CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
SAN FRANCISCO BAY REGION

TENTATIVE ORDER NO. R2-2010-XXXX
NPDES NO. CA0038893

RESCISSION OF NPDES PERMIT FOR
SEAFIRTH ESTATES COMPANY, INC
SEAFIRTH WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT
MARIN COUNTY

WHEREAS the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Francisco Bay Region (hereinafter the Regional Water Board) finds that:

1. NPDES Permit No. CA0038893, Order No. R2-2006-0082, permitted Seafirth Estates Company, Inc (hereinafter the Discharger) to discharge an average dry weather flow of up to 0.0075 million gallons per day of secondary treated domestic wastewater from approximately 30 single family homes about three miles north of the town of Tiburon in Marin County. Treated wastewater was discharged to Central San Francisco Bay, a water of the United States, through a submerged diffuser at 37° 54' 08" N. latitude, 122° 28' 08" W. longitude.

2. By letter dated October 5, 2009, the Discharger informed the Water Board that the plant had ceased operation, and all Seafirth sewage was being pumped to Sanitary District No. 5's Paradise Cove Treatment Plant. This was possible because the Discharger installed two pump stations in September 2009 to redirect wastewater flows.

3. Because the Discharger's treatment plant is no longer in commission, Order No. R2-2006-0082 is no longer necessary and can be rescinded.

4. The rescission of waste discharge requirements for this discharge is exempt from the provisions of Chapter 3 (commencing with Section 21000 of Division 13) of the Public Resources Code (CEQA) pursuant to section 13389 of the California Water Code

<u>Public Notice</u>

5. The Regional Water Board has notified the Discharger and interested agencies and persons of its intent to rescind the NPDES Permit, and has provided them with an opportunity for a public hearing and an opportunity to submit their written views and recommendations.

6. The Regional Water Board, in a public meeting, heard and considered all comments pertaining to the rescission of the NPDES Permit.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, pursuant to the provisions of Division 7 of the California Water Code, regulations, and plans and policies adopted thereunder, that Order No. R2-2006-0082 is rescinded effective ____ __, 2010.

I, Bruce H. Wolfe, Executive Officer, do hereby certify the foregoing is a full, and true and correct copy of an Order adopted by the California Regional Board Quality Control Board, San Francisco Region, on ____ __, 2010.

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Bruce H. Wolfe, Executive Officer