

**STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD
EX PARTE COMMUNICATIONS REGARDING PENDING GENERAL ORDERS
DISCLOSURE FORM**

1. Pending General Order that the communication concerned:

In the matter of Review of General Order No. R5-2012-0116, SWRCB/OCC Files A-2239(a)-(c)

2. Name, title and contact information of person completing this form:

Lauren Hajik, attorney, Kahn, Soares & Conway, LLP

3. Date, time and location of meeting:

March 7, 2016 at 2:00 p.m. at the California Environmental Protection Agency.

4. Type of communication (written, oral or both): Oral communication, with three photos shared

5. Names of all participants in the communication, including all board members who participated:

- Felicia Marcus; State Water Board
- Tom Howard; State Water Board
- Emel Wadhvani; State Water Board
- Darrin Polhemus; State Water Board
- Lauren Hajik, Kahn, Soares & Conway, LLP;
- George Soares, Kahn, Soares & Conway, LLP;
- Renee Pinel, Western Plant Health Association;
- Tim Johnson, California Rice Commission;
- Roger Isom, Western Agricultural Processors Association and California Cotton Ginners and Growers Association;
- Chris McGlothlin, Western Agricultural Processors Association and California Cotton Ginners and Growers Association;
- Bob Blakely, California Citrus Mutual;
- Joel Nelsen, California Citrus Mutual; and
- Chris Valadez, California Fresh Fruit Association

7. Describe the communication and the content of the communication:

- Intent and purpose of SWRCB in changes made to East San Joaquin General Order.
- Impact of General Order changes on the CV Salts program and success of Coalitions.
- Impact of changes requiring data to be submitted by field level and location rather than through aggregation by township, including consideration of potential legal liability.
- Impact of removal of low and high vulnerability areas.
- SWRCB policy decisions based on the expert panel technical suggestions.

8. Three photos displayed during the meeting are attached.



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Dwight D. Eisenhower

