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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

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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

Amended

**PROOF OF SERVICE OF SUMMONS**

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SUPERIOR COURT

By: VICTOR E. SINO-CRUZ  
DEPUTY

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 (group List for Los Angeles County)

3. a. Party served (specify name of party as shown on documents served):

MELINDA E CAMERON, AS DIRECTED, A white male approx. 55-65 years of age 5'8"-5'10" in height weighing 160-180 lbs with brown hair

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:

MELINDA E. CAMERON C/O DENNIS G. MERENBACH ESQ., 225 E CARRILLO Street SUITE 202, SANTA BARBARA, CA 92101

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): 6/26/2007 (2) at (time): 3:00 PM

b.  by substituted service. On (date): (2) at (time): 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):

(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.

Form Adopted for Mandatory Use  
Judicial Council of California  
POS-010 (Rev. January 1, 2007)

Code of Civil Procedure, § 417.10

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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: Ryan Carter
- b. Address: 142 E FIGUEROA ST., SANTA BARBARA, CA 93101
- c. Telephone number: 805-966-2102
- d. The fee for service was: \$100.00
- 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  independent contractor
- (ii)  Registration No.: 170
- (iii)  County: Santa Barbara

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

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

Date: 6/28/2007

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Ryan Carter (NAME OF PERSON WHO SERVED PAPERS/SHERIFF OR MARSHAL)

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 (SIGNATURE)

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