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**Subject:** Nancy K. Donovan and Stephen J. Peters ACL/CDO Hearing

Ms. Donovan,

The purpose of this email is to request information concerning your availability to attend a hearing on the above subject matter. The hearing will not be rescheduled to commence earlier than May 2016.

To recap events, on July 6, 2012, Mr. Peters [requested a hearing](#) on a June 14, 2012, [Administrative Civil Liability Complaint \(ACL\) and draft Cease and Desist Order \(CDO\)](#) issued by the Assistant Deputy Director of the Division of Water Rights. On March 13, 2015, the State Water Board issued a [Notice of Public Hearing](#), which set July 1, 2015 as the date of the hearing on this matter. March 20, 2015, the State Water Board received your request to reschedule the July 1st hearing, the Hearing Officers granted the request, and the State Water Board issued on April 10, 2015 a [Notice of Postponement of Public Hearing](#).

As noted in the March 13<sup>th</sup> Notice, in this is water rights enforcement hearing, the Prosecution Team is prosecuting Nancy K. Donovan and Stephen J. Peters for an alleged violation. The Prosecution Team and Nancy K. Donovan and Stephen J. Peters may, at their discretion, engage in private settlement discussions and may include any other persons in those discussions. Due to the separation of functions discussed above, **the hearing team cannot participate** in settlement discussions. Should the a settlement be reach, the hearing team should be notified as soon as possible.

If you have any questions regarding this email, please contact me...Thanks

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