

The Mountain Water Ice Company

February 25, 2010

Industrial Compliance Unit California Regional Water Quality Control Board San Diego Region 9174 Sky Park Court, Suite 100 San Diego, California 92123-4340

Attention: Joann Cofrancesco

Subject: **Permit Termination**Order No. R9-2005-0015, NPDES Permit No. CA 0108391
Mountain Water Ice Company, Oceanside, California 92054

Dear Ms. Cofrancesco:

As you recently discussed with our counsel, Mountain Water Ice Company ("Mountain Water Ice") is writing to request termination of Order No. R9-2005-0015 (NPDES Permit No. CA 0108391), issued on March 9, 2005 by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Diego Region (the "Permit") for Mountain Water Ice's Oceanside facility.

As of February 22, 2010 Mountain Water Ice completed the installation of a reverse osmosis ("RO") water treatment system which is the final step in the conversion of Mountain Water Ice to an indirect discharger into the City of Oceanside's public sewer system. The use of the RO system allows Mountain Water Ice recycle much of the water used to manufacture ice and ultimately to discharge wastewater from the ice making process to the City of Oceanside sewer system thereby eliminating the need to discharge to the San Luis Rey River as authorized under the Permit. Therefore, Mountain Water Ice requests termination of Order No. R9-2005-0015 (NPDES Permit No. CA 0108391).

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Please note that as of December 20, 2009, Mountain Water Ice's Oceanside facility ceased all discharges to the San Luis Rey River as permitted under the Permit. Because Mountain Water Ice shut down operations on December 20, 2009 to prepare for the installation of and conversion to the RO system, it will have no discharges under the Permit to report in a semi-annual Self-Monitoring Report (SMR) for the reporting period beginning January 1, 2010. The Permit termination should acknowledge, and eliminate the need to file a SMR, for the period commencing January 1, 2010 until Permit termination.

I thank you for your assistance in this regard. Please let me know if you require additional information. Please feel free to contact me with any questions or comments.

Very truly yours.

Michael Busch

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CERTIFICATION

I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system, or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations.

Michael Busch

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