

ATTORNEY OR PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY (Name, State Bar number, and address): Jeffrey V. Dunn, SBN 131926 Stefanie D. Hedlund, SBN 239787 BEST BEST & KRIEGER LLP 5 Park Plaza, Ste. 1500 Irvine, CA 92614 TELEPHONE NO.: (949) 263-2600 FAX NO. (Optional): (949) 260-0972 E-MAIL ADDRESS (Optional): ATTORNEY FOR (Name): L.A. County Waterworks District No. 40 and Rosamond CFD	FOR COURT USE ONLY
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES STREET ADDRESS: 111 N. Hill MAILING ADDRESS: 111 N. Hill CITY AND ZIP CODE: Los Angeles, CA 90012 BRANCH NAME: Central District	
PLAINTIFF/PETITIONER: Los Angeles County Waterworks District No. 40, et al. DEFENDANT/RESPONDENT: Diamond Farming Company, et al.	
REQUEST FOR DISMISSAL <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Injury, Property Damage, or Wrongful Death <input type="checkbox"/> Motor Vehicle <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Family Law <input type="checkbox"/> Eminent Domain <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) : Declaratory Relief and Injunctive Relief of Water Rights	CASE NUMBER: JCCP 4408
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1. TO THE CLERK: Please **dismiss** this action as follows:

a. (1) ☐ With prejudice (2) ☒ Without prejudice

b. (1) ☐ Complaint (2) ☐ Petition

(3) ☒ Cross-complaint filed by (name): Los Angeles Co. Waterworks, et al.*

on (date): August 21, 2008

(4) ☐ Cross-complaint filed by (name):

on (date):

(5) ☐ Entire action of all parties and all causes of action

(6) ☐ Other (specify):

*** AS TO NANCY KAWAMARA (named as Roe 1314) ONLY**

2. (Complete in all cases except family law cases.)

☐ Court fees and costs were waived for a party in this case. (This information may be obtained from the clerk. If this box is checked, the declaration on the back of this form must be completed).

Date: February 23, 2010

Stefanie D. Hedlund

(TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF ☒ ATTORNEY ☐ PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY)

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►  (SIGNATURE)

Attorney or party without attorney for:

☐ Plaintiff/Petitioner

☐ Defendant/Respondent

☒ Cross-Complainant

3. TO THE CLERK: Consent to the above dismissal is hereby given.**

Date:

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► _____ (SIGNATURE)

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☐ Defendant/Respondent

☐ Cross-Complainant

(To be completed by clerk)

4. ☐ Dismissal entered as requested on (date):

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as to only (name):

6. ☐ Dismissal **not entered** as requested for the following reasons (specify):

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Clerk, by _____, Deputy

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

Date: _____



(TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF ☐ ATTORNEY ☐ PARTY MAKING DECLARATION)

(SIGNATURE)

PROOF OF SERVICE

I, Stefanie D. Hedlund, declare as follows:

I am a resident of the State of California and over the age of eighteen years, and not a party to the within action; my business address is Best Best & Krieger LLP, 5 Park Plaza, Suite 1500, Irvine, California 92614. On February 23, 2010, I served the within document(s):

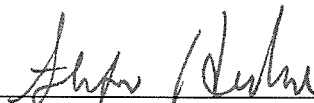
REQUEST FOR DISMISSAL

- ☒ by posting the document(s) listed above to the Santa Clara County Superior Court website in regard to the Antelope Valley Groundwater matte proceeding as JCCP 4408.
- ☐ by placing the document(s) listed above in a sealed envelope with postage thereon fully prepaid, in the United States mail at Irvine, California addressed as set forth below.
- ☐ by causing personal delivery by ASAP Corporate Services of the document(s) listed above to the person(s) at the address(es) set forth below.
- ☐ by personally delivering the document(s) listed above to the person(s) at the address(es) set forth below.
- ☐ I caused such envelope to be delivered via overnight delivery addressed as indicated on the attached service list. Such envelope was deposited for delivery by Federal Express following the firm's ordinary business practices.

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Executed on February 23, 2010, at Sacramento, California.



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(6) ☐ Other (specify):

* **AS TO LUIS MARTINEZ (named as Roe 1513) ONLY**

2. (Complete in all cases except family law cases.)

