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8 **SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

9 **IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES – CENTRAL DISTRICT**

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11 Coordinated Proceeding ) **Judicial Council Coordination No. 4408**  
Special Title (Rule 1550(b)) )  
12 ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER ) Santa Clara Case No. 1-05-CV-049053  
13 CASES ) Assigned to the Honorable Jack Komar – Dept. 17  
14 Included Actions: ) **DECLARATION OF TRAVIS BERGLUND**  
15 Los Angeles County Waterworks District No. 40 ) **ON BEHALF OF LITTLEROCK CREEK**  
16 v. Diamond Farming Co. Los Angeles County ) **IRRIGATION DISTRICT**  
Superior Court Case No. BC 325201; ) **[PROVE UP HEARING]**  
17 Los Angeles County Waterworks District No. 40 )  
18 v. Diamond Farming Co., Kern County Superior )  
19 Court, Case No. S-1500-CV-234348; ) **DATE: Sept. 28, 2015**  
20 Wm. Bolthouse Farms, Inc. v. City of Lancaster, ) **TIME: 9:00 A.M.**  
Diamond Farming Co. v. City of Lancaster v. ) **DEPT: Los Angeles, Department 1**  
21 Palmdale Water District, Riverside County )  
22 Superior Court, Consolidated Actions, Case Nos. )  
RIC 353840, RIC 344436, RIC 344668 )  
23 AND RELATED CROSS-ACTIONS )  
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**DECLARATION**

I, TRAVIS BERGLUND, declare as follows:

1. I am the General Manager of LITTLE ROCK CREEK IRRIGATION DISTRICT (herein “District”), a public water purveyor. I am authorized to make this declaration on behalf of the District. I am the custodian of records for the attached public records, which are kept in the ordinary course of business by me. I have worked for the District, a public agency, since January 16, 1997.

2. The District previously submitted a declaration and exhibits during the Phase 4 trial on behalf of the District.

3. I have personal knowledge of the facts set forth herein, and if called to testify, I could and would competently testify thereto. As General Manager, I am familiar with the practices and management of the District, including but not limited to the record-keeping practices of the District, in maintaining current and historical groundwater pumping records. As General Manager, I am familiar with the history of the District, including how its groundwater pumping is measured as well as its historic groundwater pumping.

4. The District presently keeps records of its groundwater pumping. I am familiar with how meter readings and summary charts of groundwater pumping are, and have been, prepared and maintained by the District since I began working for the District and historically. Historically, groundwater pumping has been recorded at the time of meter readings, and such records have been kept in the District office. These historic records are maintained at the District office, under my care, in the ordinary course of business. The manner of recording groundwater pumping historically and presently is such as to indicate the records’ trustworthiness.

5. District operates a water system responsible for providing water to homes and businesses. District pumps groundwater from the Antelope Valley Groundwater Adjudication Area, is a State Water Project Contractor and has imported State Water Project water. To ensure a safe and reliable public water supply to its customers and to comply with various regulatory requirements, District generates records on its water production and its groundwater delivery, including the following:

- Spreadsheets entitled “water production summaries” (“summary charts”);

- Annual Groundwater Extraction Recordation Summaries and Annual Notices of Groundwater and Diversion (“extraction reports”).

6. Section 5001 of the Water Code requires “[e]ach person who, after 1955, extracts ground water in excess of 25 acre-feet in any year [to] file with the [State Water Resource Control B]oard [(“State Board”)] on or before March 1st of the succeeding year a ‘Notice of Extraction and Diversion of Water.’” The annual Notice of Extraction and Diversion of Water must contain, among other things: (1) “[t]he quantity of water taken from each surface and ground water source from which such person received any water in the preceding calendar year”; and (2) “[l]ocation of each such surface and ground water source through or by means of which water has been taken in such preceding year.” (Wat. Code § 5002.) Since this enactment, District has filed groundwater extraction reports annually with the State Water Resources Control Board reflecting its groundwater pumped.

7. To comply with its obligations under the Water Code, the District keeps records in the regular course of its governmental operations that track groundwater pumped from each well. Each District well has a flow meter that measures water produced. The meter readings are recorded at the time of the readings and form the basis of District’s groundwater production, which is then reported to the State Board. District uses these meter readings to compile reports made to various State and local agencies.

8. The District has a SCADA system which periodically measures water levels and records them. In the ordinary course of business, the District records its water usage regularly at the time of its SCADA meter readings in summary charts (hereafter “summary charts”). Groundwater extraction reports filed with the state are also based on these SCADA readings. In the ordinary course of business, the summary charts and groundwater extraction reports are prepared by me and are maintained by me in the District office.

9. Attached as Exhibit “A” is a true and correct copy of the District’s groundwater pumping summary charts from 2002 through 2012 which were admitted into evidence as Exhibit F to my declaration during the Phase IV trial.

10. Attached hereto as Exhibit “B” is a true and correct copy of the District’s summary charts of groundwater pumping for the following years: 1958 through 1966, 1976, and 1986 through 2014.

