

**STATE OF CALIFORNIA
REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
SAN FRANCISCO BAY REGION**

STAFF SUMMARY REPORT (Keith Roberson)
MEETING DATE: September 13, 2006

ITEM: 6A

SUBJECT: **Mirant Delta, LLC, Pittsburg Power Plant, Pittsburg, Contra Costa County** - Revised Waste Discharge Requirements for Oily Water Collection Pond and Rescission of Waste Discharge Requirements Order No. 94-166

CHRONOLOGY: October 1999 and October 2002 – Waste Discharge Requirements (WDR) amended to reflect changes of facility ownership
October 1994 – Waste Discharge Requirements (WDR) adopted

DISCUSSION: In 2004, Mirant Delta decontaminated and closed four Class I hazardous waste surface impoundments that were formerly operated at the Pittsburg electrical power generating facility. The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) provided lead agency oversight for the closure of the Class I impoundments, and in April 2005 acknowledged clean-closure of the Class I units. Water Board staff reviewed the Closure Certification Report and determined that the applicable closure requirements for the four closed impoundments had been achieved. Currently, only one surface impoundment, a Class II non-hazardous waste impoundment called the Oily Water Collection Pond, is operated at the facility.

The primary objectives of this Tentative Order are to: 1) update the Waste Discharge Requirements and associated Monitoring and Reporting Program to reflect closure of all surface impoundments at the site other than the Oily Water Collection Pond; 2) remove requirements for compliance with the Toxic Pits Closure Act (TPCA) since these regulations no longer apply to the Facility; and 3) bring the facility's WDR into compliance with Title 27 of the California Code of Regulations.

No comments on the Tentative Order were received during the public review period. We expect the Tentative Order to remain uncontested.

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DATION Adopt the Tentative Order.

File No.: 2119.1030 (KER)
Appendices: A. Tentative Order
B. Location Map

APPENDIX A
TENTATIVE ORDER

APPENDIX B
LOCATION MAP