



California Regional Water Quality Control Board Central Valley Region

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Mr. Ben Sale
Bio Industries, Inc.
PO Box 732
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**TENTATIVE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS
FOR CLOSURE AND POST-CLOSURE MAINTENANCE
BIO INDUSTRIES, INC.
FORMER BIO-REMEDIATION FACILITY FOR PETROLEUM CONTAMINATED SOILS
TEHAMA COUNTY**

TO ALL CONCERNED PERSONS AND AGENCIES:

Enclosed are tentative Waste Discharge Requirements, and a Monitoring and Reporting Program for the Bio Industries, Inc. former bio-remediation facility for petroleum contaminated soils in Red Bluff. To be given full consideration, any comments or recommendations you may have concerning the proposed Orders must be submitted in writing to the Central Valley Water Quality Control Board (Central Valley Water Board) office by **5:00 pm on 16 April 2012**.

Written materials submitted after **5:00 p.m. on 16 April 2012** will not be accepted and will not be incorporated into the administrative record if doing so would prejudice any party.

Please note that the tentative documents will receive internal legal and management review during the public comment period.

A Public Hearing has been scheduled for the Central Valley Water Board to consider adoption of the tentative Orders at its 7/8 June 2012 Board Meeting. The Notice of Public Hearing (4 copies) and a copy of a Proof of Posting form are also enclosed.

By 16 March 2012 post one (1) copy of the Notice at:

- The entrance to the facility;
- The nearest city hall or county courthouse; and
- The post office nearest to the Facility (if allowed).

Proof of posting, using the enclosed form, shall be filed with this office by **16 March 2012**.

To conserve resources, this letter transmits a paper copy of the tentative documents to the discharger only. Interested persons are advised that the full text of the tentative documents is available on the Central Valley Water Board's web site at:

http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_decisions/tentative_orders/. Copies of these documents can also be obtained by contacting or visiting the Central Valley Water Board's Redding office at 415 Knollcrest Drive, Suite 100, Redding, California, weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

If you have any questions regarding the proposed Orders, the scheduling of the Public Hearing, or the above requirements please contact Eric Rapport of my staff at (530) 224-4998, or at the letterhead address above.

Robert A. Crandall

Assistant Executive Officer

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Enclosures : Notice of Public Hearing
Proof of Posting Form (Discharger Only)
Tentative Orders (Discharger Only)

cc: Mr. Steve Wall, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region IX, San Francisco
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Sacramento
U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Sacramento
U.S. National Marine Fisheries Service, Santa Rosa
Department of Water Resources, Northern District, Red Bluff
Department of Public Health, Environmental Management Branch, Sacramento
Department of Public Health, Office of Drinking Water, Redding
State Office of Historical Preservation, Sacramento
Land Disposal Program Managers, State Water Resources Control Board, Sacramento
Mr. Patrick Pulupa, Office of Chief Counsel, State Water Resources Control Board
Mr. Robert Busby, Program Manager, Central Valley Water Board, Rancho Cordova
Department of Fish and Game, Region 1, Redding
Tehama County Department of Environmental Health, Red Bluff
Mr. Bill Jennings, California Sportfishing Protection Alliance, Stockton
Mr. Bryan Gartner, Lawrence and Associates, Shasta Lake City

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