EXHIBIT A

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF	
LOS ANGELES	
SHORT TITLE OF CASE: ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER	CASES
FORM INTERROGATORIES—GENERAL Asking Party: DIAMOND FARMING COMPANY	CASE NUMBER: Judicial Council Coordination No. 4408
Answering Party: EACH PUBLIC WATER SUPPLIER LISTED ON EXHIBIT 1 Set No.: ONE	1-05-CV-049053
Sec. 1. Instructions to All Parties (c) Each answer	must be as complete and straightforward

- (a) Interrogatories are written questions prepared by a party to an action that are sent to any other party in the action to be answered under oath. The interrogatories below are form interrogatories approved for use in civil cases.
- (b) For time limitations, requirements for service on other parties, and other details, see Code of Civil Procedure sections 2030.010-2030.410 and the cases construing those
- (c) These form interrogatories do not change existing law relating to interrogatories nor do they affect an answering party's right to assert any privilege or make any objection.

Sec. 2. Instructions to the Asking Party

- (a) These interrogatories are designed for optional use by parties in unlimited civil cases where the amount demanded exceeds \$25,000. Separate interrogatories, Form Interrogatories—Limited Civil Cases (Economic Litigation) (form DISC-004), which have no subparts, are designed for use in limited civil cases where the amount demanded is \$25,000 or less; however, those interrogatories may also be used in unlimited civil cases.
- (b) Check the box next to each interrogatory that you want the answering party to answer. Use care in choosing those interrogatories that are applicable to the case.
- (c) You may insert your own definition of INCIDENT in Section 4, but only where the action arises from a course of conduct or a series of events occurring over a period of time.
- (d) The interrogatories in section 16.0, Defendant's Contentions-Personal Injury, should not be used until the defendant has had a reasonable opportunity to conduct an investigation or discovery of plaintiff's injuries and damages.
- (e) Additional interrogatories may be attached.

Sec. 3. Instructions to the Answering Party

- (a) An answer or other appropriate response must be given to each interrogatory checked by the asking party.
- (b) As a general rule, within 30 days after you are served with these interrogatories, you must serve your responses on the asking party and serve copies of your responses on all other parties to the action who have appeared. See Code of Civil Procedure sections 2030.260-2030.270 for details.

- as the information reasonably available to you, including the information possessed by your attorneys or agents, permits. If an interrogatory cannot be answered completely, answer it to the extent possible.
- (d) If you do not have enough personal knowledge to fully answer an interrogatory, say so, but make a reasonable and good faith effort to get the information by asking other persons or organizations, unless the information is equally available to the asking party.
- (e) Whenever an interrogatory may be answered by referring to a document, the document may be attached as an exhibit to the response and referred to in the response. If the document has more than one page, refer to the page and section where the answer to the interrogatory can be found.
- (f) Whenever an address and telephone number for the same person are requested in more than one interrogatory, you are required to furnish them in answering only the first interrogatory asking for that information.
- (g) If you are asserting a privilege or making an objection to