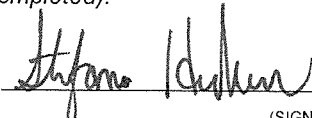
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▶ _____ (SIGNATURE)

Attorney or party without attorney for:

☐ Plaintiff/Petitioner

☐ Defendant/Respondent

☐ Cross-Complainant

(To be completed by clerk)

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5. ☐ Dismissal entered on (date):

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Date:

Clerk, by _____, Deputy

PLAINTIFF/PETITIONER: Los Angeles County Waterworks District No. 40, et al.	CASE NUMBER: JCCP 4408
DEFENDANT/RESPONDENT: Diamond Farming Company, et al.	

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

Date: _____



(TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF ☐ ATTORNEY ☐ PARTY MAKING DECLARATION)

(SIGNATURE)

PROOF OF SERVICE

I, Stefanie D. Hedlund, declare as follows:

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REQUEST FOR DISMISSAL



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by placing the document(s) listed above in a sealed envelope with postage thereon fully prepaid, in the United States mail at Irvine, California addressed as set forth below.



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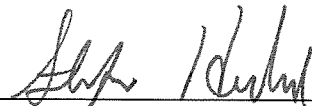


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STREET ADDRESS: 111 N. Hill

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CITY AND ZIP CODE: Los Angeles, CA 90012

BRANCH NAME: Central District

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DEFENDANT/RESPONDENT: Diamond Farming Company, et al.

REQUEST FOR DISMISSAL

- ☐ Personal Injury, Property Damage, or Wrongful Death
☐ Motor Vehicle ☐ Other
☐ Family Law ☐ Eminent Domain
☒ Other (specify): Declaratory Relief and Injunctive Relief of Water Rights

CASE NUMBER:
JCCP 4408

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1. TO THE CLERK: Please **dismiss** this action as follows:a. (1) ☐ With prejudice (2) ☒ Without prejudiceb. (1) ☐ Complaint (2) ☐ Petition(3) ☒ Cross-complaint filed by (name): Los Angeles Co. Waterworks, et al.*

on (date): August 21, 2008

(4) ☐ Cross-complaint filed by (name):

on (date):

(5) ☐ Entire action of all parties and all causes of action(6) ☐ Other (specify):

* AS TO ROBERT BURRISTON (named as Roe 811) ONLY

2. (Complete in all cases except family law cases.)

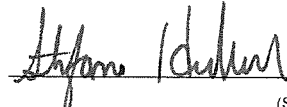
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► 
 (SIGNATURE)

Attorney or party without attorney for:

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3. TO THE CLERK: Consent to the above dismissal is hereby given.**

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► _____
 (SIGNATURE)

Attorney or party without attorney for:

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☐ Cross-Complainant

(To be completed by clerk)

4. ☐ Dismissal entered as requested on (date):5. ☐ Dismissal entered on (date):

as to only (name):

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Date:

Clerk, by _____, Deputy

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(SIGNATURE)

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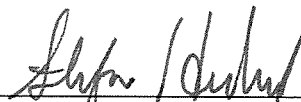


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*** AS TO SHARIE SHUTE (named as Roe 1923) ONLY**

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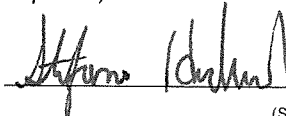
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*** AS TO FREDERICK COLER (named as Roe 917) ONLY**

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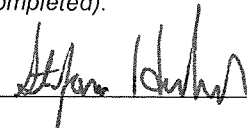
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Date: February 23, 2010

Stefanie D. Hedlund

(TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF ☒ ATTORNEY ☐ PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY)

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► 

(SIGNATURE)

Attorney or party without attorney for:

☐ Plaintiff/Petitioner

☐ Defendant/Respondent

☒ Cross-Complainant

3. TO THE CLERK: Consent to the above dismissal is hereby given.**

Date:

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(SIGNATURE)

Attorney or party without attorney for:

☐ Plaintiff/Petitioner

☐ Defendant/Respondent

☐ Cross-Complainant

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4. ☐ Dismissal entered as requested on (date):

5. ☐ Dismissal entered on (date):

as to only (name):

6. ☐ Dismissal **not** entered as requested for the following reasons (specify):

7. a. ☐ Attorney or party without attorney notified on (date):

b. ☐ Attorney or party without attorney not notified. Filing party failed to provide

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Date:

Clerk, by _____, Deputy

PLAINTIFF/PETITIONER: Los Angeles County Waterworks District No. 40, et al.
 DEFENDANT/RESPONDENT: Diamond Farming Company, et al.

