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**NOTICE
OF
SECOND PRE-HEARING CONFERENCE
FOR
Tentative Cleanup and Abatement Order No. R9-2005-0126**

**December 6, 2005, Tuesday
At 9:30 AM
Water Quality Control Board
Regional Board Meeting Room
9174 Sky Park Court
San Diego, California**

BACKGROUND

On October 18, 2005, John Minan, Presiding Officer of the Pre-Hearing Conference and Chairman of the Regional Board, issued Order of Proceedings resulting from the Pre-Hearing Conference held on Sept. 26, 2005 for Tentative Cleanup and Abatement Order No. R9-2005-0126. In response to the Order of Proceedings, the Regional Board received written comments from the following designated parties:

1. BAE Systems San Diego Ship Repair Inc;
2. BP West Coast Products LLC;
3. Chevron USA, Inc;
4. City of San Diego;
5. Environmental Health Coalition;
6. National Steel and Shipbuilding Company; and
7. Regional Board Cleanup Team.

The Presiding Officer of the Pre-Hearing Conference has determined that it would be appropriate to hold a Second Pre-Hearing Conference to discuss the submitted written comments on the Order of Proceedings.

SECOND PRE-HEARING CONFERENCE

The Second Pre-Hearing conference will be convened on December 6, 2005 at 9:30 AM at the San Diego Regional Board Office Board Meeting Room in San Diego. John Minan, the Presiding Officer, will conduct the Second Pre-Hearing conference on behalf of the Regional Board. Representatives of all designated parties (those listed in the Order of Proceedings) are

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requested to attend and be prepared to speak to the issues raised by the designated parties in their submitted written comments.

The Second Pre-Hearing Conference will be open to the public, but only designated parties will be permitted to participate. The goal of the pre-hearing conference is to ensure that the hearing(s) on the tentative Cleanup and Abatement Order proceed in an orderly and prompt manner. There will be no discussion of the merits of the tentative Cleanup and Abatement Order. To ensure an accurate record, the conference proceedings will be recorded on audio tape. Additional pre-hearing conferences may be scheduled if necessary.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS

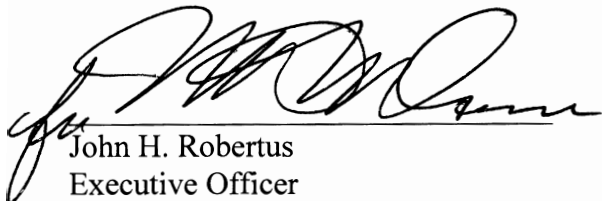
Questions concerning the Second Pre-Hearing Conference may be addressed to Frank Melbourn at the Regional Board's mailing address; email Fmelbourn@waterboards.ca.gov and telephone number (858) 467-2973.

DIRECTIONS TO REGIONAL BOARD MEETING

Regional Water Quality Control Board
9174 Sky Park Court, Suite 100
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John H. Robertus
Executive Officer

Dated: Nov 23, 2005