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14 **SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**
15 **FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES – CENTRAL DISTRICT**
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17 Coordination Proceeding
18 Special Title (Rule 1550(b))

19 **ANTELOPE VALLEY**
20 **GROUNDWATER CASES**

21 **Included Actions:**

22 Los Angeles County Waterworks District
23 No. 40 vs. Diamond Farming Company, a
24 corporation, Superior Court of California,
25 County of Los Angeles, Case No.
26 BC325201;

27 Los Angeles County Waterworks District
28 No. 40 vs. Diamond Farming Company, a
corporation., Superior Court of California,
County of Kern, Case No. S-1500-CV-254-
348;

Wm. Bolthouse Farms, Inc. vs. City of
Lancaster, Diamond Farming Company, a
corporation, vs. City of Lancaster, Diamond
Farming Company, a corporation vs.
Palmdale Water District, Superior Court of
California, County of Riverside, Case Nos.
RIC 353840, RIC 344436, RIC 344668.

Judicial Council Coordination Proceeding
No. 4408

Santa Clara Case No.
1-05-CV-049053
The Honorable Jack Komar, Dept.17

**ANTELOPE VALLEY-EAST KERN
WATER AGENCY'S TRIAL SETTING
CONFERENCE STATEMENT**

Date: April 17, 2012
Time: 9:00 a.m.
Room: 1515 (Los Angeles)


1 The Antelope Valley-East Kern Water Agency (AVEK) hereby submits its Trial Setting
2 Conference Statement for the hearing on April 17, 2012 in Department 1515 of the Los Angeles
3 County Superior Court:

4 Subject to the development of an acceptable physical solution by the parties, and approval
5 by principals or their elected representatives a settlement may be achieved in this case. Justice
6 Robie has established an April 30, 2012 meeting in Sacramento to begin the development of the
7 physical solution with his participation.

8 As the Court previously noted, an evidentiary hearing is needed to prove-up each party's
9 entitlement to the share of the native safe yield allocated to that party predicated upon that
10 party's pumping history, i.e., confirming that during the applicable time period each party has
11 pumped an amount equal to or greater than the amount to be allocated to that party. To that end,
12 the Court may consider appointing a Special Master to receive evidence and make findings
13 thereon, subject to final approval of the Court.

14 Dated: April 10, 2012

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16 By: 
17 WILLIAM J. BRUNICK
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19 ANTELOPE VALLEY-EAST KERN
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1 **PROOF OF SERVICE**

2 **STATE OF CALIFORNIA** }

3 **COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO** }

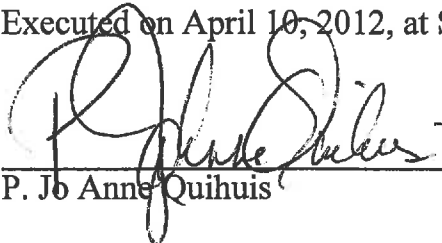
4 I am employed in the County of the San Bernardino, State of California. I am over
5 the age of 18 and not a party to the within action; my business address is 1839 Commercenter
West, San Bernardino, California.

6 On April 10, 2012, I served the foregoing document(s) described as: **ANTELOPE**
7 **VALLEY-EAST KERN WATER AGENCY'S TRIAL SETTING CONFERENCE**
STATEMENT on the interested parties in this action served in the following manner:

8 ■ **BY ELECTRONIC SERVICE AS FOLLOWS** by posting the document(s)
9 listed above to the Santa Clara website in the action of the *Antelope Valley Groundwater*
Litigation, Judicial Council Coordination Proceeding No. 4408, Santa Clara Case No.
10 1-05-CV-049053.

11 X (STATE) I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California
12 that the above is true and correct.

13 Executed on April 10, 2012, at San Bernardino, California.

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16 P. Jo Anne Quihuis

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