CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD SAN FRANCISCO BAY REGION

NOTICE OF PROPOSED SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT AND STIPULATED ORDER in the matter of SAN FRANCISCO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION ALAMEDA AND SANTA CLARA COUNTIES

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Francisco Bay Region (Water Board) Prosecution Team and San Francisco Public Utilities Commission (Discharger) have entered into a proposed Settlement Agreement and Stipulated Order. The proposed Settlement Agreement and Stipulated Order impose an administrative civil liability against the Discharger in the amount of \$15,000 for an unauthorized discharge to waters of the United States.

This proposed liability is for an alleged violation of the Clean Water Act Section 301 and National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System permit for a discharge of 1,500 gallons of algaecide equipment rinse water to waters of the United States on September 13, 2016.

The proposed Settlement Agreement and Stipulated Order are available at http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/sanfranciscobay/public_notices/pending_enforcement.sht ml. Persons may comment on the proposed Settlement Agreement and Stipulated Order by submitting written comments no later than 5:00 p.m. on August 28, 2017.

For additional information and updates, please contact prosecutorial staff Michael Chee at (510) 622-2333 or michael.chee@waterboards.ca.gov or check the Water Board website link cited above for documents and future developments associated with this matter.

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