CASE NUMBER:
 JCCP 4408

Declaration Concerning Waived Court Fees

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3. ☐ All court fees and costs that were waived in this action have been paid to the court *(check one)*: ☐ Yes ☐ No

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

Date: _____



 (TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF ☐ ATTORNEY ☐ PARTY MAKING DECLARATION)

 (SIGNATURE)

PROOF OF SERVICE

I, Stefanie D. Hedlund, declare as follows:

I am a resident of the State of California and over the age of eighteen years, and not a party to the within action; my business address is Best Best & Krieger LLP, 5 Park Plaza, Suite 1500, Irvine, California 92614. On February 23, 2010, I served the within document(s):

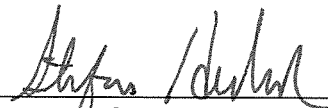
REQUEST FOR DISMISSAL

- ☒ by posting the document(s) listed above to the Santa Clara County Superior Court website in regard to the Antelope Valley Groundwater matte proceeding as JCCP 4408.
- ☐ by placing the document(s) listed above in a sealed envelope with postage thereon fully prepaid, in the United States mail at Irvine, California addressed as set forth below.
- ☐ by causing personal delivery by ASAP Corporate Services of the document(s) listed above to the person(s) at the address(es) set forth below.
- ☐ by personally delivering the document(s) listed above to the person(s) at the address(es) set forth below.
- ☐ I caused such envelope to be delivered via overnight delivery addressed as indicated on the attached service list. Such envelope was deposited for delivery by Federal Express following the firm's ordinary business practices.

I am readily familiar with the firm's practice of collection and processing correspondence for mailing. Under that practice it would be deposited with the U.S. Postal Service on that same day with postage thereon fully prepaid in the ordinary course of business. I am aware that on motion of the party served, service is presumed invalid if postal cancellation date or postage meter date is more than one day after date of deposit for mailing in affidavit.

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

Executed on February 23, 2010, at Sacramento, California.


Stefanie D. Hedlund

ATTORNEY OR PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY (Name, State Bar number, and address): Jeffrey V. Dunn, SBN 131926 Stefanie D. Hedlund, SBN 239787 BEST BEST & KRIEGER LLP 5 Park Plaza, Ste. 1500 Irvine, CA 92614 TELEPHONE NO.: (949) 263-2600 FAX NO. (Optional): (949) 260-0972 E-MAIL ADDRESS (Optional): ATTORNEY FOR (Name): L.A. County Waterworks District No. 40 and Rosamond CFD	FOR COURT USE ONLY
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES STREET ADDRESS: 111 N. Hill MAILING ADDRESS: 111 N. Hill CITY AND ZIP CODE: Los Angeles, CA 90012 BRANCH NAME: Central District	
PLAINTIFF/PETITIONER: Los Angeles County Waterworks District No. 40, et al. DEFENDANT/RESPONDENT: Diamond Farming Company, et al.	
REQUEST FOR DISMISSAL <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Injury, Property Damage, or Wrongful Death <input type="checkbox"/> Motor Vehicle <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Family Law <input type="checkbox"/> Eminent Domain <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) : Declaratory Relief and Injunctive Relief of Water Rights	CASE NUMBER: JCCP 4408
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1. TO THE CLERK: Please **dismiss** this action as follows:

a. (1) ☐ With prejudice (2) ☒ Without prejudice

b. (1) ☐ Complaint (2) ☐ Petition

(3) ☒ Cross-complaint filed by (name): Los Angeles Co. Waterworks, et al.*

on (date): August 21, 2008

(4) ☐ Cross-complaint filed by (name):

on (date):

(5) ☐ Entire action of all parties and all causes of action

(6) ☐ Other (specify):

