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November 5, 2010

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Article Number: 7010 1060 0000 4952 7020

Mr. Gary Farrar
San Diego County Truss
7462 Mission Gorge Rd.
San Diego, CA 92124

In reply refer to:
Application ID: 409139: carias

Dear Mr. Farrar:

**Subject: Requirement to Enroll Under Industrial Storm Water General Permit,
San Diego County Truss**

Pursuant to California Water Code (CWC) Section 13399.30, you are hereby notified that San Diego County Truss is required to enroll under Order No. 97-03-DWQ, National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) General Permit No. CAS000001, *Waste Discharge Requirements (WDRs) For Discharges of Storm Water Associated with Industrial Activities Excluding Construction Activities*. Order No. 97-03-DWQ (Industrial Storm Water General Permit) was issued by the State Water Resources Control Board on April 17, 1997 and is enforced locally by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Diego Region (San Diego Water Board). Our records indicate that coverage under the Industrial Storm Water General Permit for your facility located at 7462 Mission Gorge Road in San Diego is mandatory, and that you were notified of your requirement to enroll by the City of San Diego on August 13, 2010.

The Industrial Storm Water General Permit is an NPDES permit that regulates discharges associated with 10 broad categories of industrial activities. This permit requires the implementation of management measures that will achieve the performance standard of best available technology economically achievable (BAT) and best conventional pollutant control technology (BCT). The Industrial Storm Water General Permit also requires the development of a Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) and a water quality monitoring plan. Through the SWPPP, sources of pollutants are to be identified and the means to manage the sources to reduce storm water pollution are described. The permit requires that an annual report be submitted each July 1.

For more information regarding the Industrial Storm Water General Permit, please see our website:

http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/stormwater/industrial.shtml

California Environmental Protection Agency

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Enclosed with this letter please find a copy of the Industrial Storm Water General Permit and associated forms. To apply for coverage under the permit, you must submit a Notice of Intent (NOI), which is included in the packet. Within thirty days, please submit a completed NOI, a site map of the facility, and the application fee of \$1008 made payable to "State Water Resources Control Board." All materials must be sent to the following address:

State Water Resources Control Board
Division of Water Quality
Attn: Storm Water Section
P.O. Box 1977
Sacramento, CA 95812-1977

Failure to seek coverage could result in a mandatory minimum penalty of not less than \$5000 per year of noncompliance pursuant to CWC sections 13399.30 and 13399.33.

In the subject line of any response, please include the requested "In reply refer to:" information located in the heading of this letter. For questions pertaining to the subject matter, please contact Christina Arias at (858) 627-3931 or carias@waterboards.ca.gov.

Respectfully,



DAVID T. BARKER, P.E.
Supervising Water Resource Control Engineer
Surface Waters Basins Branch

DTB:esb:cma

Enclosures:

1. Order No. 97-03-DWQ (Industrial Storm Water General Permit)
2. City of San Diego Inspection Report dated August 13, 2010

Cc via email: (w/o encl.)

Joan Brackin, City of San Diego

SMARTS Entries:

Tech Staff Info & Use

Application ID	NPDES No
401138	01300001



Re: Industrial and Commercial Storm Water Compliance Inspection of San Diego County Truss

Inspector Name: Kimmy Corbilla

Date: 8/13/2010

Time: 11:05:00 AM

Business Name: San Diego County Truss

Address: 7462 Mission Gorge Rd
SAN DIEGO, CA 92124

Telephone: (619) 286-8787

Responsible Person: Gary Farrar

Principal Activity: Wooden Truss MFG

SIC Code(s): 2439

NAICS Code(s): 321214

Receiving Water Body: San Diego River

Watershed: San Diego River, which drains to the Ocean Beach area

Subjectivity to the General Industrial Permit: Mandatory **WDID#:** No WDID, see notes

Inspection Result: Full Inspection

Business Corrective Actions

- Keep site free of litter, debris, and sediment using dry methods (Inspector comment: sediment, sawdust)
- Keep outdoor areas free of spills and leaks (Inspector comment: oil stains)
- Protect trash area from contact with storm water (Inspector comment: lids open)
- Keep trash area free of litter and debris, liquids, powders, and sediment (Inspector comment: sawdust)
- Adequately cover materials stored outside (Inspector comment: car parts, tires)
- Prevent run-on from contacting materials stored outdoors (Inspector comment: car parts, tires)
- Equip liquid storage containers with secondary containment (Inspector comment: gas containers)
- Properly store and dispose of hazardous materials (Inspector comment: gas containers)
- Conduct outdoor activities within contained areas (under canopy, bermed) (Inspector comment: wood cutting)
- Perform vehicle/equipment washing in a contained area where runoff does not enter the storm water conveyance system (Inspector comment: water puddle)
- Provide storm water training for appropriate employees (Inspector comment: keep written log)
- Develop a written plan for identifying appropriate best management practices (BMPs) and describing proper implementation, including a written spill prevention and response plan. This should also include an inventory of hazardous materials if any are stored on site. (Inspector comment: BMPs, Spill Plan)
 - You can find the City's minimum BMPs at <http://www.sandiego.gov/stormwater/pdf/jurmpapp10.pdf> -Printing this document and signifying which BMPs are applicable to your site will successfully meet the "identify and describe appropriate BMPs" requirement.

Specific Action(s) Required by the Business to Comply with the Requirements of the General Industrial Permit

This facility was observed to be in violation of the State of California Industrial Storm Water General Permit. Implement the following corrective action(s) to comply:

- File a Notice of Intent (NOI) with the State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) to obtain coverage under the Industrial Permit.
- Develop and implement a Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP).
- Develop and implement a storm water monitoring program.

Follow Up Inspection Priority: Priority 2, which is a medium priority for follow up

11/9/2010

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1. Article Addressed to:

Mr. Gary Farrar
 San Diego County Trusts
 7462 Mission Forge Rd.
 San Diego CA 92124

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 City, State, ZIP+4 **San Diego CA 92124**

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