

**#2005-179**  
*Terminates #2004-64*

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY  
OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY**

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**In the Matter of:** )  
Merchants Bank of California, National Association )  
Carson, California )

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**ORDER TERMINATING THE  
CONSENT ORDER**

WHEREAS, in an effort to protect the depositors, other customers and shareholders of Merchants Bank of California, National Association, Carson, California (Bank), and to ensure the Bank's safe and sound operation, the Bank, by and through its duly elected and acting Board of Directors, consented to the issuance of a Consent Order (Order) dated May 27, 2004 against the Bank by the Comptroller of the Currency of the United States of America (Comptroller); and

WHEREAS, the Comptroller believes that the protection of the depositors, other customers and shareholders of the Bank as well as its safe and sound operation do not require the continued existence of said Order;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Comptroller directs that the Order dated May 27, 2004 be, and it hereby is, TERMINATED.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the undersigned, designated by the Comptroller as his authorized representative, has hereunto set his hand.

*/s/ Steven J. Vander Wal*

*11/18/2005*

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Steven J. Vander Wal  
Assistant Deputy Comptroller  
Southern California South Field Office

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