



STATE OF WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY

Southwest Region Office

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March 15, 2023

Kevin Bright
Cooke Aquaculture Pacific, LLC
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Re: Permit Modification for National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit
Number WA0031534, Cooke Aquaculture Pacific, LLC - Fort Ward

Dear Kevin Bright:

The NPDES Permit that was issued for your facility on July 11, 2019, is hereby modified for the following particulars:

- The Annual Reporting for Nitrogen Input report that was originally due January 31, 2023, has been revised and is now due no later than May 1, 2023.

The enclosed permit is your official copy of the permit modification.

Appeal Process

You have the right to appeal this permit within 30 days upon receipt of this document. Pursuant to [Chapter 43.21B RCW](#), your appeal must be filed with the Pollution Control Hearings Board, and served on the Department of Ecology (Ecology), within 30 days of the date of your receipt of this document.

If you choose to appeal this decision, your notice of appeal must contain:

- A copy of the permit you are appealing; and
- A copy of the application for the permit/modification.

Any appeal must contain the following in accordance with the rules of the Hearings Board:

- A. The appellant's name and address;
- B. The coverage date and number of the permit appealed;
- C. A description of the substance within the permit that is the subject of the appeal;
- D. A clear, separate, and concise statement of every error alleged to have been committed;
- E. A clear and concise statement of the facts which the requester relies on to sustain his or her statements of error; and
- F. A statement setting forth the relief sought.

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ADDRESS AND LOCATION INFORMATION

Street Address	Mailing Address
Department of Ecology Attn: Appeals Processing Desk 300 Desmond Drive Southeast Lacey, WA 98503 Pollution Control Hearings Board 1111 Israel Road Southwest, Suite 301 Tumwater, WA 98501	Department of Ecology Attn: Appeals Processing Desk PO Box 47608 Olympia, WA 98504-7608 Pollution Control Hearings Board PO Box 40903 Olympia, WA 98504-0903

For additional Information: [Environmental Hearings Office](https://eluhho.wa.gov/) website: <https://eluhho.wa.gov/>

If you have any questions on this action, please contact Laurie Niewolny at laurie.niewolny@ecy.wa.gov or (360) 584-8852 (cell).

Sincerely,



Andrew Kolosseus
Southwest Region Section Manager
Water Quality Program

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Enclosures

cc: Michael Szemerda, Cooke Aquaculture Pacific, LLC
Randy Hodgin, Cooke Aquaculture Pacific, LLC
Rodney Gould, Cooke Aquaculture Pacific, LLC

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