



California Regional Water Quality Control Board

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July 29, 2009

Ms. Karen Illig, Director
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CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED
CLAIM NO. 7005 0390 0000 4138 9373

Dear Ms. Illig:

COVERAGE UNDER GENERAL NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM PERMIT AND WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS—THE CENTER FOR EARLY EDUCATION—563 N. ALFRED STREET, WEST HOLLYWOOD, CALIFORNIA (NPDES NO. CAG994004, CI-6832)

We have completed our review of your application to discharge waste under the General National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES). You propose to discharge up to 36,000 gallons per day (gpd) of groundwater from the above-referenced site. Discharge of this water is currently regulated under General NPDES Permit No. CAG914001 (Order No. R4-2007-0022) which is no longer appropriate for the subject facility because you have completed the cleanup project.

Based on the attached Fact Sheet and other information provided, we have determined that the your discharge is more appropriately regulated under General NPDES Permit No. CAG994004, Order No. R4-2008-0032, *Waste Discharge Requirements for Discharges of Groundwater From Construction and Project Dewatering to Surface Waters in Coastal Watersheds of Los Angeles and Ventura Counties*, adopted by this Board on June 5, 2008. The existing General NPDES Permit No. CAG914001 which was issued to you on August 15, 2007, is superseded by this new permit, and your coverage under Order No. R4-2007-0022 will be terminated in a separate letter.

Enclosed are your Waste Discharge Requirements, which also serve as your General NPDES Permit, consisting of Order No. R4-2008-0032 and revised Monitoring and Reporting Program No. CI-6832. The discharge limitations in Part V.1. of Order No. R4-2008-0032 for the specific constituents listed on the Table with the enclosed Fact Sheet are applicable to your discharge. The discharge drains to the Ballona Creek, therefore, the discharge limitations in Attachment B are not applicable to your discharge. Prior to starting discharge, a representative sample of the effluent must be obtained and analyzed to determine compliance with the discharge limitations.

The Monitoring and Reporting Program requires you to implement the monitoring program on the effective date of coverage under Order No. R4-2008-0032. All monitoring reports should be sent to the Regional Board, ATTN: Information Technology Unit. When submitting monitoring or technical reports to the Regional Board per these requirements, please include a reference to "Compliance File No. CI-6832 and NPDES No. CAG994004", which will assure that the reports are directed to the appropriate file and staff. Also, please do not combine your discharge monitoring reports with other reports. Submit each type of report as a separate document.

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In order to avoid future annual fees, please submit written request for termination of your enrollment under the general permit in a separate letter, when your project has been completed and the permit is no longer needed. Beware that the annual fee covers the fiscal year billing period beginning July 1 and ending June 30, the following year. You will pay full annual fee if your request for termination is made after the beginning of new fiscal year beginning July 1.

We are sending Board Order No. R4-2008-0032 only to the applicant. For those on the mailing list, please refer to the Board Order sent to you previously or download a copy of the Order from our website at: [http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/losangeles/board decisions/adopted orders/](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/losangeles/board%20decisions/adopted%20orders/).

If you have any questions, please contact Dr. James Tang at (213) 576-6696.

Sincerely,

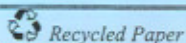

Tracy J. Egoscue
Executive Officer
Chief Deputy EO
for

Enclosures: Fact Sheet
Monitoring and Reporting Program No. CI-6832
Order No. R4-2008-0032, General NPDES Permit No. CAG994004

cc: Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9, Clean Water Act Standards and Permits Office (WTR-5)
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
NOAA, National Marine Fisheries Service
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Department of Fish and Game, Region 5
Los Angeles County, Department of Public Works, Flood Control and Drainage
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