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SUBJECT: Special Order

REPORT: **CITY OF BAKERSFIELD, MODIFYING WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS ORDER NO. R5-2005-0135, CITY OF BAKERSFIELD SANITARY LANDFILL, Kern County**

The City of Bakersfield owns and maintains the City of Bakersfield Sanitary Landfill, located in the northeast part of the City of Bakersfield about three quarters of a mile south of the Kern River. Waste Discharge Requirements Order No. R5-05-0135, adopted by the Central Valley Water Board, prescribes requirements for closure and post-closure maintenance for the landfill including construction of an engineered alternative final cover. Construction Specification C.2 of the WDRs requires the final cover to be four feet thick as a minimum. This specification was written in error and should have specified a three-foot thick final cover. This special order modifies Construction Specification C.2 of the Waste Discharge Requirements so that a three-foot thick cover is required. (REH)

RECOMMENDATION: Adopt the proposed special order.