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Re: *California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Santa Ana Region,
Order No. R8-2010-0033, 10-TC -07, Request for Extension of Time to
File Rebuttal Comments*

Dear Ms. Halsey:

I am writing this letter on behalf of test claimants Riverside County Flood Control and Water Conservation District, County of Riverside and Cities of Beaumont, Corona, Hemet, Lake Elsinore, Moreno Valley, Perris and San Jacinto ("Joint Test Claimants") to request an extension of time to **August 2, 2017** for the filing of rebuttal comments on the test claim. I am the designated Claimant Representative for all Joint Test Claimants. The rebuttal comments are currently due to be filed on **July 26, 2017**.

Due to the number of Joint Test Claimants who must review the rebuttal comments, as well as the number of issues in this Joint Test Claim and the need to address not only the responsive comments made by the State agencies but also the supplemental briefing served on us on June 5, 2016, addressing the impact of *Department of Finance v. Commission on State Mandates* (2016) 1 Cal. 5th 749, we are requesting a short, and what we anticipate will be final, extension of time in which to file the comments with the Commission.

As you know, the Commission is scheduled to hear this test claim on March 23, 2018. While we are fully cognizant of the Commission's desire to promptly brief all test claims before it, we respectfully suggest that the short extension sought in this letter will not delay the work of your staff in its consideration of this test claim or require a postponement of the hearing date. Similarly, there would be no prejudice to any party or interested party from the requested extension.

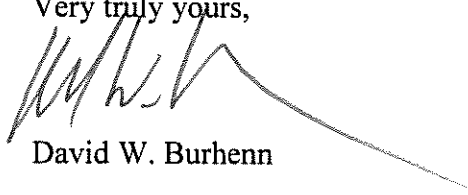
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Pursuant to 2 Cal. Code Reg. § 1187.9(a), so long as a postponement of the hearing would not be required, there is no prejudice to any party or interested party and there is no other good reason for denial, a request for extension shall be approved.

The Joint Test Claimants therefore respectfully request that their rebuttal comments on the Joint Test Claim be due no later than **August 2, 2017**. Thank you in advance for your consideration of this request.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'David W. Burhenn', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

David W. Burhenn

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DECLARATION OF SERVICE BY EMAIL

I, the undersigned, declare as follows:

I am a resident of the County of Sacramento and I am over the age of 18 years, and not a party to the within action. My place of employment is 980 Ninth Street, Suite 300, Sacramento, California 95814.

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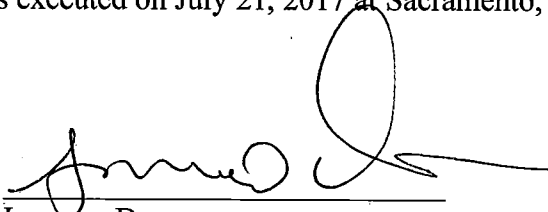
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California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Santa Ana Region, Order No. R8-2010-0033, 10-TC-07

County of Riverside, Riverside County Flood Control and Water Conservation District, Cities of Beaumont, Corona, Hemet, Lake Elsinore, Moreno Valley, Perris, and San Jacinto, Co-Claimants

By making it available on the Commission's website and providing notice of how to locate it to the email addresses provided on the attached mailing list.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct, and that this declaration was executed on July 21, 2017 at Sacramento, California.



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