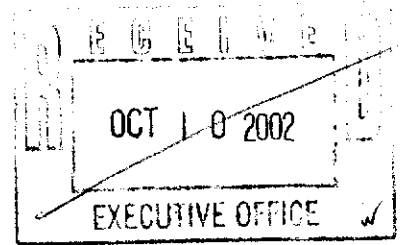


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Re: Request for Additional Time and for Order Convening of Conference of Parties and Staff Regarding Clarification of Draft Order WRO 2002 . . . In the Matter of Petition to Change Place and Use et seq., Oroville-Wyandotte Irrigation District and Yuba County Water District.

Dear Chairman Baggett:

On behalf of the City of Yuba City this is to advise you that Yuba City does join in the request of Oroville-Wyandotte Irrigation District that the proposed Order be held in abeyance and that the parties be given an opportunity to meet with Staff to discuss some areas of concern and uncertainty in the Draft Order.

Very truly yours,

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