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State Water Resources Control Board

December 19, 2014

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Board Member Moore and Vice Chair Spivy-Weber

RE: JOINT PETITION OF R.D.C. FARMS, INC., ET AL. AND WOODS IRRIGATION COMPANY TO CLARIFY SCOPE OF PROCEEDINGS AND REMOVE FROM PROCEEDINGS LANDOWNERS NOT RECEIVING WATER FROM WOODS IRRIGATION COMPANY

The Division of Water Rights Prosecution Team is in receipt of the petition, submitted jointly by Jennifer Spaletta, Kurtis Keller and Dean Ruiz and dated as received by the State Water Board on December 15, 2014, to clarify the scope of the hearing regarding Woods Irrigation Company (Woods) and landowners it serves water to and to remove from these proceedings landowners not receiving water from Woods. The Prosecution Team agrees with this request as we understand it. So long as the lands/owners listed on Exhibit A to that petition neither receive water from Woods nor claim to have a right to receive water from Woods under any basis of right (their own or any right held by Woods), removing those lands/owners from this proceeding would aid the Board in efficiently resolving pertinent hearing issues and we would not expect their removal to have any adverse impact on the Board reaching a comprehensive resolution of the matters being addressed by this proceeding.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "David Rose".

David Rose
Attorney for the Division of Water Rights Prosecution Team