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This report presents an update of an extensive chronological Bibliography of the Storm and Combined Sewer Pollution Control Program comprising approximately 350 references of research projects performed over a 30-yr period, beginning in the mid-1960s.

As controls to reduce water pollution from traditional point sources were implemented, it became more evident that diffuse sources of pollutants, including discharges from separate storm-drainage systems and combined sewer overflows (CSO), are major causes of water quality problems. In response to this situation, Congress required the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), by adding Section 402(p) to the Clean Water Act (CWA) in 1987, to regulate stormwater discharges by es-

tablishing comprehensive programs for permit applications, guidance, and management and treatment requirements. In addition, Section 319 was added to the CWA requiring states to develop nonpoint source assessment and management programs. The EPA has also recently implemented a "National CSO Control Strategy," and "Nine Minimum Controls" to ensure that CSO meet the technology and water quality-based requirements of the CWA.

The Bibliography citations are handy references for the user community faced with the challenges to combat urban wet-weather water pollution. They cover a range of engineering requirements, from pollution problem assessment and associated tools, to management and control, planning and design.

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