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9	FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO	
10		CASE NO. RCV 51010
11	CHINO BASIN MUNICIPAL WATER	
12	Plaintiff,) STATUS REPORT 2006-02, FUTURE) DESALTING PLANS, AND MZ-1) LONG-TERM PLAN
13	VS.	LONG-TERM PLAN
14	CITY OF CHINO, et al.,	Date: May 24, 2007
15	Defendants) Dept: 8
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21	Introduction	
22	On April 2, 2007, Watermaster filed a "Transmittal of Status Report 2006-02,"	
23	with attached Exhibits A, B and C ("First Watermaster Transmittal"). Subsequently, on	
24	April 30, 2007, Watermaster filed a "Transmittal of Revised Exhibit C," with attached	
25	Exhibits C, C-1, C-2, and C-3 ("Second Watermaster Transmittal"). The Second	
26	Watermaster Transmittal was submitted as a complete substitution for Exhibit C of the	
27	First Watermaster Transmittal. Together, the two filings address the status of	
28	implementation of the Optimum Basin Management Plan ("OBMP") for Chino Basin,	
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the status of future desalting plans for Chino Basin, and the status of a long-term plan
for subsidence in Chino Basin Management Zone 1 ("MZ-1").

Special Referee, Anne Schneider, filed Comments and Recommendations 3 Concerning OBMP Status Report 2006-02, Future Desalting Plans, and MZ-1 Long-4 Term Plan. Ms. Schneider's comments, dated May 2, 2006, requested the court to 5 6 issue an order incorporating several recommendations related to Watermaster's filings. On May 18, 2007, Chino Basin Water Conservation District filed a Joinder in 7 Support of Special Referee's Recommendations, requesting the court to adopt the 8 9 special referee's recommendations and requesting the court to incorporate them into 10 its order. Monte Vista Water District filed a Response to Referee Report and 11 Recommendations, dated May 21, 2007, supporting the special referee's recommendations and requesting the court to include in its order specified language 12 concerning the Watermaster workshop to be scheduled on the socioeconomic analysis 13 related to the Peace II Agreement process. 14

The court has considered Watermaster's two filings, Special Referee Anne Schneider's comments and recommendations, Chino Basin Water Conservation District's joinder and Monte Vista Water District's response. The Court hereby adopts the recommendations made in Special Referee's Comments and Recommendations Concerning OBMP Status Report 2006-02, Future Desalting Plans, and MZ-1 Long-Term Plan and incorporates them into this order.

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OBMP Status Report 2006—02 (July 2006 through December 2006) is hereby received and filed. OBMP Status Report 2007—01 (January 2007 through June 2007) shall be filed no later than September 1, 2007.

Exhibit C-1 of the Second Watermaster Transmittal called for submission of a long-term plan for managing subsidence in MZ-1, which was to be filed with the court on May 2, 2007, and court review and approval by May 30, 2007. No motion has been filed with the court to date. Within 60 days of today's date, Watermaster shall submit a motion for court approval of a long-term plan for MZ-1. The motion should request a hearing date before September 30, 2007. The 2006 State of the Basin Report shall be filed no later than July 31, 2007. Watermaster is to include, in the *State of the Basin Report*, a reconciliation of pumping and safe yield for each and every year since 1978 and for the combined period of years from 1978 to current. The reconciliation will provide the court with a clear and complete basis for consideration of any re-operation proposals for Chino Basin in connection with the Peace II Agreement process, and the reconciliation shall clearly explain whether, and the extent to which, *safe yield* is being maintained and overproduction is being replenished by Watermaster.

Within 30 days of today's date, Watermaster shall submit a supplemental filing, explaining the relationship between achieving hydraulic control to benefit from the Santa Ana Regional Water Quality Control Board Basin Plan Amendment and obtaining court approval to re-operate Chino Basin as envisioned in the Peace II agreement process. To the extent that commencing hydraulic control re-operation would not be consistent with the Judgment, Watermaster is to confirm that it has not and will not commence hydraulic control re-operation of Chino Basin without court approval.

Watermaster is encouraged to submit to the court for review a physical project description for the actions envisioned in the Peace II Agreement process in accordance with the schedules submitted by Watermaster. The court is requesting the complete physical project description, integrating the desalter, recharge and replenishment, and

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storage and recovery project descriptions, to be submitted no later than August 1, 2007, following the July 27, 2007, deadline shown in Watermaster's Second Transmittal Exhibit C-1.

The court encourages close coordination between Watermaster's engineering consultant and the special referee's technical expert regarding the modification and application of groundwater models to be used in evaluating physical impacts of all proposed projects. Watermaster is to make all reasonable efforts to carry out its recommendation that there be regular and routine communication and coordination between the experts.

The court understands that Watermaster will not submit any requests for approval until it has completed its evaluation of physical impacts. Watermaster is encouraged to submit a motion for conditional approval of the Peace II Agreement, requesting a court date on or before November 3, 2007.

Watermaster is encouraged to make all reasonable efforts to assure compliance with the detailed timeframe for adding desalting capacity as described in Exhibits C-2 and C-3 of the Second Watermaster Transmittal. Watermaster is to report to the court any delay that goes beyond 30 days and to submit in its report a revised schedule.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

J. Michael Gunn, Judge

Dated: May 23, 2007

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PROOF OF SERVICE

I declare that:

I am employed in the County of San Bernardino, California. I am over the age of 18 years and not a party to the within action. My business address is Chino Basin Watermaster, 9641 San Bernardino Road, Rancho Cucamonga, California 91730; telephone (909) 484-3888.

On May 24, 2007, I served the following:

- 1) ORDER CONCERNING OBMP STATUS REPORT 2006-02, FUTURE DESALTING PLANS, AND MZ-1 LONG-TERM PLAN
- /_x_/ BY MAIL: in said cause, by placing a true copy thereof enclosed with postage thereon fully prepaid, for delivery by United States Postal Service mail at Rancho Cucamonga, California, addresses as follows: See attached service list: Mailing List 1
- / / BY PERSONAL SERVICE: I caused such envelope to be delivered by hand to the addressee.
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I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the above is true and correct.

Executed on May 24, 2007 in Rancho Cucamonga, California.

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