit.

We have received and reviewed your letter dated January 16, 2004, requesting termination of coverage under General NPDES Permit No. CAG994001 (Order No. 97-045) for the subject facility. It is our understanding that the discharge of groundwater seepage ceased at the facility in late March 2004. On September 23, 2004, Board staff inspected the facility and verified that there is no discharge of groundwater from the subject site. Since there is no discharge, coverage under Board Order No. 97-045, NPDES Permit No. CAG994001 is hereby terminated, except for enforcement purposes.

Please note that if future discharges of groundwater to the surface waters become necessary, you must file a Report of Waste Discharge with this office and obtain Waste Discharge Requirements (WDRs) prior to discharging any groundwater from the site to surface waters. Discharge without WDRs may be subject to a fine of up to \$25,000 per day. If you have any questions, please contact Dr. James Tang at (213) 576-6696.

Sincerely,

Jonathan Bishop  
Executive Officer

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