



State Water Resources Control Board



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NOTICE OF PRE-HEARING CONFERENCE LOCATION CHANGE

**The State Water Resources Control Board will hold a
Pre-Hearing Conference on Petitions to Change
Water Right Licenses 2685, 6047, and 11395
(Applications 1224, 10572 and 16186, respectively) of
Merced Irrigation District
(Merced River in Mariposa and Merced Counties)**

A Pre-Hearing Status Conference will commence on

**Tuesday, November 5, 2002 -- 3:30 p.m.
The Joe Serna, Jr. Cal/EPA Building
Room 1710, 17th Floor
1001 I Street, Sacramento**

SUBJECT OF PETITIONS

Merced Irrigation District (MID) filed petitions with the State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) to change Licenses 2685, 6047, and 11395 to add E1 Nido Irrigation District (ENID) to MID's place of use and to add a point of diversion.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE

The NEW location for the SWRCB pre-hearing conference is:

**Room 1710, 17th Floor
The Joe Serna, Jr./Cal/EPA Building
1001 I Street, Sacramento**

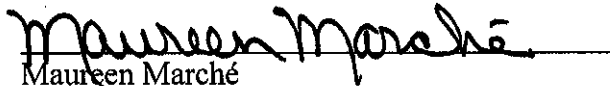
The date and time of the pre-hearing conference remain as previously set: November 5, 2002 at 3:30 p.m. The hearing officer will conduct the pre-hearing conference. Parties who wish to submit evidence at the hearing are required to attend the pre-hearing conference. The SWRCB will conclude that parties who fail to appear at the pre-hearing conference no longer wish to participate in the hearing. The purpose of the pre-hearing conference is to discuss procedural matters related to the hearing and to receive an update on continuing negotiations among the parties aiming at protest resolution and withdrawal.

Parties will be allowed to participate in the pre-hearing conference via telephone. Parties who do wish to participate via telephone must contact Kyriacos Kyriacou **by 5:00 pm on Friday, November 1, 2002** at (916) 341-5347 or at kkyriacou@waterrights.swrcb.ca.gov .

PRE-HEARING CONFERENCE AND HEARING PARTICIPATION

Participation in the pre-hearing conference is mandatory. Only those persons who submit a Notice of Intent to Appear and who participate in the pre-hearing conference will be considered parties for the hearing.

Questions concerning this notice may be directed to Kyriacos Kyriacou, Staff Engineer, at (916) 341-5347 or Samantha Olson, Staff Counsel, at (916) 327-8235 or faxed to Mr. Kyriacou at (916) 341-5400.


Maureen Marché
Clerk to the Board

Date: October 28, 2002