California Regional Water Quality Control Board San Francisco Bay Region 1515 Clay Street, Suite 1400, Oakland, CA 94612 (510) 622-2300

## NOTICE OF APPLICATION AND PUBLIC HEARING FOR RESCISSION OF DISCHARGE PERMIT

GenOn Potrero, LLC, Potrero Power Plant 1201-A Illinois Street, San Francisco, CA, 94107

The above discharger ceased discharging pursuant to the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES). It owns and, until recently, operated a power plant that discharged once-through cooling water to the San Francisco Bay. It ceased discharging in November 2010 and permanently ceased operations in February 2011.

The Regional Water Board intends to consider rescinding the Potrero Power Plant discharge permit during a meeting to commence at the time and location as follows:

Time and Date: 9:00 a.m., **July 13, 2011** 

Location: Auditorium, Elihu Harris State Building

1515 Clay Street, Oakland, California

The deadline for comments is 5:00 p.m. on May 25, 2011. Comments must be sent to the attention of Bill Johnson. Persons wishing to file written comments on or objections to the tentative order must do so no later than this deadline so that such comments may be considered. No written comments will be accepted or responded to in writing if received after the deadline. Interested persons are invited to attend and express their views at the public hearing on this matter. The Regional Water Board will hear oral testimony but will not accept written comments after the deadline noted above.

Pursuant to section 2050(c) of Title 23 of the California Code of Regulations, any party that challenges the Regional Water Board's action on this matter through a petition to the State Water Resources Control Board under Water Code section 13320 will be limited to raising only those substantive issues or objections that were raised before the Regional Water Board at the public hearing or in timely submitted written correspondence delivered to the Regional Water Board.

The tentative order and supporting documents, including comments received, may be inspected and copied at the Regional Water Board office. The tentative order and additional information regarding this matter are also available at www.waterboards.ca.gov/sanfranciscobay. A response to comments will be posted on that website one week prior to the hearing. Contact Bill Johnson at (510) 622-2354 or by e-mail at <a href="WJohnson@waterboards.ca.gov">WJohnson@waterboards.ca.gov</a> with any questions on this matter.