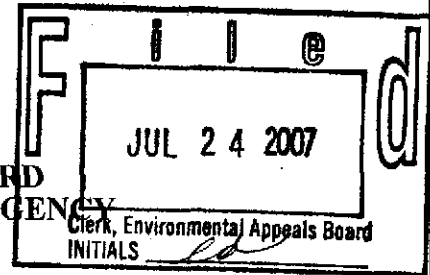


BEFORE THE ENVIRONMENTAL APPEALS BOARD
UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
WASHINGTON, D.C.



In re:

Dry Creek Rancheria

NPDES Permit No. CA-0005241

NPDES Appeal Nos. 07-14 & 07-15

ORDER GRANTING EXTENSION OF TIME

By motion filed on July 19, 2007, the County of Sonoma and the Sonoma County Water Agency ("County"), petitioners in the above-captioned matter, state that the parties "are engaged in mediation designed to settle all outstanding issues."¹ See Motion for Extension of Time to File Papers Responding to Petitions for Review; [Proposed] Order Granting Same ("Motion"). The County therefore requests that the Board grant a 30-day extension of time for the Region and the Permittee to respond to the petitions for review. The Motion states that all parties concur in this request.


¹ The NPDES permit at issue in this matter was issued by U.S. EPA Region 9 ("Region") to the Dry Creek Rancheria Band of Pomo Indians ("Permittee"). Both the County and the Alexander Valley Association have filed petitions for review with the Board.

For good cause shown, the Motion is granted. Any responses to the petitions for review filed in the above-captioned matter must now be filed with the Board no later than August 23, 2007,² including any response filed by the Permittee.³

So ordered.

Dated: 7/24/2007

ENVIRONMENTAL APPEALS BOARD

By: 
Scott C. Fulton
Environmental Appeals Judge

² Documents are "filed" with the Board on the date they are *received*.

³ To the extent that the Permittee wishes to participate in the proceedings before the Board by responding to the petitions for review, the Board hereby grants permission to do so.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the forgoing Granting Extension of Time in the matter of Dry Creek Rancheria, NDPES Appeal Nos. 07-14 & 07-15, were sent to the following persons in the manner indicated:

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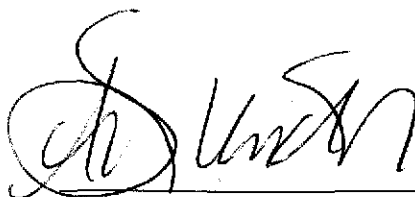
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