an interrogatory, you must state the objection in your	t specifically assert the privilege or written response.
(h) Your answers to thes dated, and signed. You mathe end of your answers:	e interrogatories must be verified, ay wish to use the following form at
	of perjury under the laws of the State foregoing answers are true and
(DATE)	(SIGNATURE)
Sec. 4. Definitions	
Words in BOLDFACE are defined as follows:	CAPITALS in these interrogatories
(a) (Check one of the t	following):
events surround	includes the circumstances and ding the alleged accident, injury, or se or breach of contract giving rise to occeding.
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(2) INCIDENT means (insert your definition here or on a separate, attached sheet labeled "Sec.	1.0 Identity of Persons Answering These Interrogatories
4(a)(2)"):	X 1.1 State the name, ADDRESS, telephone number, and relationship to you of each PERSON who prepared o assisted in the preparation of the responses to these interrogatories. (Do not identify anyone who simply typed of reproduced the responses.)
	2.0 General Background Information—individual
(b) YOU OR ANYONE ACTING ON YOUR BEHALF includes you, your agents, your employees, your insurance companies, their agents, their employees, your attorneys, your accountants, your investigators, and anyone else acting on your behalf.	2.1 State:(a) your name;(b) every name you have used in the past; and(c) the dates you used each name.
(c) PERSON includes a natural person, firm, association, organization, partnership, business, trust, limited liability company, corporation, or public entity.	2.2 State the date and place of your birth.2.3 At the time of the INCIDENT, did you have a driver's
(d) DOCUMENT means a writing, as defined in Evidence Code section 250, and includes the original or a copy of handwriting, typewriting, printing, photostats, photographs, electronically stored information, and every other means of recording upon any tangible thing and form of communicating or representation, including letters, words, pictures, sounds, or symbols, or combinations of them.	license? If so state: (a) the state or other issuing entity; (b) the license number and type; (c) the date of issuance; and (d) all restrictions. 2.4 At the time of the INCIDENT, did you have any other permit or license for the operation of a motor vehicle? If so, state:
(e) HEALTH CARE PROVIDER includes any PERSON referred to in Code of Civil Procedure section 667.7(e)(3).	(a) the state or other issuing entity;(b) the license number and type;
(f) ADDRESS means the street address, including the city, state, and zip code.	(c) the date of issuance; and (d) all restrictions.
Sec. 5. Interrogatories	2.5 State:
The following interrogatories have been approved by the Judicial Council under Code of Civil Procedure section 2033.710:	(a) your present residence ADDRESS;(b) your residence ADDRESSES for the past five years; and(c) the dates you lived at each ADDRESS.
CONTENTS	2.6 States
1.0 Identity of Persons Answering These Interrogatories 2.0 General Background Information—Individual 3.0 General Background Information—Business Entity 4.0 Insurance 5.0 [Reserved] 6.0 Physical, Mental, or Emotional Injuries 7.0 Property Damage	 2.6 State: (a) the name, ADDRESS, and telephone number of your present employer or place of self-employment; and (b) the name, ADDRESS, dates of employment, job title, and nature of work for each employer or self-employment you have had from five years before the INCIDENT until today.
8.0 Loss of Income or Earning Capacity 9.0 Other Damages 10.0 Medical History 11.0 Other Claims and Previous Claims 12.0 Investigation—General 13.0 Investigation—Surveillance 14.0 Statutory or Regulatory Violations 15.0 Denials and Special or Affirmative Defenses 16.0 Defendant's Contentions Personal Injury 17.0 Responses to Request for Admissions 18.0 [Reserved] 19.0 [Reserved]	2.7 State: (a) the name and ADDRESS of each school or other academic or vocational institution you have attended, beginning with high school; (b) the dates you attended; (c) the highest grade level you have completed; and (d) the degrees received. 2.8 Have you ever been convicted of a felony? If so, for each conviction state: (a) the city and state where you were convicted; (b) the date of conviction;
20.0 How the Incident Occurred—Motor Vehicle 25.0 [Reserved] 30.0 [Reserved] 40.0 [Reserved] 50.0 Contract	(c) the offense; and (d) the court and case number. 2.9 Can you speak English with ease? If not, what language and dialect do you normally use?
60.0 [Reserved] 70.0 Unlawful Detainer [See separate form Fl-128] 101.0 Economic Litigation [See separate form Fl-129] 200.0 Employment Law [See separate form Fl-130] Family Law [See separate form 1292.10]	2.10 Can you read and write English with ease? If not, what language and dialect do you normally use?

