

**Item 13**  
**Response to Comments**  
**for**  
**Tentative Amendment of Waste Discharge Requirements and Water Recycling Requirements**  
**of**  
**Harbor Water Recycling Project – Dominguez Gap Barrier Project Order No. R4-2003-0134**

(This Table summarizes the comment received from the City of Los Angeles Department of Water and Power, Water Replenish District of Southern California, City of Los Angeles Department of Public Works, and Los Angeles County Department of Public Works (hereafter referenced to as Recyclers) with regard to the above-referenced Tentative Amendment. The comment presented has a corresponding Regional Water Board staff response and/or corresponding action taken.)

No.	Issue	Comment	Disagree	Response to Comment	Action Taken
<b>Letter from the above agencies dated December 28, 2010</b>					
1.	Deletion of "Draft" from Requirement 4	<p>Requirement 4 specifies that at such time that the Advanced Water Treatment Facility (AWTF) would undergo any modifications or expansions that these modifications would be subject to the <u>draft</u> or final groundwater recharge reuse regulations (GWRR). Draft regulations are subject to change and capital improvements or other expenditures for compliance with draft requirements have the potential to be unnecessary costs.</p> <p>Even though the Harbor Water Recycling Project currently incorporates many of the sections of the draft GWRR, it is the Recyclers' understanding that the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) is required, per Senate Bill 918, to finalize the draft GWRR no later than December 31, 2013. Therefore, the Recyclers request that the word "draft" be eliminated from Requirement 4. If any modifications were to take place to the AWTF before 2014, they would be subject to the CDPH and Regional Water Board approval.</p>	X	Regional Board staff consulted with the CDPH who originally proposed to add Requirement 4 with the tentative Amendment regarding the deletion of the word "draft". The CDPH recommended to delete the words of "draft" and "final" from Requirement 4. Therefore, Requirement 4 has been revised as: "If the current treatment facility is modified or expanded in any way, ... Any changes must comply with the CDPH current groundwater recharge regulations, <del>either draft or final.</del> "	Changes have been made.