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Ms. Barbara Evoy, Deputy Director Division of Water Rights State Water Resources Control Board P.O. Box 2000 Sacramento, CA 95812-2000

Subject:

Petitions for Change under Licenses 5296 and 4678

(Applications 14601 and 14672, respectively)

Dear Ms. Evoy:

On behalf of Granite Construction Company and Teichert Land Company (Petitioners), enclosed are the following documents regarding Petitions for Change (collectively, Petitions) under the Petitioners' respective Licenses 5296 and 4678 (Applications 14601 and 14672, respectively):

- Petition for Change to License 5296 with Attachment (one original and one copy).
- Petition for Change to License 4678 with Attachment (one original and one copy).
- Environmental Information Form for each Petition with Attachment (one original and one copy per Petition).
- Photographs to accompany Petitions (one original and one copy per Petition).
- Map to accompany Petitions (one original and one copy per Petition).
- Check payable to the State Water Resources Control Board in the amount of \$2,134.10 to cover the Division of Water Rights' (Division) fees associated with the Petitions.
- Check payable to the Department of Fish and Wildlife (DFW) in the amount of \$850 to cover the fees associated with this project.

The Petitions listed above are being filed in order to request changes to the places of use and points of diversion and to request an additional purpose of use. The proposed changes are requested for the purpose of authorizing diversions of surface water from Morrison Creek to irrigate a habitat mitigation area. The habitat mitigation area was developed in accordance with a mitigation plan prepared to fulfill requirements of an Environmental Impact Report/Environmental Impact Statement for adjacent aggregate mining projects of both Petitioners, including associated regulatory permits obtained for those mining projects. The

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Petitions are filed together in order to conform the places of use and points of diversion under Licenses 5296 and 4678 to a single point of diversion and a common place of use for the diversion and use of surface water within the habitat mitigation area. For this reason, enclosed is a consolidated Environmental Information Form to address the questions and provide the relevant information associated with the Petitions. Based on the proposed changes identified in the Petitions, we request that the Petitions be processed by the Division under California Code of Regulations Section 795.

As identified above, enclosed is a check in the amount of \$850 payable to the DFW to cover the relevant fee associated with these Petitions. This single filing fee to DFW is consistent with Public Resources Code Section 10005(e) for a single project.

Please call if you have any questions or require additional information.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures

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