

MINUTE ITEM 69
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No. 69 by the State Lands
Commission by a vote of 3
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RATIFY AMENDMENT
TO AGREEMENT WITH PAUL IDEKER AND ASSOCIATES
TO PROVIDE PROJECT SUPPORT SERVICES FOR THE
CALIFORNIA COMPREHENSIVE OFFSHORE RESOURCES RESOURCE STUDY
AND RELATED PROJECTS

At its April 12, 1988 meeting, the Commission authorized an agreement with Paul Ideker and Associates to provide consultant services to the Commission in support of the California Comprehensive Resources Study (CCORS). The consultant was to provide necessary group facilitation, presentation, and report editing expertise. The agreement totaled \$150,000 with a term through December 31, 1989. Several events have transpired in the intervening time which have broadened the scope and responsibilities of the consultant and therefore require amendment of the agreement.

First, the Commission was unsuccessful in obtaining funding for the CCORS and has undertaken the project through redirection of personnel and financial resources. CCORS has also undergone a more extensive public review and participation process at the request of the Commission. This has resulted in an extension of the CCORS completion date and more involvement by the consultant in project management and document development. CCORS is now expected to be completed during the summer of 1990.

Two other major events have also impacted the context of the study and the work to be completed by the consultant. The first is the marked increase in ocean dumping of waste products including medical wastes and other non-degradable materials such as plastics. In response to this the Commission requested a series of public hearings on ocean pollution issues be undertaken within the context of CCORS to determine probable causes, impacts and solutions as they relate to California's coastal resources. The hearings and a report on ocean pollution will become an appendix to the CCORS.