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AV Solar Ranch 1, LLC, Southern California Edison Company, and

Defendant and Cross-Defendant LV Ritter Ranch LLC

10 **SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

11 **FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES**

13 ANTELOPE VALLEY
14 GROUNDWATER CASES,

15 Included Actions:

16 Los Angeles County Waterworks District

No. 40 v. Diamond Fanning Co.

Los Angeles County Superior Court

Case No. BC 325201

18 Los Angeles County Waterworks District

No. 40 v. Diamond Farming Co.

19 Kern County Superior Court

Case No. S-1500-CV -254-348

21 Wm. Bolthouse Farms, Inc. v. City of

Lancaster, Diamond Farming Co. v. City

of Lancaster, Diamond Fanning Co. v.

22 Palmdale Water Dist.

Riverside County Superior Court

23 Consolidated actions

Case Nos. RIC 353 840, RIC 344 436,

24 RIC 344 668

Judicial Council Coordination No. 4408

For filing purposes only:

Case No.: 1-05-CV-049053

LASC Case No. BC 325201

Assigned to the Honorable Jack Komar

**JOINDER IN AGWA'S NOTICE OF
MOTION AND MOTION FOR
PROTECTIVE ORDER**

Date: October 12, 2012

Time: 9:00 a.m.

Dept.: 1, Room 534

1 TO ALL PARTIES AND THEIR COUNSEL OF RECORD:

2 Please take notice that (1) Cross-Defendant Northrop Grumman Corporation, (2) Cross-
3 Defendants SGS Antelope Valley, LLC and Sempra Energy, (3) Cross-Defendants eSolar, Inc., Red
4 Dawn SunTower, LLC, Sierra SunTower, LLC and Gaskell SunTower, LLC, (4) Cross-Defendant
5 AV Solar Ranch 1, LLC, (5) Defendant and Cross-Defendant LV Ritter Ranch LLC, and (6) Cross-
6 Defendant Southern California Edison Company hereby join in the Notice of Motion and Motion for
7 Protective Order filed on September 19, 2012 by the Antelope Valley Ground Water Agreement
8 Association, or "AGWA."

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10 DATED: October 11, 2012

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PROOF OF SERVICE

I, Yolanda S. Ramos, declare:

I am employed in the County of Los Angeles, State of California. I am over the age of 18 and not a party to the within action. My business address is Alston & Bird LLP, 333 South Hope Street, Sixteenth Floor, Los Angeles, CA 90071.

On October 11, 2012, I served the document(s) described as **JOINDER IN AGWA'S NOTICE OF MOTION AND MOTION FOR PROTECTIVE ORDER** on the interested parties in this action by enclosing the document(s) in a sealed envelope addressed as follows:

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☐ BY FACSIMILE: I telecopied a copy of said document(s) to the following addressee(s) at the following number(s) in accordance with the written confirmation of counsel in this action.

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

☐ [Federal] I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on October 11, 2012, at Los Angeles, California.


YOLANDA S. RAMOS