CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD SAN FRANCISCO BAY REGION

NOTICE OF PROPOSED SETTLEMENT AGREEMENTS AND STIPULATED ORDERS in the matter of INDUSTRIAL FACILITIES SUBMITTING THEIR ANNUAL REPORTS LATE FOR THE 2016/2017 FISCAL YEAR

Staff at the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Francisco Bay Region (Regional Water Board) and each of the two industrial facilities listed below (Dischargers) have entered into a proposed Settlement Agreement and Stipulated Order. The proposed settlements would impose a minimum penalty of \$1,000 for failing to submit the annual report of stormwater discharge for the 2016/2017 reporting year by July 15, 2017.

- JL Precision, Santa Clara County
- Safety Kleen, Contra Coast County

The proposed liabilities are based on the following. The Dischargers allegedly violated section XVI of the Industrial Stormwater General Permit by failing to submit an annual report of stormwater discharge for the 2016/2017 reporting year by the July 15, 2017, deadline. Staff at the Regional Water Board prosecuting this matter sent two notices of noncompliance as specified in California Water Code section 13399.31: one on September 12 and one on November 9, 2017. The Dischargers failed to submit an annual report by the deadlines cited in those notices.

The proposed Settlement Agreement and Stipulated Orders are "conditional offers" that waive a hearing before the Regional Water Board and include a tentative order to impose the minimum penalty. The proposed Settlement Agreement and Stipulated Orders are available for review at

http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/sanfranciscobay/public_notices/pending_enforcement .shtml. Persons may submit written comments on the proposed Settlement Agreement and Stipulated Orders in the following link:

https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/sanfranciscobay/public_notices/ by no later than 5:00 p.m. on December 7, 2018.

For additional information and updates, please contact prosecutorial staff Jack Gregg at 510-622-2437 or Jack.Gregg@waterboards.ca.gov or check the Regional Water Board website linked above to see associated documents and check for future announcements regarding this matter.

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