* **AS TO HERNANI FERMIN (named as Roe 1064) ONLY**

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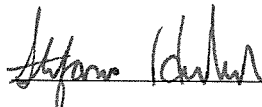
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Date: February 23, 2010

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(SIGNATURE)

Attorney or party without attorney for:

☐ Plaintiff/Petitioner

☐ Defendant/Respondent

☒ Cross-Complainant

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Date:

(TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF ☐ ATTORNEY ☐ PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY)

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(SIGNATURE)

Attorney or party without attorney for:

☐ Plaintiff/Petitioner

☐ Defendant/Respondent

☐ Cross-Complainant

(To be completed by clerk)

4. ☐ Dismissal entered as requested on (date):

5. ☐ Dismissal entered on (date):

as to only (name):

6. ☐ Dismissal **not entered** as requested for the following reasons (specify):

7. a. ☐ Attorney or party without attorney notified on (date):

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Date:

Clerk, by _____, Deputy

PLAINTIFF/PETITIONER: Los Angeles County Waterworks District No. 40, et al.	CASE NUMBER: JCCP 4408
DEFENDANT/RESPONDENT: Diamond Farming Company, et al.	

Declaration Concerning Waived Court Fees

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

Date: _____



(TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF ☐ ATTORNEY ☐ PARTY MAKING DECLARATION)

(SIGNATURE)

PROOF OF SERVICE

I, Stefanie D. Hedlund, declare as follows:

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REQUEST FOR DISMISSAL



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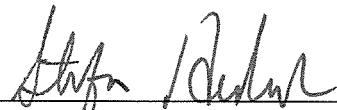


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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

STREET ADDRESS: 111 N. Hill

MAILING ADDRESS: 111 N. Hill

CITY AND ZIP CODE: Los Angeles, CA 90012

BRANCH NAME: Central District

PLAINTIFF/PETITIONER: Los Angeles County Waterworks District No. 40, et al.

DEFENDANT/RESPONDENT: Diamond Farming Company, et al.

REQUEST FOR DISMISSAL

- ☐ Personal Injury, Property Damage, or Wrongful Death
☐ Motor Vehicle ☐ Other
☐ Family Law ☐ Eminent Domain
☒ Other (specify): Declaratory Relief and Injunctive Relief of Water Rights

CASE NUMBER:
JCCP 4408

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1. TO THE CLERK: Please **dismiss** this action as follows:a. (1) ☐ With prejudice (2) ☒ Without prejudiceb. (1) ☐ Complaint (2) ☐ Petition(3) ☒ Cross-complaint filed by (name): Los Angeles Co. Waterworks, et al.*

on (date): August 21, 2008

(4) ☐ Cross-complaint filed by (name):

on (date):

(5) ☐ Entire action of all parties and all causes of action(6) ☐ Other (specify):

* AS TO JOCELYN FERMIN (named as Roe 1065) ONLY

2. (Complete in all cases except family law cases.)

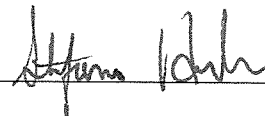
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(SIGNATURE)

Attorney or party without attorney for:

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Date:

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(SIGNATURE)

Attorney or party without attorney for:

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(To be completed by clerk)

4. ☐ Dismissal entered as requested on (date):5. ☐ Dismissal entered on (date):

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Date:

Clerk, by _____, Deputy

PLAINTIFF/PETITIONER: Los Angeles County Waterworks District No. 40, et al.	CASE NUMBER: JCCP 4408
DEFENDANT/RESPONDENT: Diamond Farming Company, et al.	

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

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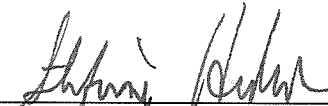


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DEFENDANT/RESPONDENT: Diamond Farming Company, et al.

