

**STATE OF CALIFORNIA
REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
CENTRAL COAST REGION**

STAFF REPORT FOR REGULAR MEETING OF DECEMBER 9, 2010
Prepared on October 26, 2010

ITEM NUMBER: 12

SUBJECT: Revision of Waste Discharge Requirements, Reissuance of National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Permit No. CA0047791, for the CHY Company and Olive Springs Quarry, Inc., Olive Springs Quarry, Santa Cruz County, Order No. R3-2010-0039

KEY INFORMATION:

Location: 1399 Olive Springs Road, Soquel, CA 95073
Type of Discharge: Treated process wastewater and storm water discharged from Pond C
Permitted Flow: Not applicable
Average Flow: The last reported discharge occurred from 2000-2002, where discharges of process wastewater occurred 3 to 4 days per year at approximately 0.03 million gallons per day.
Type of Treatment: Settling ponds
Disposal Method: Dust control and plant washwater
Solid Wastes: Not applicable
Existing Orders: Waste Discharge Requirements Order No. R3-2005-0057
Reclamation: None
This Action: Adopt Order No. R3-2010-0039

SUMMARY

CHY Company and Olive Springs Quarry, Inc. own and operate a gravel quarry and discharge gravel washwater and stormwater into settling ponds. The ponds can overflow into Soquel Creek although they have not done so since 2002.

The draft Order includes waste discharge and monitoring requirements from the existing Order.

CHANGES FROM THE EXISTING ORDER

The draft Order's waste discharge requirements are unchanged from the existing Order.

COMMENTS

No comments were received. More information about the Central Coast Water Board's public participation process can be found in draft Order, Attachment F, pages F-22 and F-23.

ATTACHMENT

1. Draft Order No. R3-2010-0039, including the following attachments:
 - Attachment A – Definitions
 - Attachment B – Topographic Map
 - Attachment C - Flow schematic
 - Attachment D – Standard Provisions
 - Attachment E – Monitoring and Reporting Program (MRP) No. R3-207-00134
 - Attachment F – Fact Sheet