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in reply refer to: CR:9 000000497:VRodriguez

Dear Mr. Edson:

SUBJECT: CONSIDERATION OF ADOPTION OF TENTATIVE ORDER NO. R9-2009-0100, NPDES PERMIT NO. CA0109169, WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY, NAVAL BASE SAN DIEGO, SAN DIEGO COUNTY, DISCHARGE

TO THE SAN DIEGO BAY

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Diego Region (Regional Board) intends to consider adoption of enclosed subject tentative Order including monitoring and reporting program and fact sheet, at a Regional Board meeting on August 12, 2009. The tentative Order would, if adopted, reissue National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) waste discharge requirements (WDR) for the discharge of waste from both Naval Base San Diego and the USN Graving Dock. Changes from the previously released version of the subject NPDES Order are shown in underline/strikeout format.

Please note that the subject tentative Order incorporates NPDES requirements for the USN Graving Dock that were contained in Order No. R9-2003-0265, NPDES Permit No. CA0107867.

The tentative Order will be presented to the Regional Board on Wednesday, August 12, 2009. The meeting will begin promptly at 9:00 AM and will be held at the following location:

San Diego Regional Water Quality Control Board Regional Board Meeting Room 9174 Sky Park Court, Suite 100 San Diego, California

California Environmental Protection Agency



The tentative Order is available for download from the Regional Board's website listed below. Alternatively, contact us to request a paper copy.

www.waterboards.ca.gov/sandiego

You can find the subject tentative Order under "Board Decisions", "Tentative Orders".

Please review and comment on the tentative Order at your earliest convenience. It is recommended that written comments be submitted as soon as possible to enable staff to amend the tentative Order, if necessary, and allow changes to the tentative Order to be fully reviewed by the Regional Board and interested parties.

The public comment period will remain open until the Regional Board takes action on August 12, 2009. However, to ensure that the Regional Board has the opportunity to fully study and consider written material, comments should be received in the Regional Board's office no later than 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, July 29, 2009 for the first mailing to the Regional Board members. The final deadline for submittal of written comments is 5:00 p.m. on August 5, 2009 for the last mailing to Regional Board members.

All interested persons who would like to receive future correspondence via electronic mail instead (e-mail vs. hard copy) should notify Mr. Vicente Rodriguez at vrodriguez@waterboards.ca.gov.

The heading portion of this letter includes a Regional Board code number noted after "In reply refer to:" In order to assist us in the processing of your correspondence please include this code number in the heading or subject line portion of all correspondence and reports to the Regional Board pertaining to this matter.

If you have any questions regarding the above, please contact Mr. Vicente Rodriguez at (858) 627-3940, or via email at vrodriguez@waterboards.ca.gov.

Respectfully,

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Enclosure: Tentative Order R9-2009-0100

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