

State of California
State Water Resources Control Board

DIVISION OF WATER RIGHTS
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**PETITION FOR TEMPORARY TRANSFER
OF WATER/WATER RIGHTS**
(Water Code 1725)

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Point of Diversion Point of Rediversion Place of Use Purpose of Use

Application No(s) 16767 Permit No. 1971 License No. _____
Statement or Other No. _____

**License and Permits of the US Bureau of Reclamation as shown on the Supplement
Present Holder and User of Water Right**

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Co-petitioner

See Supplement

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Proposed New User

See Supplement

Person or Company name Contact person Telephone No.
Address City State Zip Code
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I (We) hereby petition the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) under the provisions of Water Code (WC) section 1725 et seq. and in conformance with the specific requirements of California Code of Regulations (CCR) section 794 for temporary change(s) to the water right application(s) noted above for the purpose of transferring water. The changes are **shown on the accompanying map and described as follows** (attach additional pages, as needed):

Amount of Water to be Transferred up to 100,000 Acre-feet (AF). If the basis of right is direct diversion, the average rate of diversion for the maximum 30 day period of use is _____ cubic feet per second (cfs).

Period of Transfer/Exchange (Not to exceed one year) December 1, 2011 to December 1, 2012.

Point of Diversion or Rediversion (Give coordinate distances from section corner or other ties as allowed by CCR section 715, and the 40-acre subdivision in which the present & proposed points lie.

Present Jones Pumping Plant as described in D1641, Friant-Kern Canal as described in D935

Proposed No Change

Place of Use

Present See Supplement

Proposed See Supplement

Purpose of Use

Present Municipal, Domestic, Irrigation, Fish & Wildlife Enhancement, Recreation, Salinity Control, Incidental Power

Proposed No Change

	Season of Use	Direct Use (cfs)	Storage (ac-ft)
Present	<u>See Supplement</u>	_____	_____
Proposed	<u>No Change</u>	_____	_____

The proposed transfer/exchange water is presently used or stored within the county/counties of: Fresno, Madera, Kern, Merced, San Joaquin

The proposed transfer/exchange water will be placed to beneficial use within the following county/counties: Riverside, Ventura, Orange, Los Angeles, San Bernadino and San Diego

1a. Would the transfer/exchange water have been consumptively used or stored in the absence of the proposed temporary change (See WC 1725)? Yes
(yes/no)

1b. Provide an analysis which provides documentation that the amount of water to be transferred/exchanged would have been consumptively used or stored in the absence of the proposed temporary change. See Supplement

2a. If the point of diversion/rediversion is being changed, are there any person(s) taking water from the stream between the present point of diversion/rediversion and the proposed point? No
(yes/no)

2b. Are there any persons taking water from the stream between the present point of diversion or return flow and the proposed point of diversion or return flow? No
(yes/no)

2c. If the answer to 2a. or 2b. is yes, provide the name and address. Also provide the name and address of other persons known to you who may be affected by the proposed change.

3a. Provide an analysis of any changes in streamflow, water quality, timing of diversion or use, return flows, or effects on legal users resulting from the proposed transfer/exchange. See Supplement

3b. State reasons you believe the proposed temporary change will not injure any legal user of the water, see Water Code Section 1727 (b)(1). See Supplement

4. Consult with staff of the applicable Regional Water Quality Control Board concerning the proposed temporary change. State the name and phone number of person(s) contacted. Summarize their opinion concerning compliance with CCR 794(b) and any Regional Board requirements. Contacted David Sholes at the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board, (559) 445-6279. dsholes@waterboards.ca.gov in November 2011. No comment received as of 1/3/2012.

5a. Consult with the California Department of Fish and Game pursuant to CCR 794(b) concerning the proposed temporary change. State the name and phone number of the person(s) contracted and their opinion concerning the potential effect(s) of the proposed temporary change on fish, wildlife, or other instream

beneficial uses, and state any measures recommended for mitigation. Contacted Julie Means of the CA DFG. (559) 243-4014 jmeans@dfg.ca.gov. No comment received as of 1/3/2012.

- 5b. Does the proposed use serve to preserve or enhance wetlands habitat, fish and wildlife resources, or recreation in or on the water (See WC 1707) ? No
(yes/no)
- 5c. Provide an analysis of potential effect(s) on fish, wildlife, or other instream beneficial uses which may arise from the proposed change. See Supplement
- 5d. State reasons you believe the proposed temporary change will not unreasonably affect fish, wildlife, or other instream beneficial uses, see Water Code Section 1727 (b)(2). See Supplement
- 6a. Does any agency involved in the proposed transfer/exchange rely upon section 382 of the Water Code to allow the delivery of water outside of the agency's service area? No
(yes/no)
- 6b. If yes, provide an analysis of the effect of the proposed transfer/ exchange on the overall economy of the area from which the water is being transferred. _____

A TRANSFER/EXCHANGE UNDER WATER CODE SECTION 1725 INVOLVES ONLY THE AMOUNT OF WATER WHICH WOULD HAVE BEEN CONSUMPTIVELY USED OR STORED IN THE ABSENCE OF THE PROPOSED TEMPORARY CHANGE. A CHANGE WILL BE EFFECTIVE FOR A PERIOD OF ONE YEAR OR LESS, BEGINNING ON THE APPROVAL OF THIS PETITION OR ON SUCH DATE OTHERWISE SPECIFIED BY THE STATE WATER BOARD ORDER. FOLLOWING EXPIRATION OF THIS TEMPORARY CHANGE, ALL RIGHTS AUTOMATICALLY REVERT TO THE PRESENT HOLDER BY OPERATION OF LAW.

I (we) declare under penalty of perjury that the above is true and correct to the best of my (our) knowledge and belief.

Dated: Jan. 3, 2012 at Sacramento, California


Signature(s)

(916) 978-5201
Telephone No.

NOTE: This petition shall be accompanied by all information required by this form and W.C. Section 1725 et. seq, and the fees before the State Water Board will consider acceptance of the petition requesting a temporary change to facilitate a transfer/exchange.

Proof of Service: Compliance with W.C. section 1726(c) shall be met by the filing of copies of the proof of service to the Department of Fish and Game and to the board of supervisors of the counties where the water is currently used and the counties to which water is proposed to be transferred.

NOTE: All petitions must be accompanied by the **filing fee, (see fee schedule at www.waterrights.ca.gov)**, made payable to the State Water Resources Control Board and an **\$850 fee** made payable to the Department of Fish and Game must accompany this petition. Separate petitions are required for each water right.

