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**SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES – CENTRAL DISTRICT**

Coordination Proceeding,
Special Title (Rule 1550(b))

**ANTELOPE VALLEY
GROUNDWATER CASES**

AND ALL RELATED ACTIONS.

Judicial Council Coordination
Proceeding No. 4408

LASC Case No.: BC 325201

Santa Clara Court Case No. 1-05-CV-049053
Assigned to the Hon. Jack Komar, Judge of the
Santa Clara Superior Court

**[SETTLING PARTIES' PROPOSED]
ORDER AFTER HEARING ON
WATERMASTER'S MOTION FOR
MONETARY, DECLARATORY AND
INJUNCTIVE RELIEF AGAINST
ZAMRZLAS**

**Date: March 4, 2022
Time: 9:00 a.m.
Place: By Courtcall**

On October 28, 2021, the Court held a hearing by Courtcall, the Honorable Jack Komar, judge presiding, on a motion by the Antelope Valley Watermaster (“**Watermaster**”) for monetary, declaratory and injunctive relief against Johnny Zamrzla and Pamela Zamrzla, individually and as Trustees of the Johnny and Pamela Zamrzla 1999 Family Trust created u/d/t dated April 30, 1999 (“**J&P**”), and John Lee Zamrzla and Jeanette Zamrzla (“**J&J**”, and collectively with J&P, the “**Zamrzlas**”) in the above captioned action (the “**Motion**”).

1 The matter was continued by the Court to allow the Watermaster and the Zamrzlas an
2 opportunity to resolve the dispute through stipulated settlement, and status conferences were
3 held on January 25, 2022, and February 18, 2022. To date, those enforcement proceedings and
4 related meet and confer efforts have occurred as between the Watermaster and the Zamrzlas,
5 and have failed to reach a stipulated resolution of the dispute. Appearances are as shown in
6 the Court record. Due cause being shown and having considered the objections, if any, the
7 Court finds and orders as follows:

8 1. J&P are identified on Exhibit C to the Judgment and Physical Solution
9 (“**Judgment**”) as known Small Pumper Class Members and therefore Parties as defined by
10 Paragraph 3.5.27 of the Judgment. J&P desire to contest their status as Small Pumper Class
11 Members.

12 2. An order to show cause (“**OSC**”) is hereby issued to J&P to demonstrate, by
13 supporting evidence and argument, why J&P’s classification as a Small Pumper Class Member
14 should not be confirmed (“**J&P Response to OSC**”) by the Court. By April 3, 2022, J&P shall
15 file with the Court the J&P Response to OSC.

16 3. J&J are not identified on Exhibit C to the Judgment as known Small Pumper
17 Class Members but consent to this Court’s jurisdiction without further need to intervene. J&J’s
18 status as potential Small Pumper Class Members or any other Party classification under the
19 Judgment, is not yet determined. J&J’s Party classification must be determined as a threshold
20 issue prior to determination of applicable Watermaster assessments.

21 4. By no later than April 3, 2022, J&J shall file a motion with the Court, with
22 supporting evidence and argument regarding their status under the Judgment. (“**J&J Motion**”).

23 5. The J&P Response to OSC and J&J Motion, as applicable, shall be subject to
24 opposition by other Parties to the Judgment. Within thirty (30) days after the filing of the J&P
25 Response to OSC and J&J Motion, as applicable, all Parties to the Judgment who intend to
26 object to such filings or otherwise participate in such proceedings shall file a Notice of Intent to
27 Object with the Court and thereafter meet and confer with J&J and/or J&P, as the case may be,
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1 in an effort to stipulate to the process, procedures and timelines for discovery, briefing,
2 evidentiary hearings and settlement conferences relative to any such proceedings.

3 6. In the event J&P fails to file the Response to OSC in accordance with Paragraph
4 2 above, J&P's status as Small Pumper Class Members shall be confirmed, and all assessments,
5 interest and fees demanded by the Watermaster in the Motion as to J&P shall be immediately
6 due and payable.

7 7. In the event J&J fails to file the J&J Motion in accordance with Paragraph 4
8 above, J&J shall be deemed a Small Pumper Class Member, and all assessments, interest and
9 fees demanded by the Watermaster in the Motion as to J&J shall be immediately due and
10 payable.

11 8. Should the Court find that the Zamrzlas' rights to produce groundwater from the
12 Basin have not previously been resolved by the Judgment, then the Court shall establish a
13 process to determine such rights, if any.

14 9. Once the status and rights of J&P and J&J are established under the Judgment,
15 all amounts due and owing the Watermaster for assessments, interest, penalties, and attorney's
16 fees, as appropriate, shall be immediately due and payable, and Watermaster may immediately
17 commence enforcement proceedings to collect such sums, including interest and attorneys' fees.

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20 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

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22 Dated: March ___, 2022

23 **HON. JACK KOMAR**
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