

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD

In the Matter of Petition for)
Review of Regional Board Action)
by the San Francisco-Peninsula-)
Redwood Empire Building In-)
dustry Association, et al)

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2. Review the order and hold hearings thereon and to consider the record before the regional board and to consider all other evidence presented.
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The State Water Resources Control Board finds:

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5. No doubt exists as to the appropriateness of the regional board action in issuing Order No. 71-33.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

The petition of the San Francisco-Peninsula-Redwood Empire Building Industry Association, et al., be denied.

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

Dated: August 5, 1971.

KERRY W. MULLIGAN
Kerry W. Mulligan, Chairman

E. F. DIBBLE
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W. W. Adams, Member