

California Regional Water Quality Control Board

Los Angeles Region



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Mr. Daniel S. Samorano Raytheon Company 1151 East Hermans Road TU, Bldg 826 Tucson, AZ85706

Dear Mr. Samorano:

TENTATIVE ORDER - TERMINATION OF WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR FORMER HUGHES MISSILE SYSTEMS COMPANY, 8433 FALLBROOK AVENUE, CANOGA PARK, CALIFORNIA (ORDER NO. 95-012, CI-7483)

On Juanuary 23, 1995, the Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board (Regional Board) adopted Waste Discharge Requirements (WDR), Order No. 95-012 for discharge of treated groundwater at former Hughes Missile Systems Company located at 8433 Fallbrook Avenue, Canoga Park.

On June 30, 2010, Discharger notified this Regional Board that there are no discharges into groundwater at the site, and requested termination of WDR Order No. 95-012. Regional Board staff verified this, by reviewing the file and data, and determined that WDR Order No. 95-012 is no longer needed.

In accordance with administrative procedures, this Regional Board, at a public hearing, will consider the enclosed tentative Order, which, in part, will terminate WDR Order No. 95-012. The hearing will be held on September 2, 2010, at Metropolitan Water District of Southern California, 700 North Alameda Street, Los Angeles, California and will begin at 9:00 a.m.

In order to be fully evaluated by Regional Board staff and included in the Board's agenda packet, written comments must be received at the Regional Board office by 5:00 p.m. on August 13, 2010. Failure to comply with these requirements is grounds for the Board to refuse to admit the proposed written comment or exhibit into evidence. Timely submittal of written comments is encouraged to ensure that all comments are accurately and fully included in the administrative record, that Board staff is able to provide a timely review, and that Regional Board Members have sufficient time to give full consideration to the comments and issues raised.

If you have any questions, please call Ms. Dionisia Rodriguez at (213) 620-6122 or me at (213) 620-6156.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure: Tentative Order for Termination of Waste Discharge Requirements Order No. 95-012

cc: Ms. Sutida Bergquist, California Department of Public Health

Mr. Chris Nagler, Watermaster, California Department of Water Resources

Mr. Bernard Franklin, Los Angeles County, Department of Public Health

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Mr. Rod Collins, Department of Toxic Substances Control

Mr. Jacques Marcillac, Oneida Total Integrated Enterprises

Mr. Kenneth Katich, Trammell Crow Company

Mr. William Preston Bowling, Aerospace Cancer Museum and Education

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State of California CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD, LOS ANGELES REGION

ORDER No. R4-2010-XXXX

TERMINATION OF WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR DISCHARGES TO LAND/GROUNDWATER

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Los Angeles Region, finds:

- 1. This Regional Board adopted Waste Discharge Requirements (WDR), Order No. 95-012 for Raytheon Corporation (Discharger) on January 23, 1995 for discharge of treated groundwater to groundwater basins in Los Angeles Region at former Hughes Missile Systems Company located at 8433 Fallbrook Avenue, Canoga Park, California.
- 2. On June 30, 2010, Discharger notified this Regional Board that the Discharger has ceased its discharge to groundwater basins.
- 3. The Board finds that the WDR Order No. 95-012 is no longer applicable and shall be terminated.
- The WDR Order No. 95-012 is hereby terminated, except for enforcement purposes.
- 5. The termination of WDR is exempt from the provisions of Chapter 3 (commencing with Section 21100), Division 13, Public Resources Code, in accordance with Water Code Section 13389.

The Regional Board has notified the Discharger and interested agencies and persons of its intent to consider termination of Order No. 95-012 and has provided them with an opportunity to submit their written views and recommendations. The Regional Board, in a public hearing, heard and considered all comments and testimony pertinent to the Order.

The Executive Officer of this Regional Board is authorized, and he is hereby directed, to certify and submit copies of this Order to the Discharger, and to such individuals and governmental agencies that request it.

I, Samuel Unger, Interim Executive Officer, do certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of an Order adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Los Angeles Region on September 2, 2010.

Samuel Unger, P.E. Interim Executive Officer L

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