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**Subject:** Woods Supplemental Hearing: Notice of Postponement of Public Hearing - Notice of

Settlement

## Ladies and Gentlemen:

On April 17, 2015, the State Water Board received a <u>request from the hearing parties</u> to take the <u>scheduled June 8-11, 2015 supplemental hearing</u> off-calendar and stay the proceedings due to an anticipated settlement. The Hearing Officers (Spivy-Weber and Moore) granted the request and set the date of Thursday, July 16, 2015, at noon, as the deadline for submittal of a settlement agreement. On April 22, 2015, the State Water Board issued the <u>Notice of Postponement of Public Hearing</u>.

On June 16, 2015, the parties timely submitted a <u>Notice of Settlement</u> letter. The notice informs the Hearing Officers that the parties have agreed to a "tentative settlement in this matter" that includes an agreement to request that the State Water Board enter the settlement as a Cease and Desist Order (CDO). The notice also includes a request for an additional 60 days to submit the fully executed settlement agreement and the proposed CDO to the State Water Board.

The Hearing Officers have granted a 60-day extension for submittal of the fully executed settlement agreement and the proposed CDO to the State Water Board. The new deadline date is now: **Wednesday, September 16, 2015, at noon.** The proposed settlement agreement will not, however, take effect unless and until it is approved by the State Water Board's Executive Director pursuant to Government Code section 11415.60.

Thank you for your continued cooperation.

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