REQUEST FOR DISMISSAL

☐ Personal Injury, Property Damage, or Wrongful Death☐ Motor Vehicle ☐ Other☐ Family Law ☐ Eminent Domain☒ Other (specify): Declaratory Relief and Injunctive Relief of Water RightsCASE NUMBER:
JCCP 4408

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1. TO THE CLERK: Please **dismiss** this action as follows:a. (1) ☐ With prejudice (2) ☒ Without prejudiceb. (1) ☐ Complaint (2) ☐ Petition(3) ☒ Cross-complaint filed by (name): Los Angeles Co. Waterworks, et al.*

on (date): August 21, 2008

(4) ☐ Cross-complaint filed by (name):

on (date):

(5) ☐ Entire action of all parties and all causes of action(6) ☐ Other (specify):* **AS TO HARDY CHEN (named as Roe 882) ONLY**

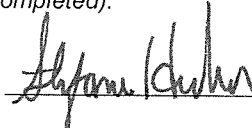
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(SIGNATURE)

Attorney or party without attorney for:

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Date:

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(SIGNATURE)

Attorney or party without attorney for:

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(To be completed by clerk)

4. ☐ Dismissal entered as requested on (date):5. ☐ Dismissal entered on (date):

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Date:

Clerk, by _____, Deputy

PLAINTIFF/PETITIONER: Los Angeles County Waterworks District No. 40, et al.	CASE NUMBER: JCCP 4408
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I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information above is true and correct.

Date: _____



(TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF ☐ ATTORNEY ☐ PARTY MAKING DECLARATION)

(SIGNATURE)

PROOF OF SERVICE

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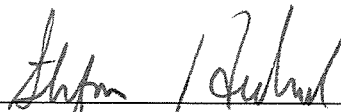
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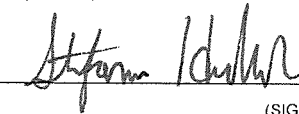
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5. ☐ Dismissal entered on (date):

as to only (name):

6. ☐ Dismissal **not entered** as requested for the following reasons (specify):

7. a. ☐ Attorney or party without attorney notified on (date):

b. ☐ Attorney or party without attorney not notified. Filing party failed to provide

☐ a copy to be conformed ☐ means to return conformed copy

Date:

Clerk, by _____, Deputy

PLAINTIFF/PETITIONER: Los Angeles County Waterworks District No. 40, et al.	CASE NUMBER:
DEFENDANT/RESPONDENT: Diamond Farming Company, et al.	JCCP 4408

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3. ☐ All court fees and costs that were waived in this action have been paid to the court *(check one)*: ☐ Yes ☐ No

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

Date: _____



(TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF ☐ ATTORNEY ☐ PARTY MAKING DECLARATION)

(SIGNATURE)

PROOF OF SERVICE

I, Stefanie D. Hedlund, declare as follows:

I am a resident of the State of California and over the age of eighteen years, and not a party to the within action; my business address is Best Best & Krieger LLP, 5 Park Plaza, Suite 1500, Irvine, California 92614. On February 23, 2010, I served the within document(s):

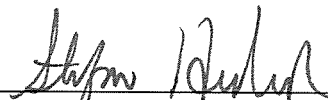
REQUEST FOR DISMISSAL

- ☒ by posting the document(s) listed above to the Santa Clara County Superior Court website in regard to the Antelope Valley Groundwater matte proceeding as JCCP 4408.
- ☐ by placing the document(s) listed above in a sealed envelope with postage thereon fully prepaid, in the United States mail at Irvine, California addressed as set forth below.
- ☐ by causing personal delivery by ASAP Corporate Services of the document(s) listed above to the person(s) at the address(es) set forth below.
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Executed on February 23, 2010, at Sacramento, California.



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PLAINTIFF/PETITIONER: Los Angeles County Waterworks District No. 40, et al. DEFENDANT/RESPONDENT: Diamond Farming Company, et al.	
REQUEST FOR DISMISSAL <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Injury, Property Damage, or Wrongful Death <input type="checkbox"/> Motor Vehicle <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Family Law <input type="checkbox"/> Eminent Domain <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) : Declaratory Relief and Injunctive Relief of Water Rights	CASE NUMBER: JCCP 4408
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1. TO THE CLERK: Please **dismiss** this action as follows:

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b. (1) ☐ Complaint (2) ☐ Petition

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on (date): August 21, 2008

(4) ☐ Cross-complaint filed by (name):

on (date):

(5) ☐ Entire action of all parties and all causes of action

(6) ☐ Other (specify):

*** AS TO THERESA SPENARD (named as Roe 1963) ONLY**

2. (Complete in all cases except family law cases.)

