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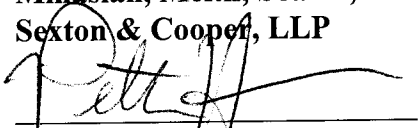
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**RE: REQUEST FOR HEARING CONCERNING DRAFT CEASE AND DESIST  
ORDER ISSUED TO MARK HODGETTS (ORDER WR-2015-0XXX-  
DWR)**

**TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:**

Notice is hereby given under subdivision (b) of Water Code section 1834 that Mark Hodgetts requests a hearing in the above-referenced matter. Among other things, the draft Cease and Desist Order contains factual inaccuracies—for instance, regarding the existence of agreements with governmental agencies for fire protections purposes—and presupposes that Mr. Hodgetts wishes to engage in future diversions of surface water for those and similar purposes.

Very truly yours,

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