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State of Louisiana

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES

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U.S. Army Corps of Engineers- New Orleans District P.O. Box 60267 New Orleans, LA 70160-0267

Attention: Laura Lee Wilkinson

RE: Water Quality Certification (WQC 090306-01/AI 163529/CER 20090001)

Individual Environmental Report (IER) #6
Individual Environmental Report (IER) #7

Orleans Parish

Dear Ms. Wilkinson:

The Department has reviewed your application for the construction of the Citrus Lakefront (IER #6) and Lakefront to Michoud Canal (IER #7) hurricane protection levees, in the vicinity of New Orleans East.

The requirements for Water Quality Certification have been met in accordance with LAC 33:IX.1507.A-E. Based on the information provided in your application, we have determined that the placement of the fill material will not violate the water quality standards of Louisiana provided for under LAC 33:IX. Chapter 11. Therefore, the Department has issued a Water Quality Certification.

Sincerely,

Thomas F. Harris

Administrator

Waste Permits Division

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