

**PROOF OF SERVICE**

I, Linda C. Shumard, declare:

I am a resident of the State of Colorado and over the age of 18 years, and not a party to the within action. My business address is U.S. Department of Justice, Environmental and Natural Resources Section, 1961 Stout Street, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor, Denver, Colorado 80294.

On February 22, 2007, I caused the foregoing documents described as **EX PARTE APPLICATION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND TO MOTION FOR CLASS CERTIFICATION**, to be served on the parties via the following service::

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BY ELECTRONIC SERVICE AS FOLLOWS by posting the document(s) listed above to the Santa Clara website in regard to the Antelope Valley Groundwater matter.

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BY MAIL AS FOLLOWS (to parties so indicated on attached service list): By placing true copies thereof enclosed in sealed envelopes addressed as indicated on the attached service list.

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BY OVERNIGHT COURIER: I caused the above-referenced document(s) be delivered to FEDERAL EXPRESS for delivery to the above address(es).

Executed on February 22, 2007, at Denver, Colorado.

/ Linda C. Shumard  
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Linda C. Shumard  
Legal Support Assistant