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## TEXAS NATURAL RESOURCE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

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April 17, 2001

Mr. John R. Roy President Aqualogic<sup>™</sup> P.O. Box 701745 San Antonio, Texas, 78270

Re: Aqualogic<sup>™</sup> New Storm Water Filtration Technology Technical Guidance Manual Insert Language for "Computer Controlled Cartridge Filter Systems" as a Best Management Practice (BMP)

Dear Mr. Roy:

The Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission (TNRCC) has completed its review of the material you submitted for consideration to be inserted into the agency's Technical Guidance Manual for the Edwards Aquifer Protection Program. This proposal was submitted to the TNRCC by letter on November 21, 2000. We have resolved the issue regarding the use of your trade name, Aqualogic™, in the text of the insert. Therefore, the TNRCC will now include the technical description you have provided for "computer controlled cartridge filter systems" as an acceptable BMP for the treatment of stormwater runoff in the Technical Guidance Manual for the Edwards Aquifer Protection Program. We will insert this new BMP material into the Technical Guidance Manual when it is revised and reprinted. In the interim, the TNRCC will provide the "computer controlled cartridge filter systems" section as an addendum whenever the Technical Guidance Manual is provided to the public or regulated community.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact Bobby Caldwell of the Edwards Aquifer Protection Program of the San Antonio Regional Office at 210/403-4020.

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Sincerely,

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