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PLAINTIFF'S EXHIBIT 1 - EXHIBIT FOR I.D.

ANGELA OLVERA, CSR NO. 7265

DATE: MARCH 4, 2002

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9	IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA					
10	IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE					
11	* * * DIAMOND FARMING COMPANY, a) Case No. RIC 353840					
12	California corporation, and) WM. BOLTHOUSE FARMS, INC., a)					
13	MM. BOLIHOUSE FARMS, INC., a) Michigan corporation) NOTICE OF TAKING) DEPOSITION OF PERSON(S)					
14	Plaintiffs,) MOST KNOWELEDGEABLE OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY					
15	vs.) WATER WORKS DIST. 37) WITH REQUEST FOR					
16	CITY OF LANCASTER, ANTELOPE VALLEY) PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS					
17	WATER COMPANY, PALMDALE WATER DISTRICT, PALM RANCH IRRIGATION DISTRICT, QUARTZ HILL WATER DISTRICT, ROSAMOND COMMUNITY SERVICE DISTRICT, MOJAVE PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT, DOES 1 THROUGH)					
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20	200, INCLUSIVE, AND ALL PERSONS) UNKNOWN, CLAIMING ANY LEGAL OR)					
21	EQUITABLE RIGHT, TITLE, ESTATE,) LIEN, OR INTEREST IN THE PROPERTY)					
22	DESCRIBED IN THE COMPLAINT ADVERSE) TO PLAINTIFF'S TITLE, OR, ANY					
23	CLOUD UPON PLAINTIFF'S TITLE) THERETO,)					
24	Defendants.					
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Notice of Taking Deposition of Person(s) Most Knowledgeable at Los Angeles
County Water Works Dist. 37 With Request for Production of Documents

TO ALL PARTIES AND THEIR ATTORNEYS OF RECORD:

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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to California Code of Civ. Proc. § 2025(d)(6), plaintiff, W. M. BOLTHOUSE FARMS, INC. ("BOLTHOUSE"), a Michigan corporation, will take the deposition of Los Angeles County Water Works Dist. 37 at 9:00 a.m. on March 4, 2002 at Park Plaza, 44916 10th Street West, Lancaster, California, 93534; (661) 948-0961 before a notary public or other person authorized to administer oaths.

If, for any reason, the taking of said deposition and production of said records is not completed on said date, the taking of said deposition and production of records will be continued from day to day, excepting Sundays and holidays until completed.

DEFINITIONS

PLAINTIFFS: Means and includes Plaintiff Wm. Bolthouse Farms, Inc. and Plaintiff Diamond Farming Company.

DEFENDANT: Means and includes the Los Angeles County Water Works Dist. 37.

ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER BASIN: Means and includes only for purposes of this discovery and without prejudice to ultimate determination of the basin boundaries, the geographic confines of the Antelope Valley Groundwater Basin as more particularly described on United States Geological Survey map accompanying Open-File Report no. 98-561.

KNOWLEDGE: Means and includes the common dictionary definition of "the fact or condition or being aware of something."

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20 continuously for five (5) years. 21 6. Whether DEFENDANT'S taking

of water underlying PLAINTIFFS' or its predecessors-in-interest's property caused injury to the specific property owned by PLAINTIFFS and/or their predecessors-in-interest.

7. All activities engaged in by DEFENDANT, predecessors-in-interest, constituting OPEN pumping of water from

- 2. The location of pumping stations from which DEFENDANT, and/or its predecessors-in-interest, has drawn groundwater from wells overlying the ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER BASIN.
- DEFENDANT, and/or its predecessors-in-interest's, pumping of water from any well overlying the ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER BASIN, including, but not limited to, the dates and amounts of pumping.
- Whether DEFENDANT obtained prescriptive rights groundwater in the ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER BASIN, including, but not limited to, the time period when OPEN, NOTORIOUS, HOSTILE, ADVERSE, and CONTINUOUS taking under CLAIM OF RIGHT occurred, when such taking continued uninterrupted for five (5) years, and the point at which DEFENDANT contends it perfected prescriptive rights to groundwater in the ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER BASIN.
- 5. Whether PLAINTIFFS and/or their predecessors-ininterest had KNOWLEDGE that DEFENDANT was taking water underlying PLAINTIFFS' or their predecessors-in-interest's property in an OPEN, NOTORIOUS, HOSTILE, or ADVERSE manner under CLAIM OF RIGHT

- 8. All activities engaged in by DEFENDANT, or its predecessors-in-interest, constituting NOTORIOUS pumping of water from wells within the ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER BASIN during all times when DEFENDANT, or its predecessors-in-interest, pumped water from wells within the ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER BASIN.
- 9. All activities engaged in by DEFENDANT, or its predecessors-in-interest, constituting HOSTILE pumping of water from wells within the ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER BASIN during all times when DEFENDANT, or its predecessors-in-interest, pumped water from wells within the ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER BASIN.
- 10. All activities engaged in by DEFENDANT, or its predecessors-in-interest, constituting ADVERSE pumping of water from wells within the ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER BASIN during all times when DEFENDANT, or its predecessors-in-interest, pumped water from wells within the ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER BASIN.
- 11. All activities engaged in by DEFENDANT, or its predecessors-in-interest, constituting pumping of water from wells within the ANTELOPE VALLEY WATER BASIN under CLAIM OF RIGHT during all times when DEFENDANT, or its predecessors-in-interest, pumped water from wells within the ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER BASIN.

