



State Water Resources Control Board

NOTICE OF PETITIONS FOR TEMPORARY CHANGE INVOLVING THE TRANSFER/EXCHANGE UNDER DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES PERMIT 16479 (APPLICATION 14443) AND THE SPECIFIED LICENSE AND PERMITS OF THE U.S. BUREAU OF RECLAMATION

On May 1, 2013 the Department of Water Resources (DWR), and the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation (Reclamation) filed petitions for temporary change to transfer up to 196.000 acrefeet of water pursuant to California Water Code section 1725 et seg. The petitions request the temporary addition of the Central Valley Project (CVP) place of use downstream of the Jones Pumping Plant to DWR Permit 16479 (Application 14443) and the temporary addition of the State Water Project (SWP) place of use downstream of Harvey O. Banks Pumping Plant to Reclamation License 1986 and Permits 11885, 11886, 12721, 11967, 11887, 12722, 12723, 12725, 12726, 12727, 11315, 11316, 11968, 11969, 11970, 12860, 11971, 11972, 11973, and 12364 (Applications 23, 234, 1465, 5626, 5628, 5638, 9363, 9364, 9366, 9367, 9368, 13370, 13371, 15374, 15375, 15376, 15764, 16767, 16768, 17374, and 17376). The proposed changes will not result in the diversion of additional water from the Delta or delivery of more water to any individual water supplier or user than has been delivered historically. According to the petitioners, the requested changes will allow operational flexibility to most efficiently deliver water supplies where they are most needed and in the most efficient manner possible. The changes are intended to facilitate transfers/exchanges to: 1) Santa Clara Valley Water District; 2) Oak Flat Water District/Del Puerto Water District; 3) Kern County Water Agency/Kern Tulare Water District; 4) Castaic Lake Water Agency/San Luis Water District; 5) Arvin-Edison Water Storage District/Metropolitan Water District; and 6) Kern County Water Agency to Westlands. A temporary transfer may be in effect for one year from the date of approval.

Any correspondence directed to the petitioners should be mailed to both: 1) Department of Water Resources, c/o Nancy Quan, P.O. Box 942836, Sacramento, CA 94236-0001 or via email at nquan@water.ca.gov; and 2) U.S. Bureau of Reclamation, c/o Richard Woodley, 2800 Cottage Way, Sacramento, CA 95825 or via email at nwoodley@usbr.gov.

SWP and CVP Permits Subject to Temporary Change

SWP Water Rights		
Application Number	Permit Number	Description
14443	16479	San Luis Reservoir

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CVP Water Rights			
Application Number	License (L) or Permit (P) Number	Description	
23	L1986	Friant Project	
234	P11885	Friant Project	
1465	P11886	Friant Project	
5626	P12721	Shasta Project	
5628	P11967	Trinity Project	
5638	P11887	Friant Project	
9363	P12722	Shasta Project	
9364	P12723	Shasta Project	
9366	P12725	Contra Costa Canal	
9367	P12726	Contra Costa Canal	
9368	P12727	Tracy Pumping Plant	
13370	P11315	Folsom Project	
13371	P11316	Folsom Project	
15374	P11968	Trinity Project	
15375	P11969	Trinity Project	
15376	P11970	Trinity Project	
15764	P12860	San Luis Reservoir	
16767	P11971	Trinity Project	
16768	P11972	Trinity Project	
17374	P11973	Trinity Project	
17376	P12364	Whiskeytown Lake	

Pursuant to California Water Code section 1726(f), any interested party may file a comment regarding these petitions. Comments must be received by the Division of Water Rights by 4:30 p.m. on June 6, 2013. A copy must also be provided to the petitioners at the addresses above. To obtain detailed information regarding the proposed transfer, you may view the petitions by visiting the Division's website at:

http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/waterrights/water_issues/programs/applications/transfers_tu noti ces/index.shtml.

Should you have any other questions regarding this matter, please contact Kate Gaffney at (916) 341-5360 or by email at kgaffney@waterboards.ca.gov. Written correspondence or inquiries should be addressed as follows: State Water Resources Control Board, Division of Water Rights, Attn: Kate Gaffney, P.O. Box 2000, Sacramento, CA 95812-2000.

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