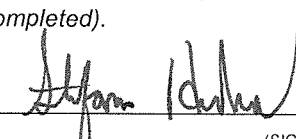
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Date: February 23, 2010

Stefanie D. Hedlund

(TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF ☒ ATTORNEY ☐ PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY)

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☐ Defendant/Respondent


☒ Cross-Complainant

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(SIGNATURE)

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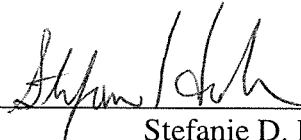


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on (date): August 21, 2008

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* **AS TO EDGAR PATENAUE (named as Roe 1729) ONLY**

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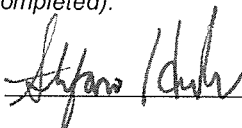
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(SIGNATURE)

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Date:

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Clerk, by _____, Deputy

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DEFENDANT/RESPONDENT: Diamond Farming Company, et al.	

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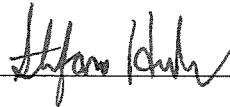
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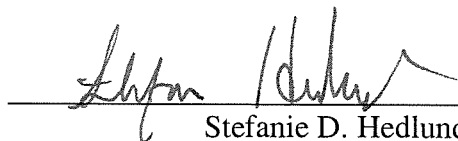
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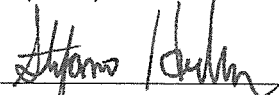
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REQUEST FOR DISMISSAL



by posting the document(s) listed above to the Santa Clara County Superior Court website in regard to the Antelope Valley Groundwater matte proceeding as JCCP 4408.



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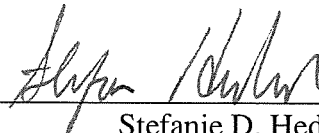


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Executed on February 23, 2010, at Sacramento, California.



Stefanie D. Hedlund

ATTORNEY OR PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY (Name, State Bar number, and address):

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CITY AND ZIP CODE: Los Angeles, CA 90012

BRANCH NAME: Central District

PLAINTIFF/PETITIONER: Los Angeles County Waterworks District No. 40, et al.

DEFENDANT/RESPONDENT: Diamond Farming Company, et al.

REQUEST FOR DISMISSAL

- ☐ Personal Injury, Property Damage, or Wrongful Death
☐ Motor Vehicle ☐ Other
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☒ Other (specify): Declaratory Relief and Injunctive Relief of Water Rights

CASE NUMBER:
JCCP 4408

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on (date): August 21, 2008

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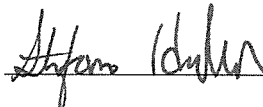
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Date: 2/23/10

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(TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF ☒ ATTORNEY ☐ PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY)

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(SIGNATURE)

Attorney or party without attorney for:

☐ Plaintiff/Petitioner☐ Defendant/Respondent☒ Cross-Complainant

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4. ☐ Dismissal entered as requested on (date):5. ☐ Dismissal entered on (date):

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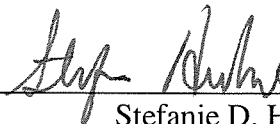
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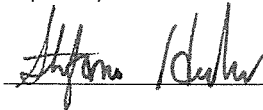
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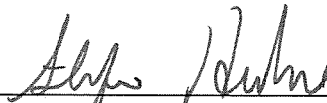
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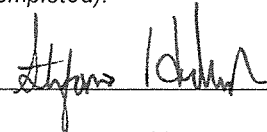
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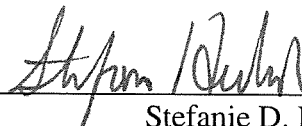
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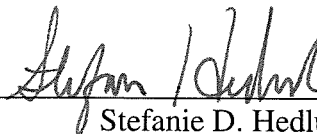


