Exhibit A

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8	COUNTY OF SANTA CLARA	
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11	COORDINATION PROCEEDING, SPECIAL TITLE (Rule 1550 (b)),	Judicial Council Coordination Proceeding No. 4408
12	ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER	CASE NO.: 1-05-CV-049053
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14	Programme A controller A controller and	BOLTHOUSE PROPERTIES LLC'S AND
15	INCLUDED ACTIONS: LOS ANGELES COUNTY WATERWORKS DISTRICT NO.	WM. BOLTHOUSE FARMS, INC.'S ADDENDEUM TO OBJECTION TO
16	40 v. DIAMOND FARMING COMPANY, et al.,,	MOTION FOR PRELIMINARY APPROVAL OF CLASS SETTLEMENT
17	Los Angeles Superior Court Case No. BC325201,	FILED BY RICHARD WOOD AND LOS ANGELES COUNTY WATERWORKS
18	TO AN OF THE COLD WITH WAR PROPERTY.	DISTRICT NO. 40
19 20	LOS ANGELES COUNTY WATERWORKS DISTRICT NO. 40 v. DIAMOND FARMING	
21	COMPANY, et al., Kern County Superior Court Case No. S-1500- CV-254348,	DATE : June 16, 2011 TIME : 9:00 a.m.
22	C (*234340,	DEPT: 1515 JUDGE: Hon. J. Komar
23	DIAMOND FARMING COMPANY, and W.M. BOLTHOUSE FARMS, INC., v. CITY	
	OF LANCASTER, et al.,	
24	Riverside Superior Court Case No. RIC	
25	344436 [c/w case no. RIC 344668 and 353840],	
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TO ALL PARTIES AND TO THEIR ATTORNEYS OF RECORD:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Bolthouse Properties, LLC and Wm. Bolthouse Farms, Inc. (hereinafter "Bolthouse") hereby add to their previous objection to the Proposed Wood Class Settlement for the following reasons. The Motion for Class Certification filed on or about June 20, 2008, and scheduled for hearing on or about August 11, 2008, excludes from the Class, "defendants" in the action, "all persons and entities to the extent their properties are connected to the municipal water system, public utility, or mutual water company from which they receive water service," and "all property pumping 25 acre-feet per year or more on an average annual basis during the class period."

As noted previously, the overlying right is correlative and shared by all Overlying Landowners. It is clear that the Wood Class only includes a portion of Landowners. It would be improper to approve a Class Settlement which settles a correlative right which the parties have no legal right to divide up and settle separately. Further, failure to include rights of defendant parties, parties who receive water from mutual water companies or public utilities, and the failure to include parties pumping 25 acre-feet or more as named defendants, creates an indispensable party infirmity in addressing and/or adjudicating overlying rights and prevents complete adjudication for McCarran Act jurisdiction.

DATED: May 23, 2011

Respectfully submitted,

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By:

Attorneys for

BOLTHOUSE PROPERTIES,

LLC and WM.

BOLTHOUSE FARMS, INC.

PROOF OF SERVICE (C.C.P. §1013a, 2015.5) 1 Antelope Valley Groundwater Cases 2 Judicial Counsel Coordination Proceeding No. 4408 Santa Clara County Superior Court Case No. 1-05-CV-049053 3 I am employed in the County of Kern, State of California. I am over the age of 18 and not a 4 party to the within action; my business address is 1430 Truxtun Avenue, Bakersfield, CA 93301. 5 On May 23, 2011, I served the foregoing document(s) entitled: 6 BOLTHOUSE PROPERTIES LLC'S AND WM. BOLTHOUSE FARMS, INC.'S ADDENDEUM TO OBJECTION TO MOTION FOR PRELIMINARY APPROVAL OF 7 CLASS SETTLEMENT FILED BY RICHARD WOOD AND LOS ANGELES COUNTY WATERWORKS DISTRICT NO. 40 8 9 by placing the true copies thereof enclosed in sealed envelopes addressed as stated on the attached mailing list. 10 by placing _ the original, _ a true copy thereof, enclosed in a sealed 11 enveloped addressed as follows: 12 **COMPLEX** E-FILING IN SANTA CLARA SUPERIOR COURT <u>X</u>_ 13 LITIGATION PURSUANT TO CLARIFICATION ORDER DATED OCTOBER 27, 2005. 14 Executed on May 23, 2011, at Bakersfield, California. 15 (State) I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California 16 \mathbf{X} that the above is true and correct. 17 I declare that I am employed in the office of a member of the Bar of (Federal) 18 this Court at whose direction the service was made. 19 20 21 2455-2 22 23 24 25 26