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**SUPERIOR COURT FOR THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES**

Coordination Proceeding
Special Title (Rule 1550(b))

Judicial Council Coordination
Proceeding No. 4408

ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER
CASES

(Santa Clara Case No. 1-05-CV-049053,
Honorable Jack Komar)

RICHARD A. WOOD, an individual, on
behalf of himself and all others similarly
situated,

Case No.: BC 391869

Plaintiff,

**[proposed] ORDER RE: MOTION
FOR ALLOCATION OF EXPERT
WITNESS FEES**

v.

LOS ANGELES COUNTY
WATERWORKS DISTRICT NO. 40; et al.

Defendants.

On March 8, 2010, the Court heard argument on Richard Wood’s Motion for an Order Allocating Expert Witness Fees. After considering the pleadings filed by all parties, the Court finds that the fees incurred to date by Entrix, in the amount of \$4,784.68 are reasonable. The Court hereby orders the following public water suppliers

1 to pay this bill directly to Entrix within fifteen (15) days of this order. The following
2 twelve public water suppliers are ordered to pay this bill, in equal shares of \$398.72:
3 City of Palmdale, Rosamond Community Services District, Los Angeles County
4 Waterworks District No. 40, Littlerock Creek Irrigation District, Palm Ranch Irrigation
5 District, North Edwards Water District, Desert Lake Community Services District,
6 California Water Service Company, Quartz Hill Water District, the City of Lancaster, the
7 Palmdale Water District, and Phelan Pinon Hills Community Services District.

8 Further, the request of Richard Wood to authorize the court-appointed expert to
9 commence the work outlined in the proposal from Entrix, which was attached to the
10 moving papers, is denied without prejudice based on the decision that no evidence of
11 individual pumping will be heard at the Phase III trial, as set forth in the Court's order of
12 March 22, 2010.

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15 IT IS SO ORDERED.

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17 Dated: _____

Honorable Jack Komar
Judge of the Superior Court

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1 **PROOF OF SERVICE**

2 I am employed in the County of Los Angeles, State of California. I am over the age of 18
3 and am not a party to the within action. My business address is 10490 Santa Monica Boulevard,
4 Los Angeles, California 90025.

5 On March 25, 2010, I caused the foregoing document(s) described as **[proposed] ORDER
RE: MOTION FOR ALLOCATION OF EXPERT WITNESS FEES**

6 to be served on the parties in this action, as follows:

- 7 (X) (BY ELECTRONIC SERVICE) by posting the document(s) listed above to the Santa
8 Clara County Superior Court website: www.scefiling.org regarding the Antelope Valley
9 Groundwater matter.
- 10 () (BY U.S. MAIL) I am readily familiar with the firm's practice of collection and
11 processing of documents for mailing. Under that practice, the above-referenced
12 document(s) were placed in sealed envelope(s) addressed to the parties as noted above,
13 with postage thereon fully prepaid and deposited such envelope(s) with the United States
14 Postal Service on the same date at Los Angeles, California, addressed to:
- 15 () (BY FEDERAL EXPRESS) I served a true and correct copy by Federal Express or other
16 overnight delivery service, for delivery on the next business day. Each copy was
17 enclosed in an envelope or package designed by the express service carrier; deposited in a
18 facility regularly maintained by the express service carrier or delivered to a courier or
19 driver authorized to receive documents on its behalf; with delivery fees paid or provided
20 for; addressed as shown on the accompanying service list.
- 21 () (BY FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION) I am readily familiar with the firm's practice of
22 facsimile transmission of documents. It is transmitted to the recipient on the same day in
23 the ordinary course of business.
- 24 (X) (STATE) I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that
25 the above is true and correct.

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