

CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD  
SAN FRANCISCO BAY REGION

NOTICE OF PENDING ENFORCEMENT ACTION  
STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Francisco Bay Region (Water Board) Prosecution Team issued a Complaint for Administrative Civil Liability (ACL) on July 15, 2010. The Complaint alleges that at its Interstate 680 Sunol/Fremont Roadway Rehabilitation Project the State of California Department of Transportation (the Discharger) is responsible for discharging turbid water and sediment to waters of the State and for failing to timely prepare and submit a stormwater pollution prevention plan amendment, and proposes that the Discharger pay \$664,400.

The Complaint and related documents, including the procedure for Water Board hearings (with deadlines for submitting comments), are available at [http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/sanfranciscobay/public\\_notices/pending\\_enforcement.shtml](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/sanfranciscobay/public_notices/pending_enforcement.shtml). The Prosecution Team may amend and re-notice its Complaint in response to comments from the Discharger and the public.

The Water Board will hold a hearing on October 13, 2010 to consider adoption of the ACL and/or referral of the matter to the Attorney General, unless the Discharger waives its right to a hearing within 90 days. The 90-day hearing requirement may be waived to pay the penalty as proposed, extend deadlines, or pursue settlement and/or a supplemental environmental project.

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