Jeanine Townsend, Clerk to the Board
State Water Resources Control Board
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January 28, 2016

Dear Ms. Townsend –

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the proposed extension of the Emergency Regulations and specifically the proposed new standards that we received on January 25, 2016. In reviewing the standard we discovered an error in the calculation of the base that had been previously identified to Water Board staff but was not corrected due to a misunderstanding regarding the submission of revised monitoring reports. We have brought this error to the attention of staff, and the reports have since been corrected, however it appears that the current process does not provide for the ability to correct the proposed tiers. Accordingly, we would respectfully request of the Board that water agencies be provided a brief review period to make any final corrections/revisions to the proposed tiers consistent with the review and correction process that was utilized when the standards were first established in May of last year. We believe that providing this opportunity would ensure that agencies are participating in the effort to achieve the 25% statewide water consumption reduction in an equitable and accurate manner. Your consideration of this request is appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

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