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15 ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER
CASES

Judicial Council Coordination
Proceeding No. 4408

16 Included Actions:

CLASS ACTION

17 *Los Angeles County Waterworks District No. 40 v.*
Diamond Farming Co., Superior Court of
California, County of Los Angeles, Case No. BC
325201;

Santa Clara Case No. 1-05-CV-049053
Assigned to the Honorable Jack Komar

18 *Los Angeles County Waterworks District No. 40 v.*
Diamond Farming Co., Superior Court of
California, County of Kern, Case No. S-1500-CV-
254-348;

**[PROPOSED] ORDER GRANTING
EX PARTE APPLICATION TO
CONTINUE THE HEARING DATE
OF AVEK'S MOTION TO
DISQUALIFY BEST BEST &
KRIEGER AS LEGAL COUNSEL
AND TO FILE AN OPPOSING
MEMORANDUM IN EXCESS OF 15
PAGES**

21 *Wm. Bolthouse Farms, Inc. v. City of Lancaster,*
Diamond Farming Co. v. City of Lancaster,
Diamond Farming Co. v. Palmdale Water Dist.,
Superior Court of California, County of Riverside,
Case Nos. RIC 353 840, RIC 344 436, RIC 344
668

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Parte Application; Declarations of
Jeffrey V. Dunn, Warren Wellen, and
Timothy Coates]*

24 *Rebecca Lee Willis v. Los Angeles County
Waterworks District No. 40, et al.*, Superior Court
of California, County of Los Angeles, Case No.
BC364533

25 *Richard Wood v. Los Angeles County Waterworks
District No. 40, et al.*, Superior Court of
California, County of Los Angeles, Case No.
BC391869

Date: September 22, 2016
Time: 9:00 a.m.
Dept.: Via CourtCall

[PROPOSED] ORDER

This matter having come before the court for hearing on September 22, 2016 at 9:00 a.m. via Court Call on Los Angeles County Waterworks District No. 40's ("District No. 40") *ex parte* application for an order: (1) continuing the hearing date for the Antelope Valley East-Kern Water Agency's ("AVEK") Motion to Disqualify Best Best & Krieger as Legal Counsel in Antelope Valley Groundwater Cases for approximately 30 days to a time mutually convenient to both parties' specially-retained attorneys; and (2) permitting District No. 40's opposition to the motion to be 20 pages. Good cause exists for the relief sought.

For good cause shown,

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. The hearing on AVEK's motion is continued to _____, 2016, at _____ a.m., and deadlines to file and serve opposition and reply briefs are similarly continued pursuant to the Code of Civil Procedure.

2. District No. 40 may file an opposition to the motion that exceeds the statutory page limit by no more than 5 pages.

DATED: _____

HON. JACK KOMAR
JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

PROOF OF SERVICE

I, Rosanna R. Pérez, declare:

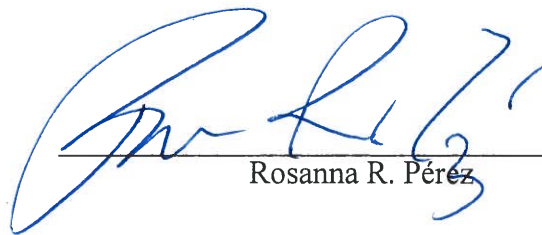
I am a resident of the State of California and over the age of eighteen years, and not a party to the within action; my business address is Best Best & Krieger LLP, 300 S. Grand Avenue, 25th Floor, Los Angeles, California 90071. On September 21, 2016, I served the following document(s):

[PROPOSED] ORDER GRANTING *EX PARTE* APPLICATION TO CONTINUE THE HEARING DATE OF AVEK'S MOTION TO DISQUALIFY BEST BEST & KRIEGER AS LEGAL COUNSEL AND TO FILE AN OPPOSING MEMORANDUM IN EXCESS OF 15 PAGES



BY ELECTRONIC TRANSMISSION. I caused such document(s) to be electronically served, via One Legal, to all parties appearing on the electronic service list for the Antelope Valley Groundwater Cases; proof of electronic-filing through One Legal is then printed and maintained with the original documents in our office. Electronic service is complete at the time of transmission. My electronic notification email address is Rosanna.perez@bbklaw.com.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the above is true and correct. Executed on September 21, 2016, at Los Angeles, California.


Rosanna R. Pérez

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