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**Via Email Only**

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**Re: California WaterFix – Pre-Hearing Conference Agenda Topics  
SJTA Comments**

Dear Co-Hearing Officers Dudoc and Marcus:

The San Joaquin Tributaries Authority (“SJTA”) has two procedural questions for the Pre-Hearing Conference currently scheduled for October 19, 2017, and one procedural question for the Petitioners:

1. What is the process by which Appropriate Delta Flow Criteria (“ADFC”) will be determined in Phase 2?
2. When, where, and how will the State Water Board determine and inform the Parties in Phase 2 that Phase 1 needs to be revisited?
3. Is the United States Bureau of Reclamation (“Reclamation”) continuing to participate in the project? If not, will Reclamation withdraw its Petition? If Reclamation withdraws, will the Department of Water Resources (“DWR”) file a new or amended Petition?

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

Tim O'Laughlin

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