



# State Water Resources Control Board



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### VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

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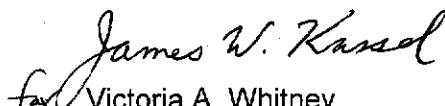
### 2009 REPORTING PLAN – TRANSFER AND EXCHANGES IMPLEMENTED IN COMPLIANCE WITH STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD ORDER 2009-0033 APPROVING CONSOLIDATION OF STATE WATER PROJECT (SWP) AND CENTRAL VALLEY PROJECT (CVP) PLACES OF USE.

The State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) staff have reviewed the 2009 Reporting Plan developed by the Department of Water Resources (DWR) and the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation (Bureau), and submitted on May 21, 2009, in compliance with State Water Board Order 2009-0033. Conditions 2, 3, and 10 of Order 2009-0033 require the development of the reporting plan and approval of the plan by the Deputy Director, Division of Water Rights, prior to DWR and the Bureau's initiation of operations under Order 2009-0033.

The 2009 Reporting Plan adequately addresses Order 2009-0033's requirement that DWR and the Bureau establish a clear methodology for the preparation and presentation of: (1) monthly reporting information detailing transfer and exchange projects initiated under the Order; (2) monitoring information for streamflow and salinity effects attributed to operations under the Order; and (3) a final consolidated summary report of all transfers and exchanges completed under the Order. Accordingly, the 2009 Reporting Plan is approved. If, after receiving information or reports, I determine that the information submitted is insufficient, I may request that DWR and the Bureau correct and resubmit any information or reports submitted pursuant to the 2009 Reporting Plan. Further, if, at any time during the duration of the 2009 Reporting Plan, I determine that the 2009 Reporting Plan is not achieving its purpose (as stated above), I may modify this approval of the 2009 Reporting Plan.

If you have any questions about this letter, please contact Les Grober, Program Manager, Hearing and Special Projects at (916) 341-5428.

Sincerely,

  
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