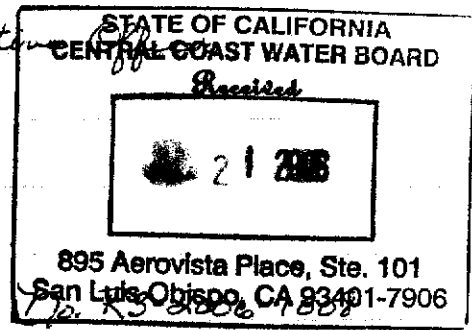


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RE: Cease and Desist Order

Mr. Thomas:

Due to travelling necessitated by an ongoing terminal illness of a family member, we have been unable to allocate much time for review of the briefs submitted by various individuals.

For the record, it should be noted that some of the material provided to us was duplicated, (two copies of several pages.) So we are unsure if all the intended material was actually included.

The briefs submitted by the other recipients of Cease and Desist Orders (CDOs) and LOCSD appear to more or less reflect our own viewpoint in this matter. They should be made a permanent part of the record and incorporated by reference with our own prior submissions.

The opinions of Mr. Reed Sato, Director, Office of Enforcement, appear to be an effort on his part to salvage a poorly planned and badly mishandled

proceeding and to justify actions taken by the Regional Quality Control Board. For me to point out that these actions are not really corrective, but coercive, would be redundant. Many others have made this clear in a much better manner than I.

The basic unfairness of proposing penalties for individuals who have no effective control over others and no access to the infinite resources that the RWQCB has is obvious. The actions taken by the Board are simply unreasonable and could be considered an abuse of authority.

As previously stated, we are in favor of some sort of reasonable and affordable solution to the problems as perceived by the RWQCB.

We are not in favor of the unfair and discriminatory treatment accorded the 45 individuals issued CDOs and retain all rights of appeal to these inequitable actions.

Thank you for your time.

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