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January 25, 2005

Ms. Debbie Irvin
Clerk to the Board
State Water Resources Control Board
1001 I Street, 24th Floor
Sacramento, CA 95814
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Dear Ms. Irvin:

RE: Support for draft General Industrial Storm water Permit

My business employs 47 people in Northern and Southern California. Our company's business is chemical and industrial cleaning, as well as, poly tank rentals.

We support the draft General Industrial Storm water Permit as proposed because it provides a rational, cost-effective approach for businesses like mine to protect water supplies.

We understand, however, that some have asked for amendments requiring numeric limits for storm water discharges. Such an approach violates state and federal guidelines for storm water management, will be ineffective due to the nature of storm water and will cost companies like mine thousands of dollars.

Please keep me informed on future developments with this permit.

Sincerely,

Karna Johnson
Delta Tech Service, Inc.
Southern Ca Area Manager