



June 17, 2015

The Honorable Ed Hernandez
State Capitol, Room 2080
Sacramento, CA 95814

RE: SB 485 (Hernandez): SUPPORT
County of Los Angeles: sanitation districts

Dear Senator Hernandez:

On behalf of the Southern California Water Committee (SCWC), I am pleased to offer support for your bill, SB 485. One of our organizations top priorities is to address the management and treatment of stormwater and urban runoff, which SB 485 does. Through our Stormwater Taskforce, SCWC focuses on the development of regional consensus-based strategies and recommendations for utilizing stormwater and reduce urban runoff pollution.

Established in 1984, SCWC is a nonprofit, nonpartisan, public education partnership dedicated to informing Southern Californians about our water needs and our state's water resources. Spanning Los Angeles, Orange, San Diego, San Bernardino, Imperial, Riverside, Ventura and Kern Counties, SCWC's members include representatives from business, government, agriculture, water agencies, labor and the general public.

Thank you for introducing SB 485. Again, the Southern California Water Committee (SCWC) wishes to offer its support for this legislation.

Sincerely,

Richard Atwater
Executive Director

CC: Members of the Assembly Local Government Committee

