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15 COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES – CENTRAL DISTRICT
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17 **ANTELOPE VALLEY**
18 **GROUNDWATER CASES**

19 Included Actions:
20 Los Angeles County Waterworks District
No. 40 v. Diamond Farming Co., Superior
21 Court of California, County of Los
Angeles, Case No. BC 325201;

22 Los Angeles County Waterworks District
No. 40 v. Diamond Farming Co., Superior
23 Court of California, County of Kern, Case
No. S-1500-CV-254-348;

24 Wm. Bolthouse Farms, Inc. v. City of
25 Lancaster, Diamond Farming Co. v. City of
Lancaster, Diamond Farming Co. v.
26 Palmdale Water Dist., Superior Court of
California, County of Riverside, Case Nos.
27 RIC 353 840, RIC 344 436, RIC 344 668
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Judicial Council Coordination No. 4408

CLASS ACTION

Santa Clara Case No. 1-05-CV-049053
Assigned to The Honorable Jack Komar

**LOS ANGELES COUNTY
WATERWORKS DISTRICT NO. 40'S
AMENDED CASE MANAGEMENT
STATEMENT**

DATE: November 18, 2010

TIME: 9:00 a.m.

Dept.: 1

1 AMENDED CASE MANAGEMENT STATEMENT

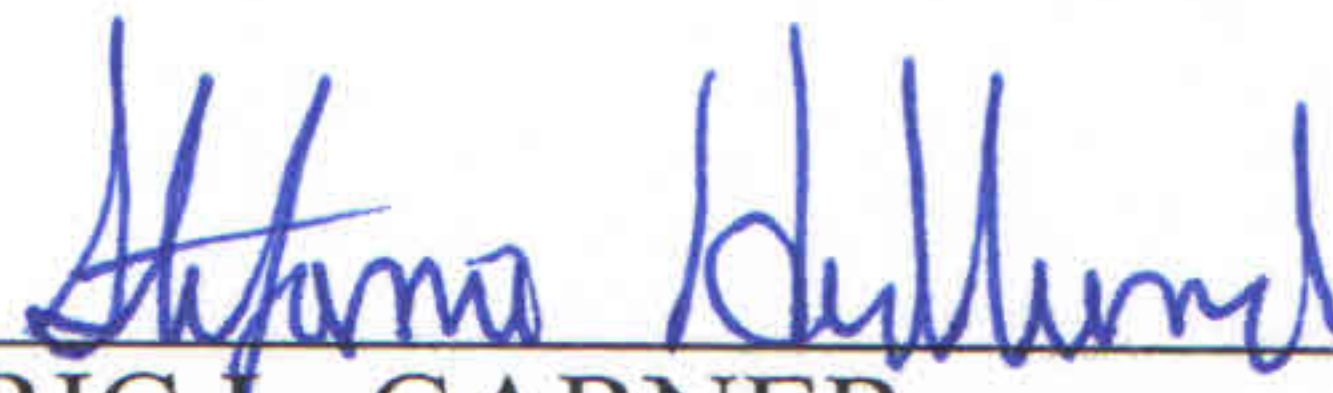
2 This Amended Case Management Statement is provided pursuant to the Court's request
3 and is an update on the status of the Phase 3 trial and settlement efforts.

4 Twelve expert depositions have been taken. About seven expert depositions remain,
5 including some now being scheduled. Some depositions have been continued because the experts
6 had not completed their work. Furthermore, some parties have indicated they may de-designate
7 experts based on the Court's upcoming case management order. The case should go to trial as
8 scheduled.

9 Justice Robie ordered four lawyers representing the "Waldo Group" to meet and confer
10 with the Public Water Suppliers. There have been settlement discussions between the Public
11 Water Suppliers and members of the Waldo Group. The Waldo Group, which may include fewer
12 parties than previously represented to the court, seems to be working against the Robie settlement
13 process.

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15 Dated: November 16, 2010

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PROOF OF SERVICE

I, Stefanie D. Hedlund, declare:

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, 400 Capitol Mall, Suite 1650, Sacramento, California 95814. On November 16, 2010, I served the within document(s):

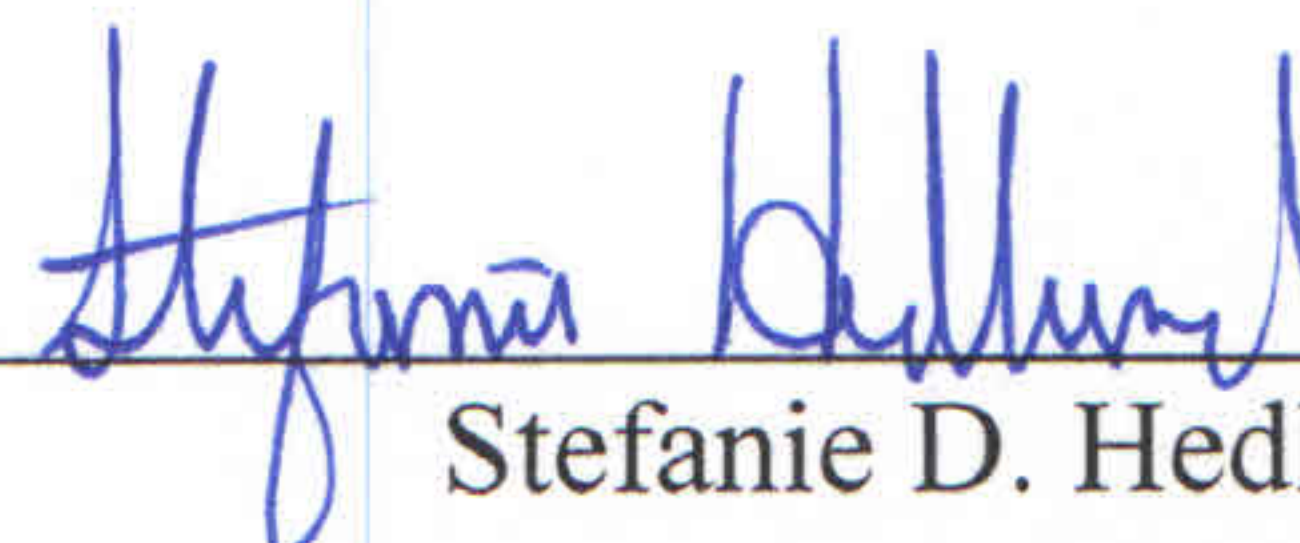
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- ☒ by posting the document(s) listed above to the Santa Clara County Superior Court website in regard to the Antelope Valley Groundwater matter.
- ☐ by placing the document(s) listed above in a sealed envelope with postage thereon fully prepaid, in 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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- ☐ 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 November 16, 2010, at Truckee, California.



Stefanie D. Hedlund