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## Via Electronic Mail

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> Re: State Water Resources Control Board Hearing on Petition Requesting Changes in Water Rights of the Department of Water Resources and U.S. Bureau of Reclamation for the California Water Fix Project ("Hearing")

Dear Mr. Mizell and Ms. Aufdemberge:

The Sacramento County Water Agency ("SCWA") has filed a protest in the abovereferenced Hearing. The purpose of this letter is to request that you, as counsel to the California Department of Water Resources and the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation (collectively, "Petitioners"), work with Petitioners to produce hydrologic modeling on which Petitioners have relied in preparation of their testimony submitted to the State Water Resources Control Board on May 31, 2016 for the Hearing, and in preparation of the California Water Fix Draft EIR/EIS ("EIR/EIS"), and recirculated draft EIR/supplemental draft EIS ("RDEIR/SDEIS").

On behalf of SCWA, I respectfully request that the Petitioners produce to me, by August 15, 2016, the following analytical tools and information:

(1) All versions of the CVHM-D Modflow model the Petitioners used in preparation of the EIR/EIS, including all input and output files, and any GIS or shapefiles;

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- (2) All versions of the CVHM-D Modflow model the Petitioners used in preparation of the RDEIR/SDEIS, including all input and output files, and any GIS or shapefiles; and
- (3) All versions of the CVHM-D Modflow model the Petitioners used to develop their testimony for their case-in-chief for Part 1 A of the Hearing, including all input and output files, and any GIS or shapefiles.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this request.

Sincerely,

Aaron A. Ferguson

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cc: August 8, 2016 Service List CWFhearing@waterboards.ca.gov

## STATEMENT OF SERVICE

## CALIFORNIA WATERFIX PETITION HEARING Department of Water Resources and U.S. Bureau of Reclamation (Petitioners)

I hereby certify that I have this day submitted to the State Water Resources Control Board and caused a true and correct copy of the following document(s):

## Letter to Tripp Mizell and Amy L. Aufdemberge Re State Water Resources Control Board Hearing on Petition Requesting Changes in Water Rights of the Department of Water Resources and U.S. Bureau of Reclamation for the California Water Fix Project ("Hearing")

to be served **by Electronic Mail** (email) upon the parties listed in Table 1 of the Current Service List for the California WaterFix Petition hearing, dated August 8, 2016, posted by the State Water Resources Control Board at

http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/waterrights/water\_issues/programs/bay\_delta/california\_waterfix/servi ce\_list.shtml:

I certify that the foregoing is true and correct and that this document was executed on August 11, 2016.

Signature:

Name: Yolanda De La Cruz Title: Legal Secretary Party/Affiliation: Sacramento County Water Agency Address: 500 Capitol Mall, Suite 1000 Sacramento, CA 95814