



IN THE COURT OF APPEAL OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
SECOND APPELLATE DISTRICT  
JOSEPH A. LANE, CLERK

DIVISION p December 21, 2011

COORDINATED PROCEEDING SPECIAL TITLE (RULE 3.550(C))

Antelope Valley Groundwater Cases

REBECCA LEE WILLIS et al.

v.

LOS ANGELES COUNTY WATERWORKS DISTRICT NO. 40 ET AL.

B237726

Los Angeles County No. JCCP4408, BC364553

Dear Mr. Dunn,

The Court received and filed the Civil Case Information Statement in the above-entitled matter on December 21, 2011. It appears that your appeal from the September 22, 2011 amended final judgment which is attached may be untimely.

Pursuant to Rule 8.104(a) of the California Rules of Court, a notice of appeal must be filed on or before the earliest of:

- (1) 60 days after the superior court clerk serves the party filing the notice of appeal with a document entitled "Notice of Entry" of judgment or a file-stamped copy of the judgment showing the date it was entered;
- (2) 60 days after the party filing the notice of appeal serves or is served by a party a document entitled "Notice of Entry" of judgment or a file-stamped copy of the judgment, accompanied by proof of service; or
- (3) 180 days after entry of judgment.

The amended final judgment was filed on September 22, 2011. The Notice of Entry of Judgment was served on September 27, 2011. The last day to timely file a Notice of Appeal was November 28, 2011. A review of the trial court docket does not indicate whether a motion was denied in this action. Therefore, it appears that this appeal is untimely.

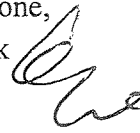
The Court may not prosecute an appeal which has been untimely filed, and must dismiss such an appeal for lack of jurisdiction. It is the Court's present intention to dismiss, on its own motion, this appeal as having been untimely filed. The appellant is therefore directed to show cause, in writing, within 15 days from the date of this notice, why said order of dismissal should not be entered. Proper proof of service is required on all responses.

The appellant is advised that failure to comply or show good cause for non-compliance shall result in the immediate dismissal of this appeal without further notice.

Very truly yours,

Joseph A. Lane, Clerk

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