

# SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

DATE: 11/18/10

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HONORABLE Jack Komar

JUDGE

M. GODDERZ

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JUDGE PRO TEM

ELECTRONIC RECORDING MONITOR

J. BALTAZAR, CT. ASST.

Deputy Sheriff

G. WELKER

Reporter

9:00 am

JCCP4408

Plaintiff

JEFFREY V. DUNN

(x)

Counsel

JAMES L. MARKMAN

(x)

Coordination Proceeding Special  
Title Rule (1550(b))

Defendant

MICHAEL FIFE

(x)

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DOUGLAS J. EVERTZ

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ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER CAS  
\*ASSIGNED TO JUDGE JACK KOMAR  
IN SANTA CLARA COUNTY (8/31/05)

BRADLEY T. WEEKS

(x)

DAVID B. ZLOTNICK

(x)

SUSAN M. TRAGER

(x)

## NATURE OF PROCEEDINGS:

MOTION BY THE WILLIS PLAINTIFFS FOR PRELIMINARY  
APPROVAL OF THE CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT;MOTION BY NEW ANAVERDE, LLC GO SUBSTITUTE PARTIES AND  
PERMIT FILLING AND SERVICE OF SUPPLEMENTAL CROSS-  
COMPLAINT;

## CASE MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE

Additional counsel appearing in open court this  
date:

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The Hearing is called and the Court makes the following rulings:

- Motion by New Anaverde, LLC to Substitute Parties and Permit Filing and Service of Supplemental Cross-Complaint is granted.

- Notice of Related Cases brought by Diamond Farming is argued. Request for Judicial Notice is granted. The Court denies the Notice of Related cases as per it's comments on the record.

- Motion by Willis Plaintiffs for Preliminary Approval of the Class Action Settlement is granted. The Court schedules the Final Settlement Approval Hearing for February 24, 2010 at 10:00 a.m., in Department One.

The Case Management Conference is held and the Court states that the Trial date of January 4, 2011 is to stand. Court and counsel confer Re pre-trial and trial issues, class settlement status and notice.

The Court orders counsel to take defaults or have an binding agreement with the parties who have not responded.

The Court sets a Pre-Trial Conference for December 15, 2010 at 9:00 a.m., in Department One. Counsel may file Motions in Limine to be heard on December 15th.

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Notice is deemed waived.