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PLAINTIFF/PETITIONER: Los Angeles County Waterworks District No. 40, et al. DEFENDANT/RESPONDENT: Diamond Farming Company, et al.	
REQUEST FOR DISMISSAL <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Injury, Property Damage, or Wrongful Death <input type="checkbox"/> Motor Vehicle <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Family Law <input type="checkbox"/> Eminent Domain <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) : Declaratory Relief and Injunctive Relief of Water Rights	CASE NUMBER: JCCP 4408
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1. TO THE CLERK: Please **dismiss** this action as follows:

a. (1) ☐ With prejudice (2) ☒ Without prejudice

b. (1) ☐ Complaint (2) ☐ Petition

(3) ☒ Cross-complaint filed by (name): Los Angeles Co. Waterworks, et al.*

on (date): August 21, 2008

(4) ☐ Cross-complaint filed by (name):

on (date):

(5) ☐ Entire action of all parties and all causes of action

(6) ☐ Other (specify):

*** AS TO RALPH ELLIS (named as Roe 1033) ONLY**

2. (Complete in all cases except family law cases.)

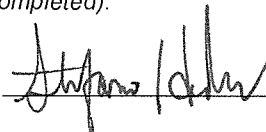
☐ Court fees and costs were waived for a party in this case. (This information may be obtained from the clerk. If this box is checked, the declaration on the back of this form must be completed).

Date: 2/23/10

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(SIGNATURE)

Attorney or party without attorney for:

☐ Plaintiff/Petitioner

☐ Defendant/Respondent

☒ Cross-Complainant

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Date:

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(SIGNATURE)

Attorney or party without attorney for:

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☐ Defendant/Respondent

☐ Cross-Complainant

(To be completed by clerk)

4. ☐ Dismissal entered as requested on (date):

5. ☐ Dismissal entered on (date):

as to only (name):

6. ☐ Dismissal **not entered** as requested for the following reasons (specify):

7. a. ☐ Attorney or party without attorney notified on (date):

b. ☐ Attorney or party without attorney not notified. Filing party failed to provide

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Date:

Clerk, by _____, Deputy

PLAINTIFF/PETITIONER: Los Angeles County Waterworks District No. 40, et al.	CASE NUMBER: JCCP 4408
DEFENDANT/RESPONDENT: Diamond Farming Company, et al.	

Declaration Concerning Waived Court Fees

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3. ☐ All court fees and costs that were waived in this action have been paid to the court *(check one)*: ☐ Yes ☐ No

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

Date: _____



(TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF ☐ ATTORNEY ☐ PARTY MAKING DECLARATION)

(SIGNATURE)

PROOF OF SERVICE

I, Stefanie D. Hedlund, declare as follows:

I am a resident of the State of California and over the age of eighteen years, and not a party to the within action; my business address is Best Best & Krieger LLP, 5 Park Plaza, Suite 1500, Irvine, California 92614. On February 23, 2010, I served the within document(s):


REQUEST FOR DISMISSAL

- ☒ by posting the document(s) listed above to the Santa Clara County Superior Court website in regard to the Antelope Valley Groundwater matte proceeding as JCCP 4408.
- ☐ by placing the document(s) listed above in a sealed envelope with postage thereon fully prepaid, in the United States mail at Irvine, California addressed as set forth below.
- ☐ by causing personal delivery by ASAP Corporate Services of the document(s) listed above to the person(s) at the address(es) set forth below.
- ☐ by personally delivering the document(s) listed above to the person(s) at the address(es) set forth below.
- ☐ I caused such envelope to be delivered via overnight delivery addressed as indicated on the attached service list. Such envelope was deposited for delivery by Federal Express following the firm's ordinary business practices.

I am readily familiar with the firm's practice of collection and processing correspondence for mailing. Under that practice it would be deposited with the U.S. Postal Service on that same day with postage thereon fully prepaid in the ordinary course of business. I am aware that on motion of the party served, service is presumed invalid if postal cancellation date or postage meter date is more than one day after date of deposit for mailing in affidavit.

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*** AS TO GUS THOMAS (named as Roe 2029) ONLY**

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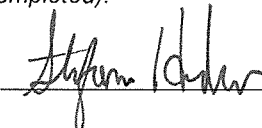
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(To be completed by clerk)

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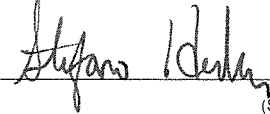
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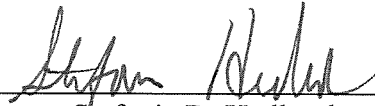


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