

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
SAN FRANCISCO BAY REGION

STAFF SUMMARY REPORT (Vincent Christian)
MEETING DATE: May 19, 2004

ITEM: 5.F.

SUBJECT: Universal Paint Corporation, Teltec Corporation, Richard Cotarelo, Jenny Cotarelo, and Adelaide Garroppo, for the property located at 1485-1509 Berger Drive, San Jose, Santa Clara County - Adoption of Final Site Cleanup Requirements

CHRONOLOGY: February 27, 2002 – Site Cleanup Requirements adopted

DISCUSSION: The groundwater at this site has been contaminated with solvents, primarily trichloroethylene (TCE), from a former underground storage tank. The tank has been removed, the extent of the contamination has been identified, and a network of groundwater monitoring wells has been installed. The dischargers have submitted a Remedial Action Plan (RAP) proposing the injection of Hydrogen Releasing Compound (HRC) into the source area near the former underground storage tank, followed by a Monitored Natural Attenuation (MNA) program. MNA allows naturally occurring bacteria in the soil and groundwater to degrade contaminants over time. Regional Board staff agrees that the RAP will likely be effective in cleaning up the site.

The attached Tentative Order (Appendix A) requires the dischargers to implement their proposed RAP and a self-monitoring program. We have received no comments to the Tentative Order. We expect this item to remain uncontested.

**RECOMMEN-
DATION:** Adoption of the Tentative Order

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Appendix: A: Tentative Order