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Via Facsimile and U.S. Mail

Mr. Larry Attaway
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**Re: Request for Hearing on Notice of Proposed Revocation of License 659
(Application 553)**

Dear Mr. Attaway:

This office is legal counsel to Great Spring Waters of America, Inc. We are in receipt of your letter enclosing a Notice of Proposed Revocation of License 659 (Application 553). **By this letter, we request a hearing with the State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) to contest the proposed revocation of License 659.**

Please be advised that Great Spring Waters of America, Inc. is not the owner of the water right at issue. I understand that a Notice of Assignment form was previously filed with the SWRCB, designating the current owner as The Morongo Band of Mission Indians. Representatives of the tribe have also been copied with your letter and this request for hearing.

Please contact me should you have any questions regarding this response.

Best regards,

Robert J. Saperstein
For HATCH & PARENT
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