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13 **SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

14 **IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE**

15 CITY OF BARSTOW, et al

16 Plaintiff,

17 v.

18 CITY OF ADELANTO, et al

19 Defendant.

CASE NO.: CIV 208568

**NOTICE OF JUDICIAL COUNCIL
ORDER ASSIGNING
COORDINATION MOTION JUDGE**

Assigned for All Purposes to:
Hon. Craig G. Riemer, Judge Presiding
Dept. 1

20 **AND RELATED CROSS ACTIONS**

21 **TO ALL PARTIES WHO HAVE APPEARED IN THIS ACTION AND THEIR
22 COUNSEL OF RECORD:**

23 **PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT** on December 23, 2022, the Chair of the Judicial
24 Council of California issued an Order Assigning Coordination Motion Judge in the
25 coordination proceeding titled "MOJAVE BASIN WATER CASES" and numbered JCCP
26 5265.

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NOTICE OF JUDICIAL COUNCIL ORDER ASSIGNING COORDINATION MOTION JUDGE

1 A true and correct copy of the Order is attached as Exhibit 1 hereto.

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3 Dated: January 6, 2023

BRUNICK, McELHANEY & KENNEDY PLC

4 By:



5 William G. Brunick
6 Leland P. McElhaney
7 Attorneys for Defendant/Cross-Complainant,
8 MOJAVE WATER AGENCY

EXHIBIT 1

CHAIR, JUDICIAL COUNCIL OF CALIFORNIA
455 Golden Gate Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94102-3688

Coordination Proceeding)	
Special Title (Rule 3.550))	
)	
)	
MOJAVE BASIN WATER CASES)	JUDICIAL COUNCIL
)	COORDINATION PROCEEDING
)	NO. 5265
)	
Included actions:)	
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)	
City of Barstow, et al. v. City of)	SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
Adelanto, et al.)	COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE
)	NO. CIV208568
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)	
The Mojave Water Agency v. All)	SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
Persons who are not presently parties. . .)	COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO
)	NO. CIVSB2218461
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ORDER ASSIGNING COORDINATION MOTION JUDGE

THE PRESIDING JUDGE of the Superior Court of California, County of Riverside, is hereby authorized to assign this matter to a judge of the court pursuant to Code of Civil Procedure section 404 and rule 3.524 of the California Rules of Court to sit as coordination motion judge to determine whether the included actions set forth in the caption are complex (rule 3.502), and if so, whether coordination of those actions is appropriate. If the coordination motion judge grants the petition for coordination, the judge must (1) recommend a particular superior court for the site of the coordination proceedings, pursuant to rule 3.530, and (2) select the reviewing court having appellate jurisdiction if the actions to be coordinated are within the jurisdiction of more than one reviewing court, pursuant to rule 3.505(a).

Pursuant to Code of Civil Procedure section 404.5 and rule 3.515, pending the determination of whether coordination is appropriate, the coordination motion judge may stay any action being considered for, or affecting an action being considered for, coordination.

Pursuant to rule 3.524, the clerk of each court in which an included action is pending is directed to file this order in the included action. Also pursuant to rule 3.524, all documents required to be submitted to the coordination motion judge must be transmitted to the court address designated below:

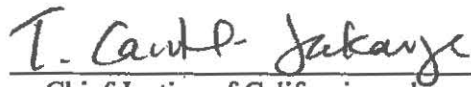
Presiding Judge of the Superior Court of California,
County of Riverside
4050 Main Street
Riverside, CA 92501-3702

Pursuant to rule 3.511, a copy of every notice of opposition, application for stay order, stay order, notice of hearing on the petition, and order granting or denying coordination must be transmitted to the Chair of the Judicial Council at the following address:

Chair, Judicial Council of California
Attn: Appellate Court Services
(Civil Case Coordination)
455 Golden Gate Avenue, 5th Floor
San Francisco, CA 94102-3688

Petitioner is directed to serve a copy of this order on (1) all parties to the included actions, and (2) the clerk of each court for filing in each included action.

Dated: December 23, 2022



Chief Justice of California and
Chair of the Judicial Council

CHAIR, JUDICIAL COUNCIL OF CALIFORNIA

PROOF OF SERVICE BY MAIL

JUDICIAL COUNCIL COORDINATION NUMBER: 5265	CASE NUMBER:
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1. I am over the age of 18 and not a party to this legal action.
2. I am employed in the City and County of San Francisco and my business address is

**455 Golden Gate Avenue
San Francisco, CA 94102-3688**

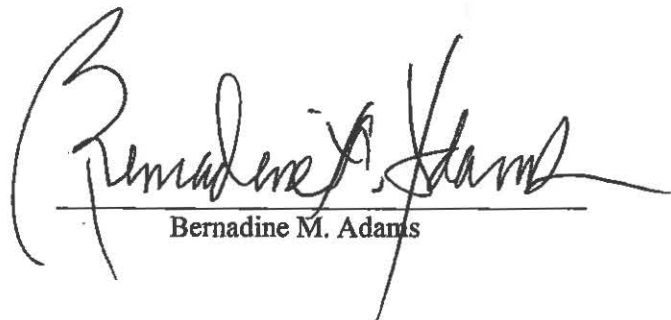
3. On December 28, 2022, I served a copy of the following documents:

- ORDER ASSIGNING COORDINATION MOTION JUDGE
- ORDER ASSIGNING COORDINATION TRIAL JUDGE
- ORDER ASSIGNING COORDINATION MOTION JUDGE AND SETTING DATE FOR HEARING
- AMENDED ORDER ASSIGNING COORDINATION MOTION JUDGE
- AMENDED ORDER ASSIGNING COORDINATION TRIAL JUDGE
- OTHER

on the interested parties listed on the attached mailing list by placing a true copy enclosed in a sealed envelope with postage fully prepaid in the outgoing mailbox in my office, in accordance with ordinary business practices for deposit with the United States Postal Service in San Francisco, California. I am readily familiar with my office's business practice for collection of and processing of correspondence for mailing, and under that practice the above document is being deposited with the United States Postal Service this date in San Francisco, California, in the ordinary course of business.

4. I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Date: Wednesday, December 28, 2022


Bernadine M. Adams

MAILING LIST

JUDICIAL COUNCIL COORDINATION PROCEEDING NO. 5265

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