

SUMMARY OF PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS OF John W. Leahigh

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering, May 1989, University of New Mexico
Master of Science in Civil Engineering, August 1999, California State
University at Sacramento

PROFESSIONAL

Registered Professional Engineer in California, Civil No. C51993

CURRENT EXPERIENCE

Chief of State Water Project Operations Planning Branch; duties include direct development of the State Water Project water budget process for determination of deliverable water each year; direct development of environmentally and politically sensitive operating plans while protecting SWP interests; direct preparation of operation studies and develop short-term operating plans to meet water and power objectives at least cost; and represent SWP in evaluations and consultations regarding threatened or endangered species.

PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE

Seventeen years of water resources engineering experience, including civil engineering design work for the Coastal Aqueduct of the SWP; water supply forecasting; preparation of Delta compliance reports; and water and power planning of Project operations.

PUBLICATIONS

Assisted in the preparation of numerous DWR publication including:

- Bulletin 120, Water Supply Conditions;
- Bulletin 132, Management of the State Water Project;
- Monthly reports on State Water Project Operations Data;
- State Water Project Annual Report of Operations.