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Via Electronic Mail

State Water Resources Control Board 1001 I Street Sacramento, CA 95814 PubRecReq@waterboards.ca.gov

Re: California Public Records Act Request

Dear Sir or Madam:

Pursuant to the California Public Records Act, Government Code section 6250 et seq., this letter on behalf of the County of Sacramento serves as a formal request upon the California State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) to furnish all public records prepared, received, owned, used, transmitted, or possessed (including, without limitation, those constructively possessed) by SWRCB which are responsive to the categories listed below. This request applies to all public records as defined in Government Code section 6252, subdivision (e), which includes any electronic mail and "writing," as defined in Government Code section 6252, subdivision (g).

In this request, "SWRCB" includes SWRCB itself, any and all persons acting on behalf of SWRCB, as well as SWRCB's officers, representatives, agents, employees, affiliates, consultants, and individual directors. The "Metropolitan Water District of Southern California" (MWD) includes MWD itself, any and all persons acting on behalf of MWD, as well as MWD's Board of Directors, officers, representatives, agents, employees, affiliates, consultants, and individual directors. The "Department of Water Resources" (DWR) includes DWR itself, any and all persons acting on behalf of DWR, as well as DWR officers, representatives, agents, employees, affiliates, consultants, and individual directors. The (SWC) includes the organization known as the SWC itself, any and all persons acting on behalf of the State Water Contractors, as well as the SWC's officers, representatives, agents, employees, affiliates, consultants, and individual directors. The (SWC) includes the organization known as the SWC's officers, representatives, agents, employees, affiliates, consultants, and individual directors. The "United Stated Bureau of Reclamation" (USBR) includes USBR itself, any and all persons acting on behalf of USBR, as well as USBR officers, representatives, agents, employees, affiliates, consultants, and individual directors. Additionally, the term "WaterFix Project" refers to the California WaterFix Project. California State Water Resources Control Board California Public Records Act Request January 23, 2018 Page 2

Please provide or otherwise make available for review copies of the following:

- All documents referencing or relating to (1) a single tunnel alternative for the WaterFix Project, or (2) separation of the two tunnels (and related facilities, such as intakes) proposed in the WaterFix Project into two distinct phases of construction and/or operation.
- 2. All documents referencing or relating to (1) the operation of a single tunnel alternative for the WaterFix Project; and (2) operation of the WaterFix Project, if the WaterFix Project is constructed in two or more distinct phases of construction and/or operation. "Operation" includes, but is not limited to, the amount and timing of diversions at both North and South Delta intakes and the amount of water delivered to State Water Project and/or Central Valley Project contractors, or any single contractor or combination of them.
- 3. All documents referencing or relating to the evaluation of environmental effects of (1) a single tunnel alternative for the WaterFix Project, or (2) separation of the two tunnels (and related facilities, such as intakes) proposed in the WaterFix Project into two distinct phases of construction and/or operation.
- 4. All documents referencing or relating to the cost of (1) a single tunnel alternative for the WaterFix Project, or (2) separation of the two tunnels proposed (and related facilities, such as intakes) in the WaterFix Project into two distinct phases of construction and/or operation, including costs associated with planning, design, investigation, environmental review, construction and operation.
- 5. All communications between SWRCB and MWD, during the period of January 1, 2016, to the present, referencing or relating to (1) consideration of a single tunnel alternative for the WaterFix Project, or (2) separation of the two tunnels (and related facilities, such as intakes) proposed in the WaterFix Project into two distinct phases of construction and/operation.
- 6. All communications between SWRCB and DWR, during the period of January 1, 2016, to the present, referencing or relating to (1) a single tunnel alternative for the WaterFix Project, or (2) separation of the two tunnels (and related facilities, such as intakes) proposed in the WaterFix Project into two distinct phases of construction and/or operation.
- All communications between SWRCB and SWC, during the period of January 1, 2016, to the present, referencing or relating to (1) a single tunnel alternative for the WaterFix Project, or (2) separation of the two tunnels (and related facilities, such as

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intakes) proposed in the WaterFix Project into two distinct phases of construction and/or operation.

8. All communications between SWRCB and USBR, during the period of January 1, 2016, to the present, referencing or relating to (1) a single tunnel alternative for the WaterFix Project, or (2) separation of the two tunnels (and related facilities, such as intakes) proposed in the WaterFix Project into two distinct phases of construction and/or operation.

Pursuant to Government Code section 6253.9, subdivision (a), I request any record that is available in electronic format to be provided in electronic format. If any computer programming services are necessary to export the data or files into the requested format, and SWRCB intends to charge for such costs pursuant to Government Code section 6253.9, subdivision (b), I hereby request to be advised of such costs immediately.

Please contact me within ten (10) business days of this request to let me know if SWRCB has any of the public records requested herein. Should you decide to withhold any of the requested records, please provide a written response in accordance with Government Code section 6255 that specifies the basis for withholding the records. I can be reached at (916) 469-3841 or via email at <u>ktaber@somachlaw.com</u>. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

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