

By /s/ Caballero FOR COURT USE ONLY

OCT 11 2007

LOS ANGELES SUPERIOR COURT

A. TORNEY OR PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY (Name, State Bar number, and address): Best Best & Krieger (PFI) ERIC L GARNER 130665 5 PARK PLAZA, SUITE 1500 IRVINE CA TELEPHONE NO.: _____ FAX NO. (Optional): _____ EMAIL ADDRESS (Optional): _____ ATTORNEY FOR (Name): LOS ANGELES COUNTY WATERWORKS DISTRICT NO. 40	
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES STREET ADDRESS: 111 North Hill Street, Room 102 MAILING ADDRESS: _____ CITY AND ZIP CODE: Los Angeles 90012 BRANCH NAME: _____	
PLAINTIFF/PETITIONER: LOS ANGELES COUNTY WATERWORKS DISTRICT NO. 40	CASE NUMBER: BC325201
DEFENDANT/RESPONDENT: DIAMOND FARMING COMPANY, ET. AL	Ref. No. or File No.: 26345.00001
PROOF OF SERVICE OF SUMMONS	

1. At the time of service I was at least 18 years of age and not a party to this action.
2. I served copies of the (specify documents):
Amended Summons; First-amended Cross-complaint of Public Water Suppliers for Declaratory and Injunctive Relief and Adjudication of Water Rights; Model Answer to Complaint and All Cross-complaints; Amendment to Complaint (naming Does 231-554).
3. a. Party served (specify name of party as shown on documents served):
MASAAKI OKAMOTO
 - b. Person (other than the party in item 3a) served on behalf of an entity or as an authorized agent (and not a person under item 5b whom substituted service was made) (specify name and relationship to the party named in item 3a):
4. Address where the party was served:
20695 S WESTERN Avenue NO 205, TORRANCE, CA 90501
5. I served the party (check proper box)
 - a. **by personal service.** I personally delivered the documents listed in item 2 to the party or person authorized to receive service of process for the party (1) on (date): (2) at (time):
 - b. **by substituted service.** On (date): **7/18/2007** (2) at (time): **10:33 AM** I left the documents listed in item 2 with or in the presence of (name and title or relationship to person indicated in item 3):
Fugio Sugitano, CPA, An Asian male approx. 45-55 years of age 5'6"-5'8" in height weighing 160-180 lbs with gray hair
 - (1) **(business)** a person at least 18 years of age apparently in charge at the office or usual place of business of the person to be served. I informed him or her of the general nature of the papers.
 - (2) **(home)** a competent member of the household (at least 18 years of age) at the dwelling house or usual place of abode of the party. I informed him or her of the general nature of the papers.
 - (3) **(physical address unknown)** a person of at least 18 years of age apparently in charge at the usual mailing address of the person to be served, other than a United States Postal Service post office box. I informed him or her of the general nature of the papers.
 - (4) I thereafter mailed (by first-class, postage prepaid) copies of the documents to the person to be served at the place where the copies were left (Code Civ. Proc., § 415.20). I mailed the documents on (date): from (city): or a declaration of mailing is attached.
 - (5) I attach a **declaration of diligence** stating actions taken first to attempt personal service.

PROOF OF SERVICE OF SUMMONS

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- c. by mail and acknowledgment of receipt of service. I mailed the documents listed in item 2 to the party, to the address shown in item 4, by first-class mail, postage prepaid,
 (1) on (date): (2) from (city):
 (3) with two copies of the *Notice and Acknowledgment of Receipt* and a postage-paid return envelope addressed to me. (*Attach completed Notice and Acknowledgment of Receipt.*) (Code Civ. Proc., § 415.30)
 (4) to an address outside California with return receipt requested. (Code Civ. Proc., § 415.40)
- d. by other means (specify means of service and authorizing code section):

Additional page describing service is attached.