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PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that PLAINTIFFS hereby demand that DEFENDANT produce, for inspection and deposition examination of plaintiff the following documents or things:

DOCUMENTS TO BE PRODUCED

- 1. All DOCUMENTS pertaining to the location of the basin boundaries of the ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER BASIN and all subbasins related thereto.
- 2. All DOCUMENTS pertaining to the location of pumping stations from which DEFENDANT, or its predecessors-in-interest, have drawn groundwater from wells within the ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER BASIN.
- 3. All DOCUMENTS pertaining to the volume of water pumped by DEFENDANT, or its predecessors-in-interest, from each pumping station overlying the ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER BASIN.
- KNOWLEDGE or 4. All DOCUMENTS pertaining to any overlying landowners, whether bv information provided to publication or otherwise, of pumping of groundwater from wells overlying the ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER BASIN by DEFENDANT, and/or its predecessors-in-interest.
- 5. All DOCUMENTS regarding DEFENDANT'S, or its predecessors-in-interests', pumping of water from any well within the ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER BASIN, including but not limited to, the dates and amounts of such pumping.
- 6. All DOCUMENTS regarding the factual basis for DEFEENDANT'S claim that it has obtained prescriptive rights to water from ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER BASIN, including but not

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- 7. All DOCUMENTS regarding DEFENDANT'S contention that it has obtained prescriptive rights to water underlying PLAINTIFFS' property, the dates and times when taking of water underlying PLAINTIFFS' property was OPEN, NOTORIOUS, HOSTILE, ADVERSE, CONTINUOUS, under CLAIM OF RIGHT for five (5) years, and when such usage was perfected as a prescriptive right.
- 8. All DOCUMENTS regarding DEFENDANT'S contention that DEFENDANT'S taking of water underlying PLAINTIFFS' or their predecessors-in-interest's property, caused injury to the specific property owned or occupied by PLAINTIFFS and/or their predecessors-in-interest.
- 9. All DOCUMENTS regarding the volume of water pumped by DEFENDANT, and/or its predecessors-in-interest, from each pumping station overlying the ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER BASIN.
- 10. All DOCUMENTS regarding the factual basis for DEFENDANT'S claim that it has obtained prescriptive rights to water in the ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER BASIN, including, but not limited to, the time period when OPEN, NOTORIOUS, HOSTILE, ADVERSE, and CONTINUOUS taking under CLAIM OF RIGHT occurred, once such time period continued uninterrupted for five (5) years,

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- 11. All DOCUMENTS showing all activities engaged in by DEFENDANT, or its predecessors-in-interest, with regard to OPEN pumping of water from wells within the ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER BASIN during all times when DEFENDANT, or its predecessors-in-interest, pumped water from wells within the ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER BASIN.
- 12. All DOCUMENTS showing all activities engaged in by DEFENDANT, or its predecessors-in-interest, with regard to NOTORIOUS pumping of water from wells within the ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER BASIN during all times when DEFENDANT, or its predecessors-in-interest, pumped water from wells within the ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER BASIN.
- 13. All DOCUMENTS showing all activities engaged in by DEFENDANT, or its predecessors-in-interest, with regard to HOSTILE pumping of water from wells within the ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER BASIN during all times when DEFENDANT, or its predecessors-in-interest, pumped water from wells within the ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER BASIN.
- 14. All DOCUMENTS showing all activities engaged in by DEFENDENT, or its predecessors-in-interest, with regard to ADVERSE pumping of water from wells within the ANTELEOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER BASIN during all times when DEFENDANT, or its

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15. All DOCUMENTS showing all activities engaged in by DEFENDANT, or its predecessors-in-interest, with regard to pumping of water from wells within the ANTELEOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER BASIN under CLAIM OF RIGHT during all times where DEFENDANT, or its predecessors-in-interest, pumped water from wells within the ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER BASIN.

The above-described documents and things are believed to be in the possession, custody or control of DEFENDANT, DEFENDANT'S attorneys or their investigators and are calculated to lead to admissible and relevant evidence. Original copies of documents and things previously identified in discovery shall be produced at deposition for examination and discussion with plaintiff during the deposition.

The deposition will be taken upon oral examination before a certified shorthand reporter with the intention to record the testimony by stenographic method. The deposition will continue from day to day thereafter, Sundays and holidays excepted, until completed.

DATED: February 22, 2002

CLIFFORD & BROWN

RICHARD G. ZIMMER, ESO. Attorneys for Plaintiff,

W. M. BOLTHOUSE FARMS, INC.

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PROOF OF SERVICE

STATE OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF KERN:

I am a resident of the County aforesaid; I am over the age of eighteen years and not a party to the within entitled action; my business address is 1430 Truxtun Avenue, Suite 900, Bakersfield, California 93301.

On February 22, 2002, I served the within NOTICE OF TAKING DEPOSITION OF PERSON(S) MOST KNOWLEDGEABLE OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY WATER WORKS DIST. 37 WITH REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS on the interested parties in said action, as listed below:

*****SEE ATTACHED SERVICE LIST

- (___) VIA OVERNIGHT DELIVERY on the date below stated, pursuant to CCP \$1013(c)(d), I deposited such envelope with delivery fees fully prepaid with _____.
- (XX) BY MAIL I am readily familiar with the business' practice for collection and processing of correspondence and documents for mailing with the United States Postal Service. Under that practice, the correspondence and documents would be deposited with the United States Postal Service that same day, with postage thereon fully prepaid, in the ordinary course of business at Bakersfield, California.
- (__) BY PERSONAL SERVICE I caused such envelope to be delivered by hand to the offices of the addressee.

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

Executed on February 22, 2002, at Bakersfield, California.

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