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12 **SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA**

13 **COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES**

14 Coordination Proceeding
15 Special Title (Rule 1550(b))

Judicial Council Coordination
Proceeding No. 4408

16 **ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER**
17 **CASES**

Santa Clara Case No. 1-05-CV-049053

18 **Included Actions:**

19 Los Angeles County Waterworks District
20 No. 40 v. Diamond Farming Co.
21 Superior Court of California, County of
22 Los Angeles, Case No. BC 325 201
23 Los Angeles County Waterworks District
24 No. 40 v. Diamond Farming Co.
25 Superior Court of California, County of Kern,
26 Case No. S-1500-CV-254-348
27 Wm. Bolthouse Farms, Inc. v. City of Lancaster
28 Diamond Farming Co. v. City of Lancaster
Diamond Farming Co. v. Palmdale Water Dist.
Superior Court of California, County of Riverside,
Consolidated Actions, Case Nos. RIC 353 840,
RIC 344 436, RIC 344 668

**DEFENDANT AND CROSS-DEFENDANT
SPC DEL SUR RANCH LLC'S
LODGMET OF CITED FEDERAL
AUTHORITIES IN SUPPORT OF ITS
OPPOSITION TO PUBLIC WATER
SUPPLIERS' MOTION FOR CLASS
CERTIFICATION
[CAL. RULES OF COURT, RULE
3.1113(j)]**

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AND RELATED CROSS-ACTIONS.

Defendant and Cross-Defendant SPC Del Sur Ranch LLC ("SPC") hereby lodges true and correct copies of the following federal authorities in support of its opposition to the class certification motion filed by Cross-Complainants California Water Service Company; City of Lancaster; City of Palmdale; Little Rock Creek Irrigation District; Los Angeles County

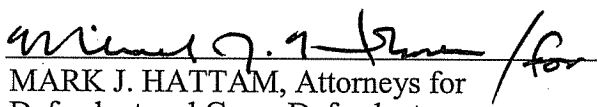
1 Waterworks District No. 40; Palmdale Water District; Rosamond Community Services District;
2 Palm Ranch Irrigation District; and Quartz Hill Water District (collectively, the "Public Water
3 Suppliers"):

4 Exhibit A: *In re Beer Distribution Anti-Trust Litigation*, 188 F.R.D. 549, 554
5 (N.D.Cal. 1998).

6 Exhibit B: *United States v. Truckee-Carson Irrigation District*, 71 F.R.D. 10 (D. Nev.
7 1975).

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9 Dated: February 26, 2007

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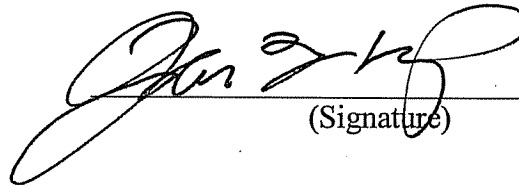
On February 26, 2007, I served on the designated recipients listed in the SCEFiling system the within:

➤ **DEFENDANT AND CROSS-DEFENDANT SPC DEL SUR RANCH LLC'S LODGMENT OF CITED FEDERAL AUTHORITIES IN SUPPORT OF ITS OPPOSITION TO PUBLIC WATER SUPPLIERS' MOTION FOR CLASS CERTIFICATION**

☒ (VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL) by posting the documents listed above to Santa Clara Superior Court website: www.scefiling.org regarding the Antelope Valley Groundwater matter.

Executed on February 26, 2007, at San Diego, California. I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the state of California that the above is true and correct.

John T. Kaup
(Type or print name)



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