6. The "Notice to the Person Served" (on the summons) was completed as follows:

- a. as an individual defendant.
- b. as the person sued under the fictitious name of (specify):
- c. as occupant
- d. On behalf of (specify):
 under the following Code of Civil Procedure section:
- | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> 416.10 (corporation) | <input type="checkbox"/> 415.95 (business organization, form unknown) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 416.20 (defunct corporation) | <input type="checkbox"/> 416.60 (minor) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 416.30 (joint stock company/association) | <input type="checkbox"/> 416.70 (ward or conservatee) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 416.40 (association or partnership) | <input type="checkbox"/> 416.90 (authorized person) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 416.50 (public entity) | <input type="checkbox"/> 415.46 (occupant) |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> other |

7. Person who served papers

- a. Name: **Guillermo Verjan**
- b. Address: **241 S. FIGUEROA STREET, SUITE 370, LOS ANGELES, CA 90012**
- c. Telephone number: **213-621-9999**
- d. The fee for service was: **\$114.60_{PR}**
- e. I am:
- (1) not a registered California process server.
- (2) exempt from registration under Business and Professions Code section 22350(b).
- (3) registered California process server:
- (i) owner employee independant contractor
- (ii) Registration No.: **4169**
- (iii) County: **Los Angeles**

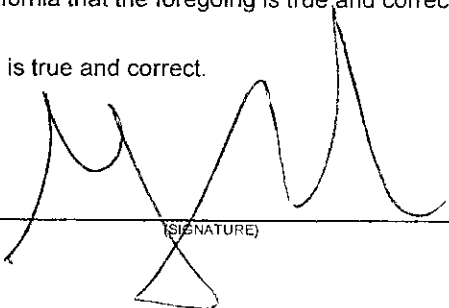
8. I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.
 or

9. I am a California sheriff or marshal and I certify that the foregoing is true and correct.

Date: **7/18/2007**

Guillermo Verjan

 (NAME OF PERSON WHO SERVED PAPERS/SHERIFF OR MARSHAL)



 (SIGNATURE)



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DECLARATION OF REASONABLE DILIGENCE		Ref. No. or File No.: 26345.00001	

Party to Serve:
MASAAKI OKAMOTO

Documents:
Amended Summons; First-amended Cross-complaint of Public Water Suppliers for Declaratory and Injunctive Relief and Adjudication of Water Rights; Model Answer to Complaint and All Cross-complaints; Amendment to Complaint (naming Does 231-554).

Service Address:
20695 S WESTERN Avenue NO 205, TORRANCE, CA 90501

I declare the following attempts were made to effect service by personal delivery:
7/16/2007 6:30:00 PM: Business closed.
7/17/2007 9:40:00 AM: Not in.
7/17/2007 3:40:00 PM: Not in.

Person who served papers:
Guillermo Verjan
241 S. FIGUEROA STREET, SUITE 370, LOS ANGELES, CA 90012
213-621-9999

I am a registered California process server
 Registration No.: **4169**
 County: **Los Angeles**

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Date: **7/18/2007**

Guillermo Verjan

(NAME OF PERSON WHO SERVED PAPERS/SHERIFF OR MARSHAL)

(SIGNATURE)

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(Handwritten signature)

DECLARATION OF MAILING

The undersigned hereby declares: that I, **Alicia Rosales** , am a Citizen of the United States of America and employed in the City of Los Angeles, in the State of CA.

That I am over the age of twenty-one and not a party to nor interested in the within entitled action:
LOS ANGELES COUNTY WATERWORKS DISTRICT NO. 40
vs.
DIAMOND FARMING COMPANY, ET. AL

My business address is 241 S. Figueroa St. Suite 370 Los Angeles, CA 90012.

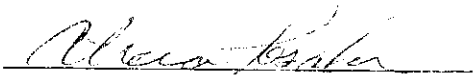
That on Sep 20 2007 , after substituted service was made, I served the within:
AMENDED SUMMONS; FIRST-AMENDED CROSS-COMPLAINT OF PUBLIC WATER SUPPLIERS FOR DECLARATORY AND INJUNCTIVE RELIEF AND ADJUDICATION OF WATER RIGHTS; MODEL ANSWER TO COMPLAINT AND ALL CROSS-COMPLAINTS; AMENDMENT TO COMPLAINT (NAMING DOES 231-554). on the defendant in this action by placing a true and correct copy in a sealed envelope with postage prepaid for first class mail and by placing said envelope in the United States mail in Los Angeles, CA.

That I addressed the envelope as follows:

**MASAAKI OKAMOTO
20695 S WESTERN AVE
NO 205
TORRANCE CA 90501**

That I declare under penalty of perjury of the State of California the foregoing is true and correct.

That I executed this declaration: **Sep 20 2007** , at Los Angeles , CA.


Alicia Rosales

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