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Re: Massachusetts Water Resources Authority, Permit Number MA0103284  
Part I.7 Quarterly Ambient Monitoring Report

Dear Mr. Haas and Mr. Perkins:

I am pleased to submit the Massachusetts Water Resources Authority’s (“MWRA’s”) quarterly report on ambient monitoring results.1 One report is included, on marine mammal sightings during monitoring surveys in 2009.

The quarterly ambient monitoring summary report that is required in the Contingency Plan is attached. The quarterly effluent monitoring summary for the Deer Island Treatment Plant is also attached.

MWRA will provide raw monitoring data upon request. Please let me know if any of MWRA's staff can give you additional assistance regarding these reports.

Sincerely,

Michael J. Hornbrook  
Chief Operating Officer

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1 Part I.7.c.iv of the permit requires “The results of all monitoring required by the ambient monitoring plan or the eutrophication model shall be reported to EPA, MADEP, OMSAP and NMFS, on a quarterly basis.”
Enclosures: One monitoring report and two summary reports. These reports are available online. To request a hard copy, please email web.enquad@mwra.state.ma.us or call Andrea Rex at (617) 788-4940.

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