## STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD RESOLUTION NO. 84-41

AUTHORIZING NEGOTIATION OF A CONTRACT FOR A HYDROLOGIC STUDY OF THE GROUND WATER BASIN IN THE COACHELLA VALLEY AREA

## WHEREAS:

- 1. There is a need to reassess the ground water conditions in the Coachella Valley area due to water quality changes evidenced by monitoring data from wells in the basin.
- 2. It is essential that the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Colorado River Basin Region, have valid, up-to-date information on ground water conditions to update water quality objectives and to establish policies that protect water quality and beneficial uses.
- 3. The Colorado River Basin Regional Board has requested the preparation of a contract between itself and the Desert Water Agency to coordinate a comprehensive study of the Coachella Valley area for the purpose of reviewing ground water conditions in the basin.
- 4. The Colorado River Basin Regional Board's share of the cost of the comprehensive study is \$145,000 funded from Bond Funds, of which \$10,000 is to be reimbursed by the cooperating agencies.
- 5. State Board Resolution No. 83-89 requires adoption of a special resolution by the State Board for all contracts which exceed \$100,000 in costs.

## THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

That the Executive Director be authorized to negotiate and execute a contract for a hydrologic study of the ground water basin in the Coachella Valley area in an amount not to exceed \$145,000.

## CERTIFICATION

The undersigned, Executive Director of the State Water Resources Control Board, does hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a resolution duly and regularly adopted at a meeting of the State Water Resources Control Board on June 21, 1984.

Michael A. Campos Executive Director