

Appendix E

2019 Change in Ownership

Applications 5644X02 and 5645X12

February 8, 2019

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

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State Water Resources Control Board
Division of Water Rights
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Re: Change in Ownership – Application Nos. 5645X12 and 5644X02
American River Stream System, El Dorado County

Dear Ms. Montgomery:

Downey Brand LLP has served as water rights counsel for the El Dorado Water & Power Authority (EDWPA) since 2011. EDWPA is a joint powers agency that has had as its members the County of El Dorado, El Dorado Irrigation District and El Dorado County Water Agency. EDWPA has on file with the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) two applications for the assignment of a total of up to 40,000 acre-feet/year from "state-filings" on the American River system for the benefit of water users within El Dorado County. Specifically, EDWPA is the applicant for the assignment of Application Nos. 5645X12 and 5644X02 to appropriate water from the American River Stream System in El Dorado County.

Recently, the County of El Dorado and El Dorado County Water Agency provided notice that they were withdrawing from EDWPA. The effective date of the latter of the two agencies' withdrawals is today. Accordingly, as of the close of business today, EDWPA will cease to exist. Under the terms of the EDWPA Joint Powers Agreement and a related agreement with the Sacramento Municipal Utility District (SMUD), all of the member agencies of EDWPA and SMUD have agreed that El Dorado County Water Agency is the successor to EDWPA in the event of the dissolution of EDWPA. Accordingly, we are requesting that the aforementioned applications be assigned to the El Dorado County Water Agency.

Enclosed for use by the State Water Board is a completed "Change of Ownership" form that will allow the State Water Board to track this change of ownership of the aforementioned applications. I have consulted with Lilly Weaver from the Office of Chief Counsel and she concurs with this procedure as the appropriate means for the transfer of ownership of these applications.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

DOWNEY BRAND LLP



David R.E. Aladjem

Enclosure: Change of Ownership form

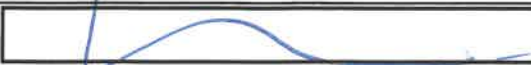
cc: Lilly Weaver, Office of Chief Counsel
Kenneth Payne, General Manager, El Dorado County Water Agency
Fred Schaefer, General Counsel, El Dorado County Water Agency

**STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD
DIVISION OF WATER RIGHTS
CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP FORM**

This form should be used to notify the State Water Board of current owner or responsible party contact updates as well as changes to the owner/diverter or responsible party for all water rights.

SUBMIT FORM BY EMAIL, POSTAL MAIL, OR FAX

**Phone: (916) 341-5300 Fax: (916) 341-5400
P.O. Box 2000, Sacramento, CA 95812
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1. Water Right ID(s) associated with this change in ownership:	
Applications Nos. 5645X12 and 5644X02	
2. New Owner Information	
Primary Owner Name El Dorado County Water Agency	
Address, City, State, Zip 4330 Golden Center Drive, Suite C, Placerville, CA 95667	
Phone Number 530-621-5392	Email (if available) ken.payne@edcgov.us
Do you want the primary owner to receive all mail for this water right? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
3. Agent Information <i>Complete this section if you checked "No" above and would like to designate an agent to receive mail for this water right.</i>	
Agent Name (if applicable) David R.E. Aladjem, Downey Brand, LLP	
Address, City, State, Zip 621 Capitol Mall, 18th Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814	
Phone Number 916-444-1000	Email (if available) daladjem@downeybrand.com
4. Co-owners <i>Complete this section if there are other owners whose property falls within the place of use for this water right. You may list additional co-owners in the comments box, if needed.</i>	
Co-owner 1 (if applicable)	Address, City, State, Zip
Co-owner 2 (if applicable)	Address, City, State, Zip
Co-owner 3 (if applicable)	Address, City, State, Zip
5. Comments or other instructions regarding this change:	
See accompanying letter	
6. Contact Information of person submitting request	
To assist us in completing your request, please state your relationship to the water right(s): <input type="checkbox"/> I am the previous owner assigning my rights for a property I no longer own <input type="checkbox"/> I am the new owner of a property where the place of use for a water right exists <input type="checkbox"/> I am an agent or real estate professional assisting in the transfer of these water rights <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (please explain): Other	
Please provide us with your name and contact information in case we have questions:	
Name: David R.E. Aladjem Company (if applicable): Downey Brand, LLP	
Email: daladjem@downeybrand.com	Phone: 916-444-1000
Signature: 	Date: February 8, 2019

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