

STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD

In the Matter of City of Riverside - )  
Request for Review of Regional Board )  
Action by Orange County Water District )  

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ORDER NO. 70-7

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On June 30, 1970, the Orange County Water District requested the State Board to review the action of the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Santa Ana Region in failing to issue a cease and desist order against the City of Riverside.

The State Water Resources Control Board finds:

1. The discharger is currently within the allowable incremental limits set by the Regional Board.
2. The discharger technically is not in compliance with the waste discharge requirements only because of a provision in the requirements that compliance will be determined by averaging the results of bi-monthly samples for the preceding 12 months.
3. The Regional Board acted appropriately in declining to issue a cease and desist order.
4. A 12-month compliance determination period is inordinately long and limits the enforceability of the requirements.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

1. The Orange County Water District request for review be denied.
2. The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Santa Ana Region review the requirements and formulate a reasonable procedure whereby compliance can be determined.

Adopted as the order of the State Water Resources Control Board at a meeting duly called and held at Sacramento, California.

Dated: September 3, 1970

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