

STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD  
RESOLUTION NO. 2000 - 064

APPROVAL OF PROPOSED REVISED REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE PETROLEUM  
UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK CLEANUP FUND

WHEREAS:

1. The Legislature established the Petroleum Underground Storage Tank Cleanup Fund (Fund) pursuant to chapter 6.75 (commencing with section 25299.10), division 20, of the California Health and Safety Code.
2. The State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) administers and implements the Fund to provide financial assistance to certain persons for eligible costs related to releases from petroleum underground storage tanks.
3. Health and Safety Code section 25299.77 of chapter 6.75 authorizes the SWRCB to adopt regulations to implement chapter 6.75.
4. On March 31, 2000, the SWRCB had published a notice of proposed rulemaking and began publicly circulating proposed amendments to the existing regulations that govern the Fund.
5. The SWRCB held a public hearing on May 15, 2000, to receive public comments on the proposed amendments to the Fund regulations.
6. The public comment period for the proposed amendments to the Fund regulations closed on May 15, 2000.
7. During the public comment period, the SWRCB received and considered two written comments and received and considered verbal comments from four interested persons.
8. The SWRCB has determined that it is appropriate and desirable to amend the regulations governing the Fund for the reasons identified in the notice of proposed rulemaking and the initial statement of reason, and that no revisions to the amendments are necessary in light of the public comments received.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The State Water Resources Control Board adopts the proposed amendments to the Petroleum Underground Storage Tank Cleanup Fund regulations to implement, interpret, and make specific chapter 6.75 of the Health and Safety Code, which will become effective as provided by the California Administrative Procedure Act upon approval by the Office of Administrative Law, and directs the Executive Director to submit the proposed amendments to the Office of Administrative Law for approval.

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned, Administrative Assistant to the Board, does hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a resolution duly and regularly adopted at a meeting of the State Water Resources Control Board held on August 17, 2000.

/s/  
Maureen Marché  
Administrative Assistant to the Board