

**8.1 INTRODUCTION**

**8.1.1 Program Goal and Objectives**

Industrial activities, whether private or public, have the potential to contribute pollutants to storm water runoff. Many industrial facilities (Phase 1 facilities) are subject to the California General Industrial Activities Storm Water Permit (General Industrial Permit) for control of storm water pollution. The goal of the General Industrial Permit is to reduce the impact of industrial facilities on storm water quality.

The Permittee’s program must meet the requirements of the Permit, as summarized in Table 8-1.

<i>Table 8-1</i>		
<i>Permit Requirements - Public Industrial Activities Management</i>		
<i>Report Section</i>	<i>Requirement (Summary)</i>	<i>Permit Section</i>
8.2	Implement procedures to seek coverage, as an option, under this Order for Phase I industrial facilities which are owned or operated by a Permittee. Each Permittee shall, for any municipal activity considered a discharge of storm water associated with industrial activity, obtain separate coverage under the GIASP except that a municipality under 100,000 in population (1990 U.S. Census) need not file the Notice Of Intent to be covered by said permit until March 10, 2003 (with the exception of power plants, airports, and uncontrolled sanitary landfills).	IV.F.8

The objective of this program component is to comply with all requirements and conditions contained in the General Industrial Permit.

**8.1.2 Facilities Covered by the General Industrial Permit**

Facilities subject to the General Industrial Permit are those facilities owned or operated by a Permittee that are listed by category in 40 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Section 122.26(b)(14):

- i. Facilities subject to storm water effluent limitations guidelines, new source performance standards, or toxic pollutant effluent standards (40 CFR Subchapter N)
- ii. Manufacturing facilities
- iii. Mining and oil and gas facilities

- iv. Hazardous waste treatment, storage, or disposal facilities
- v. Landfills, land application sites, and open dumps that receive industrial waste
- vi. Recycling facilities
- vii. Steam electric generating facilities
- viii. Transportation facilities
- ix. Sewage treatment plants
- xi. Certain facilities if materials are exposed to storm water

Typical publicly-owned industrial facilities include airports, POTWs, vehicle maintenance facilities, and landfills. The impact of the regulations will vary depending on the type of facility. Most, if not all, airports have obtained coverage under an individual or group NPDES permit. POTWs are affected only if the facility's storm water runoff is not directed to the treatment facility or contained in some other way on site. Landfills are affected only if they receive or have received waste from industrial facilities covered by the Phase 1 regulations.

Corporation yards and the associated vehicle maintenance activities are technically not covered by the General Industrial Permit except for certain major vehicle maintenance facilities servicing a transportation fleet (i.e., bus system). However, under the Los Angeles County Permit, Permittees must develop pollution prevention plans for these facilities. See Section 4 of this document for more information on a program for corporation yards.