

Department of Finance		Fund: 0475
STATE OF CALIFORNIA MANUAL OF STATE FUNDS		PAGE 1 Renumbered From:
<u>Legal Title</u> Underground Storage Tank Fund		
<u>Legal Citation/Authority</u> Chapter 1045, Statutes of 1983 Health and Safety Code sections 25280-25299.7		
<u>Fund Classification</u> <u>GAAP Basis</u> Governmental/Special Revenue Funds	<u>Fund Classification</u> <u>Legal Basis</u> Governmental/General Fund Special Accounts	
<u>Purpose</u> To fund the permitting portion of the Underground Storage Tank (UST) Program. Activities consist of the development of regulations; development of policy and technical guidance; providing guidance to local agencies in the implementation of the UST Program; tracking by Regional Boards of tank leaks on the Leaking Underground Storage Tank Information System (LUSTIS); and employee health and safety training.		
<u>Administering Agency/Organization Code</u> State Water Resources Control Board/Org 3940		
<u>Major Revenue Source</u> Surcharge on fees collected by local agencies for permit applications, renewal or change of permit for underground storage tanks.		
<u>Disposition of Fund (upon abolishment)</u> Pursuant to Government Code section 16346, absent language that identifies a successor fund, any balance remaining in this fund upon abolishment shall be transferred to the General Fund.		
<u>Appropriation Authority</u> Section 25287 of the Health and Safety Code provides that the account be used, upon appropriation, for the purposes specified.		
<u>State Appropriations Limit</u> Excluded – Revenues in this fund are not proceeds of taxes, however, when transferred, may become proceeds of taxes. These revenues are used to regulate the activities engaged in by the payers.		
<u>Comments/Historical Information</u>		