

LATE REVISIONS
9:00 a.m., April 23, 2009
River Lodge Conference Center
Chinook Room
1800 Riverwalk Drive
Fortuna, California

ITEM: 3

SUBJECT: Public Hearing On Order No. R1-2009-0028 To Consider Renewal of the Categorical Waiver For Discharges Related to Timber Harvest Activities On Federal Lands Managed By The United States Department of Agriculture, Forest Service In The North Coast Region (Federal Timber Waiver) until a revised Federal Timber Waiver is adopted by the Regional Water Board.

The draft Permit circulated on March 18, 2009, and noticed for Board hearing did not include a termination date, although it was contemplated the extension would be for a short term until a revised waiver could be considered by the Regional Board. Upon review and in response to a comment from the public, we are recommending a revision that would specify the extension is to December 10, 2009. Additions are denoted by italicized text and deletions are identified by strikeout. The following are changes to the draft Permit circulated to the Board:

On page 1 under finding #5 of the tentative Permit, add the following closing date to Order No. R1-2009-0028:

5. The Regional Board has reviewed the terms of the current waiver and determined the terms are adequate for the purpose of the temporary extension of the expiration date. *The expiration date is extended to no later than December 10, 2009.*