

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
SAN FRANCISCO BAY REGION

STAFF SUMMARY REPORT (Gina Kathuria)
MEETING DATE: March 8, 2006

ITEM 5A

SUBJECT: BAE Systems San Francisco Ship Repair, City and County of San Francisco- Reissuance of NPDES Permit

CHRONOLOGY: February 2001 – Permit issued

DISCUSSION: BAE Systems San Francisco Ship Repair repairs and performs maintenance on various seagoing vessels, which cannot be conducted while a vessel is waterborne. The facility is located on the western waterfront of San Francisco Bay at the foot of 20th Street in San Francisco.

At the facility, two drydocks, with capacities of 21,000 and 65,000 tons, are used to conduct repair and maintenance activity. Such activities include exterior hull repair, and repair or replacement of valves and fittings below the waterline. From 2000 – 2003, the drydocks were utilized an average of 40 times per year. This attached Tentative Order regulates the discharge of bay water from dry dock operations.

We received no public comments on this item and expect it to remain uncontested.

RECOMMENDATION: Adoption of the Tentative Order

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APPENDIX: A- Tentative Order

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