



**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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Anacortes, WA 98221-0669

Re: Permit Modification for National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit  
Number WA0031542, Cooke Aquaculture Pacific, LLC - Orchard Rocks

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
<b>Department of Ecology</b> Attn: Appeals Processing Desk 300 Desmond Drive Southeast Lacey, WA 98503  <b>Pollution Control Hearings Board</b> 1111 Israel Road Southwest, Suite 301 Tumwater, WA 98501	<b>Department of Ecology</b> Attn: Appeals Processing Desk PO Box 47608 Olympia, WA 98504-7608  <b>Pollution Control Hearings Board</b> 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](mailto:laurie.niewolny@ecy.wa.gov) or (360) 584-8852 (cell).

Sincerely,



Andrew Kolosseus  
Southwest Region Section Manager  
Water Quality Program

AK:JC(0031542)

Enclosures

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

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