

**STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD  
BOARD MEETING SESSION – DIVISION OF WATER QUALITY  
JUNE 7, 2006**

**ITEM 10**

**SUBJECT**

CONSIDERATION OF A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF AN INTERAGENCY AGREEMENT (IA) WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF TOXIC SUBSTANCES CONTROL (DTSC) FOR THE STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD (STATE WATER BOARD) AND CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARDS (REGIONAL WATER BOARDS) TO PROVIDE REGULATORY OVERSIGHT OF CLEANUP AT UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE (DoD) FACILITIES

**DISCUSSION**

The State and Regional Water Boards and the DTSC oversee cleanup at DoD facilities in California. The DTSC is the sole recipient of funding through a two-year DoD Cooperative Agreement to support cleanup oversight. The DTSC provides DoD funding to the State Water Board and Regional Water Board through an IA.

The Regional Water Boards oversee cleanup at approximately 100 DoD facilities related to the DoD Cooperative Agreement. Regional Water Boards are the lead agencies for oversight of petroleum cleanups at all DoD facilities. During Fiscal Year (FY) 1997-98, in order to reduce regulatory overlap, either DTSC or a Regional Water Board was identified as the lead oversight agency for non-petroleum cleanups. Regional Water Boards are lead agencies for non-petroleum cleanup at 39 facilities.

The DTSC and the State Water Board staff are negotiating an IA for FYs 2006-07 and 2007-08 to continue funding from DoD for Regional Water Board cleanup oversight at military facilities.

**POLICY ISSUE**

Should the State Water Board enter into an IA with DTSC to fund oversight of cleanups at DoD facilities that are under the DoD Cooperative Agreement?

**FISCAL IMPACT**

The Regional Water Boards and State Water Board staff work associated with or resulting from this action can be accomplished within budgeted resources.

**REGIONAL BOARD IMPACT**

Yes, all Regional Water Boards, with the exception of Colorado River Basin Water Board and San Diego Water Board.

**STAFF RECOMMENDATION**

That the State Water Board authorizes the Executive Director, or designee, to execute a two-year IA with DTSC for oversight of the cleanup of military facilities during the FYs 2006-07 and 2007-08 for an amount not to exceed \$6.7 million.

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RESOLUTION NO. 2006 -**

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**WHEREAS:**

1. The State Water Board has been funded previously through Cooperative Agreements by DoD and has actively participated in the DoD Environmental Restoration Program.
2. The California Environmental Protection Agency designated DTSC to be the sole recipient of funding through DoD Cooperative Agreements.
3. The State Water Board and DTSC have negotiated lead support cleanup oversight responsibilities at DoD facilities.
4. Approval of this IA will ensure that there will be coordinated State agency oversight of the DoD facility cleanup activities, including those activities at closing facilities.

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

The State Water Board authorizes the Executive Director, or designee, to execute a two-year IA with DTSC for oversight of the cleanup of military facilities during the Fiscal Years 2006-07 and 2007-08 for an amount not to exceed \$6.7 million.

**CERTIFICATION**

The undersigned, Clerk 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 June 7, 2006.

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Clerk to the Board