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8 SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
9 FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES-CENTRAL DISTRICT

10 ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER  
11 CASES

12 Included Actions:

13 Los Angeles County Waterworks District No.  
14 40 v. Diamond Farming Co.  
15 Superior Court of California, County of Los  
16 Angeles, Case No. BC325201;

17 Los Angeles County Waterworks District  
18 No. 40 v. Diamond Farming Co.  
19 Superior Court of California  
20 County of Kern, Case No. S-1500-CV-254-  
21 348;

22 Wm. Bolthouse Farms, Inc. v. City of  
23 Lancaster  
24 Diamond Farming Co. v. City of Lancaster  
25 Diamond Farming Co. v. Palmdale Water Dist.  
26 Superior Court of California  
27 County of Riverside, consolidated actions  
28 Case Nos. RIC 353840, RIC 344436,  
RIC 344668.

**Judicial Council Coordination Proceeding No.  
4408**

Santa Clara Case No. 1-05-CV-049053  
Assigned to the Honorable Jack Komar Dept. I

APPLICATION OF QUARTZ HILL WATER  
DISTRICT FOR ORDER THAT NO PARTIES  
ARE EXEMPT FROM ACTIVE  
PARTICIPATION AND TO APPROVE FORM  
OF NOTICE

Quartz Hill Water District applies for an order that no parties are exempt from active participation and for approval of form of notice.

1 This court has solicited from Quartz Hill Water District an order approving a form of  
2 notice to give notice to all parties that they are not exempt from active participation in this  
3 litigation. Accompanying this application is a proposed order that includes the notices.

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5 The court will find two notices. Exhibit One is a notice to be served by United States mail  
6 on all parties who have registered for electronic service. The purpose of this notice to give these  
7 parties notice that they are not exempt from active participation and that they are responsible to  
8 monitor the electronic filings in this case. Attached as Exhibit Two is a list of the active  
9 participants in this litigation who do not need to be served with this notice.

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11 The other notice, attached as Exhibit Three, is prepared to accompany the anticipated  
12 discovery that will be served on those parties who have not registered for electronic service.  
13 Please note, the proposed order only requires this notice to be served concurrently with the  
14 discovery.

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16 This application and proposed order has been informally provided to interested parties in  
17 this litigation and their comments have been considered and incorporated.

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19 I declare under penalty of perjury the foregoing is true and correct.

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22 Dated: April 11, 2012

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Attorney for Quartz Hill Water District

**PROOF OF SERVICE**

I am employed in the aforesaid county, State of California; I am over eighteen years of age and not a party to the within action; my business address is 1031 West Avenue M-14, Suite A, Palmdale, California, 93551.

On April 11, 2012, at my place of business at Palmdale, California, a copy of the following DOCUMENT(s):

APPLICATION OF QUARTZ HILL WATER DISTRICT FOR ORDER THAT NO PARTIES ARE EXEMPT FROM ACTIVE PARTICIPATION AND TO APPROVE FORM OF NOTICE

By posting the DOCUMENT listed above to the Santa Clara Superior Court website in regard to the Antelope Valley Groundwater Matter:

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

Executed on April 11, 2012

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Gayle P. J. Fenald