9.0	Other Damages		(c)	the court, names of the parties, and case number of any
	9.1 Are there any other damages that you attribute to the INCIDENT? If so, for each item of damage state:		(d)	action filed; the name, ADDRESS, and telephone number of any attorney representing you;
	(a) the nature; (b) the date it occurred;		(e)	whether the claim or action has been resolved or is
	(c) the amount; and(d) the name, ADDRESS, and telephone number of each		(f)	pending; and a description of the injury.
	PERSON to whom an obligation was incurred.			2 In the past 10 years have you made a written claim or
П	0.2 Do one DOCHMENTS arrest the suithern or arrest		den	nand for workers' compensation benefits? If so, for each
	9.2 Do any DOCUMENTS support the existence or amount of any item of damages claimed in interrogatory 9.1? If so,			m or demand state: the date, time, and place of the INCIDENT giving rise to
	describe each document and state the name, ADDRESS, and telephone number of the PERSON who has each			the claim; the name, ADDRESS, and telephone number of your
	DOCUMENT.			employer at the time of the injury; the name, ADDRESS, and telephone number of the
10.0	Medical History			workers' compensation insurer and the claim number; the period of time during which you received workers'
	10.1 At any time before the INCIDENT did you have com- plaints or injuries that involved the same part of your body			compensation benefits; a description of the injury;
	claimed to have been injured in the INCIDENT? If so, for each state:		(f)	the name, ADDRESS, and telephone number of any HEALTH CARE PROVIDER who provided services; and
	(a) a description of the complaint or injury;		(g)	the case number at the Workers' Compensation Appeals
	(b) the dates it began and ended; and(c) the name, ADDRESS, and telephone number of each			Board.
	HEALTH CARE PROVIDER whom you consulted or who examined or treated you.	12.0		restigation—General
	onalimou of doubte you.	Ш		State the name, ADDRESS, and telephone number of h individual:
Ш	10.2 List all physical, mental, and emotional disabilities you had immediately before the INCIDENT. (You may omit			who witnessed the INCIDENT or the events occurring immediately before or after the INCIDENT;
	mental or emotional disabilities unless you attribute any mental or emotional injury to the INCIDENT.)		(b)	who made any statement at the scene of the INCIDENT;
			4700000000	who heard any statements made about the INCIDENT by any individual at the scene; and
	10.3 At any time after the INCIDENT, did you sustain injuries of the kind for which you are now claiming damages? If so, for each incident giving rise to an injury state:			who YOU OR ANYONE ACTING ON YOUR BEHALF claim has knowledge of the INCIDENT (except for expert witnesses covered by Code of Civil Procedure section 2034).
	(a) the date and the place it occurred;		3	Section 2004).
	(b) the name, ADDRESS, and telephone number of any other PERSON involved;		12.2	Have YOU OR ANYONE ACTING ON YOUR HALF interviewed any individual concerning the
	(c) the nature of any injuries you sustained;			IDENT? If so, for each individual state:
	(d) the name, ADDRESS, and telephone number of each HEALTH CARE PROVIDER who you consulted or who			the name, ADDRESS, and telephone number of the individual interviewed;
	examined or treated you; and (e) the nature of the treatment and its duration.			the date of the interview; and the name, ADDRESS, and telephone number of the
11.0	Other Claims and Previous Claims			PERSON who conducted the interview.
	11.1 Except for this action, in the past 10 years have you	П	12.3	Have YOU OR ANYONE ACTING ON YOUR
	filed an action or made a written claim or demand for compensation for your personal injuries? If so, for each action, claim, or demand state:		BEH	HALF obtained a written or recorded statement from any vidual concerning the INCIDENT? If so, for each
	(a) the date, time, and place and location (closest street ADDRESS or intersection) of the INCIDENT giving rise to the action, claim, or demand;		(a)	ement state: the name, ADDRESS, and telephone number of the ndividual from whom the statement was obtained;
	(b) the name, ADDRESS, and telephone number of each PERSON against whom the claim or demand was made		i	the name, ADDRESS, and telephone number of the ndividual who obtained the statement; the date the statement was obtained; and
	or the action filed;		(d)	the name, ADDRESS, and telephone number of each PERSON who has the original statement or a copy.

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16.3 Do you contend that the injuries or the extent of the injuries claimed by plaintiff as disclosed in discovery proceedings thus far in this case were not caused by the INCIDENT? If so, for each injury:	16.8 Do you contend that any of the costs of repairing the property damage claimed by plaintiff in discovery proceedings thus far in this case were unreasonable? If so: (a) identify each cost item;
 (a) identify it; (b) state all facts upon which you base your contention; (c) state the names, ADDRESSES, and telephone numbers of all PERSONS who have knowledge of the facts; and (d) identify all DOCUMENTS and other tangible things that support your contention and state the name, ADDRESS, and telephone number of the PERSON who has each DOCUMENT or thing. 	 (b) state all facts upon which you base your contention; (c) state the names, ADDRESSES, and telephone numbers of all PERSONS who have knowledge of the facts; and (d) identify all DOCUMENTS and other tangible things that support your contention and state the name, ADDRESS, and telephone number of the PERSON who has each DOCUMENT or thing.
16.4 Do you contend that any of the services furnished by any HEALTH CARE PROVIDER claimed by plaintiff in discovery proceedings thus far in this case were not due to the INCIDENT? If so: (a) identify each service; (b) state all facts upon which you base your contention; (c) state the names, ADDRESSES, and telephone numbers of all PERSONS who have knowledge of the facts; and (d) identify all DOCUMENTS and other tangible things that support your contention and state the name, ADDRESS, and telephone number of the PERSON who has each	16.9 Do YOU OR ANYONE ACTING ON YOUR BEHALF have any DOCUMENT (for example, insurance bureau index reports) concerning claims for personal injuries made before or after the INCIDENT by a plaintiff in this case? If so, for each plaintiff state: (a) the source of each DOCUMENT; (b) the date each claim arose; (c) the nature of each claim; and (d) the name, ADDRESS, and telephone number of the PERSON who has each DOCUMENT.
DOCUMENT or thing. 16.5 Do you contend that any of the costs of services furnished by any HEALTH CARE PROVIDER claimed as damages by plaintiff in discovery proceedings thus far in this case were not necessary or unreasonable? If so: (a) identify each cost; (b) state all facts upon which you base your contention; (c) state the names, ADDRESSES, and telephone numbers of all PERSONS who have knowledge of the facts; and (d) identify all DOCUMENTS and other tangible things that support your contention and state the name, ADDRESS, and telephone number of the PERSON who has each DOCUMENT or thing.	have any DOCUMENT concerning the past or present physical, mental, or emotional condition of any plaintiff in this case from a HEALTH CARE PROVIDER not previously identified (except for expert witnesses covered by Code of Civil Procedure sections 2034.210–2034.310)? If so, for each plaintiff state: (a) the name, ADDRESS, and telephone number of each HEALTH CARE PROVIDER; (b) a description of each DOCUMENT; and (c) the name, ADDRESS, and telephone number of the PERSON who has each DOCUMENT.
16.6 Do you contend that any part of the loss of earnings or income claimed by plaintiff in discovery proceedings thus far in this case was unreasonable or was not caused by the INCIDENT? If so: (a) identify each part of the loss; (b) state all facts upon which you base your contention; (c) state the names, ADDRESSES, and telephone numbers of all PERSONS who have knowledge of the facts; and (d) identify all DOCUMENTS and other tangible things that support your contention and state the name, ADDRESS, and telephone number of the PERSON who has each	 X 17.1 Is your response to each request for admission served with these interrogatories an unqualified admission? If not, for each response that is not an unqualified admission: (a) state the number of the request; (b) state all facts upon which you base your response; (c) state the names, ADDRESSES, and telephone numbers of all PERSONS who have knowledge of those facts; and (d) identify all DOCUMENTS and other tangible things that support your response and state the name, ADDRESS, and telephone number of the PERSON who has each DOCUMENT or thing.
DOCUMENT or thing. 16.7 Do you contend that any of the property damage claimed by plaintiff in discovery Proceedings thus far in this case was not caused by the INCIDENT? If so: (a) identify each item of property damage; (b) state all facts upon which you base your contention; (c) state the names, ADDRESSES, and telephone numbers of all PERSONS who have knowledge of the facts; and (d) identify all DOCUMENTS and other tangible things that support your contention and state the name, ADDRESS, and telephone number of the PERSON who has each DOCUMENT or thing.	18.0 [Reserved] 19.0 [Reserved] 20.0 How the Incident Occurred—Motor Vehicle 20.1 State the date, time, and place of the INCIDENT (closest street ADDRESS or intersection). 20.2 For each vehicle involved in the INCIDENT, state: (a) the year, make, model, and license number; (b) the name, ADDRESS, and telephone number of the driver:

Exhibit 1 Responding Parties to Diamond Farming Company's Form Interrogatories [Set One]

California Water Service Company	
City of Lancaster	
City of Palmdale	
Littlerock Creek Irrigation District	
Los Angeles County Water Works District No. 40	
Palmdale Water District	
Rosamond Community Services District	
Palm Ranch Irrigation District	
Quartz Hill Water District	

PROOF OF SERVICE

1 ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER CASES 2 JUDICIAL COUNCIL PROCEEDING NO. 4408 CASE NO.: 1-05-CV-049053 3 4 I am a citizen of the United States and a resident of the county aforesaid; I am over the age 5 of eighteen years and not a party to the within action; my business address is: 5001 E. Commercenter Drive, Suite 300, Bakersfield, California 93309. On May 25, 2007, I served the within FORM 6 7 INTERROGATORIES [SET ONE] 8 (BY POSTING) I am "readily familiar" with the Court's Clarification Order. Electronic service and electronic posting completed through www.scefiling.org; All papers filed 9 in Los Angeles County Superior Court and copy sent to trial judge and Chair of Judicial Council. 10 Los Angeles County Superior Court Chair, Judicial Council of California 11 111 North Hill Street Administrative Office of the Courts Los Angeles, CA 90012 Attn: Appellate & Trial Court Judicial Services 12 Attn: Department 1 (Civil Case Coordinator) Carlotta Tillman (213) 893-1014 13 455 Golden Gate Avenue San Francisco, CA 94102-3688 14 Fax (415) 865-4315 15 (BY MAIL) 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. 16 Postal Service on that same day with postage thereon fully prepaid at Bakersfield, California, in 17 the ordinary course of business. 18 (OVERNIGHT/EXPRESS MAIL) By enclosing a true copy thereof in a sealed 19 envelope designated by United States Postal Service (Overnight Mail)/Federal Express/United Parcel Service ("UPS") addressed as shown on the above by placing said envelope(s) for ordinary 20 business practices from Kern County. I am readily familiar with this business' practice of collecting and processing correspondence for overnight/express/UPS mailing. On the same day 21 that the correspondence is placed for collection and mailing, it is deposited in the ordinary course 22 of business with the United States Postal Service/Federal Express/UPS in a sealed envelope with delivery fees paid/provided for at the facility regularly maintained by United States Postal Service 23 (Overnight Mail/Federal Express/United Postal Service [or by delivering the documents to an authorized courier or driver authorized by United States Postal Service (Overnight Mail)/Federal 24 Express/United Postal Service to receive documents]. 25 (STATE) I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of 26 California that the above is true and correct, and that the foregoing was executed on May 25, 27 2007, in Bakersfield, California. 28 DONNA M. LUIS