



# California Regional Water Quality Control Board

## Los Angeles Region



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Mr. George Cooke, Vice President  
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CERTIFIED MAIL  
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED  
CLAIM NO. 7002 0860 0001 0650 8852

**COVERAGE UNDER GENERAL NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM PERMIT AND WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS – G.B. COOKE, INC. – CITY OF MALIBU CIVIC CENTER STORMWATER TREATMENT FACILITY PROJECT, CROSS CREEK ROAD & CIVIC CENTER WAY, MALIBU, CALIFORNIA (NPDES NO. CAG994004, CI-9129)**

Dear Mr. Cooke:

We have completed our review of your application for a permit to discharge waste under the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES). You propose to discharge up to 1.5 million gallons per day (mgd) of treated groundwater during construction dewatering at the above-referenced project located in the City of Malibu. The short-term construction dewatering will be completed within three month. Should the construction project last past six months, then the discharge rate will be limited to no greater than 1.0 mgd.

Based on the attached Fact Sheet and other information provided, we have determined that the groundwater discharge meets the conditions to be regulated under Order No. R4-2003-0111, *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 August 7, 2003.

Enclosed are your Waste Discharge Requirements, which also serve as your General NPDES permit, consisting of Order No. R4-2003-0111 and Monitoring and Reporting Program No. CI-9129. The discharge limitations in Part E.1.a. and 1.b. of Order No. R4-2003-0111 for the specific constituents listed on the Table with the enclosed Fact Sheet are applicable to your discharge. The dewatering is taking place near to the Malibu Creek where the discharge flows into. Your discharge has been determined to satisfy the provisions for creekside dewatering, therefore the discharge limitations in Attachment B.5.a. are not applicable to your discharge, except those for boron and nitrogen.

The Monitoring and Reporting Program requires you to implement the monitoring program on the effective date of coverage under this permit. 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-9129 and NPDES No. CAG994004", which will assure that the reports are directed to the

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appropriate file and staff. Also, please do not combine other reports with your monitoring reports. Submit each type of report as a separate document.

In order to avoid future annual fees, please submit written notification when the project has been completed and the permit is no longer needed.

We are sending Board Order No. R4-2003-0111 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/~rwqcb4/html/permits/general\\_permits.html](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/~rwqcb4/html/permits/general_permits.html).

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

Sincerely,

**ORIGINAL SIGN BY**

Jonathan S. Bishop  
Executive Officer

Enclosures

Fact Sheet  
Monitoring and Reporting Program No. CI-9129  
Order No. R4-2003-0111, 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  
Philip Isorena, State Water Resource Control Board, NPDES Unit  
Department of Interior, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service  
Department of Fish and Game, Region 5  
Los Angeles County Department of Public Works, Flood Control and Drainage  
Los Angeles County Department of Public Works, Environmental Program Division  
City of Malibu, Department of Public Works, Stormwater Management Division  
Michael Slaby, Pure Effect, Inc. (Orange Office)  
Lee Solomon, Tetrattech

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