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In reply refer to:  
CRU:9 000000137:VRodriguez

Dear Mr. Halvax:

**SUBJECT: CONSIDERATION OF ADOPTION OF TENTATIVE ORDER NO. R9-2009-0080, NPDES PERMIT NO. CA0109151, BAE SYSTEMS SAN DIEGO SHIP REPAIR INC. (FORMERLY SOUTHWEST MARINE)**

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Diego Region (Regional Board) intends to consider adoption of subject tentative order including monitoring and reporting program and fact sheet, at a Regional Board meeting on June 10, 2009. The tentative Order would, if adopted, reissue National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) waste discharge requirements (WDR) for the discharge of waste from the BAE Systems San Diego Ship Repair adjacent to San Diego Bay. Changes from the previously released version are shown in underline/strikeout format.

The tentative Order will be presented to the Regional Board on Wednesday, **June 10, 2009**. The meeting will begin promptly at 9:00 AM and will be held at the following location:

San Diego Regional Water Quality Control Board  
Regional Board Meeting Room  
9174 Sky Park Court, Suite 100  
San Diego, California

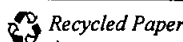
The tentative order is available for download from the Regional Board's website listed below. Alternatively, contact us to request a paper copy.

[www.waterboards.ca.gov/sandiego](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/sandiego)

You can find the subject order under "Board Decisions", "Tentative Orders".

Please review and comment on the tentative Order at your earliest convenience. It is recommended that written comments be submitted as soon as possible to enable staff

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to amend the tentative Order, if necessary, and allow changes to the tentative Order to be fully reviewed by the Regional Board and interested parties. To ensure that the Regional Board has the opportunity to fully study and consider written material, comments should be received in the Regional Board's office no later than 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, May 27, 2008. The final deadline for submittal of written comments, however, is 5:00 p.m. on June 3, 2009. Per Regional Board direction, written material submitted to the Regional Board office after the submittal deadline date and time will not be provided to the Regional Board. Also, it is not likely that written material will be accepted by the Regional Board on the day of the meeting.

The heading portion of this letter includes a Regional Board code number noted after "In reply refer to:" In order to assist us in the processing of your correspondence please include this code number in the heading or subject line portion of all correspondence and reports to the Regional Board pertaining to this matter.

If you have any questions regarding the above, please contact Mr. Vicente Rodriguez at (858) 627-3940, or via email at [vrodiguez@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:vrodiguez@waterboards.ca.gov).

Respectfully,



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