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To: Santa Ana Hearing Service List

### RELEASE OF FINAL PROGRAMMATIC ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT BY THE CITY OF RIVERSIDE

On May 8, 2007, at the close of the Santa Ana River water rights hearing, the Hearing Officer announced that in accordance with the April 25, 2007 Stipulation of Applicants (Stipulation), "the hearing record for the City of Riverside's (City) application and waste water change would remain open until August 15, 2007 for the City to submit a certified final programmatic environmental impact report (FPEIR)." Further, the Hearing Officer stated "the hearing would not be reconvened for cross-examination as to the City's FPEIR."

On July 27, 2007, the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) received the certified FPEIR submitted by the City. The State Water Board will substitute the FPEIR for the draft PEIR which is contained in the hearing record as Exhibit 1-3. As requested by the City, the State Water Board will allow it to submit Resolution 21432 which certifies the FPEIR and makes certain findings in support thereof, as Exhibit 1-3(a).

Pursuant to the Stipulation, the hearing record is closed.

Sincerely,

ORIGINAL SIGNED BY

Arthur G. Baggett, Jr.  
Hearing Officer