STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD RESOLUTION NO. 88-44

LOAN FUNDING APPROVAL FOR: 1) SALTON SEA EVAPORATION POND -- PILOT PROJECT: 2) MONTALVO FOREBAY GROUND WATER NITRATE ABATEMENT FEASIBILITY STUDY; AND 3) GUSTINE DRAINAGE DISTRICT FEASIBILITY STUDY

WHEREAS:

- The Water Conservation and Water Quality Bond Law of 1986 established the Agricultural Drainage Water Management Loan Program to provide financial assistance for the design and construction of agricultural drainage water management facilities;
- The Agricultural Drainage Water Account was established with \$75 million for loans to local agencies for a) design and construction of agricultural drainage water management facilities, and b) feasibility studies of projects potentially eligible for funding;
- 3. Imperial Irrigation District has applied for a \$250,000 loan from the Agricultural Drainage Water Account for the Salton Sea Evaporation Pond --Pilot Project;
- 4. United Water Conservation District has applied for a \$75,000 loan from the Agricultural Drainage Water Account for the Montalvo Forebay Ground Water Basin Nitrate Abatement Feasibility Study:
- 5. Gustine Drainage District has applied for a \$100,000 loan from the Agricultural Drainage Water Account for a feasibility study; and
- 6. The Division of Loans and Grants recommends Imperial Irrigation District's pilot project, United Water Conservation District's feasibility study, and Gustine Drainage District's feasibility study for loan funding.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE STATE BOARD:

- Approves the loan funding requests of Imperial Irrigation District, United Water Conservation District, and Gustine Drainage District; and
- 2. Authorizes the Executive Director or his designee to execute after the State Legislative approval, for and on behalf of the State Board, a contract and amendments thereto with Imperial Irrigation District, United Water Conservation District, and Gustine Drainage District for loans under the Water Conservation and Water Quality Bond Law of 1986, and to perform all acts and to do all things necessary and convenient to implement such a contract.

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned, Administrative Assistant to the Board, does hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a resolution duly and regularly adopted at a meeting of the State Water Resources Control Board held on April 21, 1988.

Maureen Marche

Administrative Assistant to the Board