

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD

In the Matter of Permits 10657,)	
10658, and 10659 (Applications)	Order: WR 76-13
11199, 12578, and 12716))	
)	Source: Putah Creek
UNITED STATES BUREAU OF)	
RECLAMATION)	Counties: Napa, Solano,
)	and Yolo
Permittee)	
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ORDER EXTENDING RESERVED JURISDICTION

BY THE BOARD:

On April 16, 1970, the Board adopted a decision and order amending Decision 869 and Permits 10657, 10658, and 10659 pursuant to jurisdiction reserved to make further order concerning proper releases of water from Monticello Reservoir past Putah Diversion Dam for downstream use and recharge of groundwater and concerning investigations, measurements, and studies to be made by the permittee.

The order in amending conditions 11, 12, and 13 of Decision 869 and the corresponding conditions in the permits, adopted a schedule of releases proposed by the permittee, but continued the reserved jurisdiction over the permits until December 31, 1974, or such additional time as then seemed necessary to determine if the release schedule afforded adequate protection to downstream prior rights and for the recharge of groundwater to the extent that water would have been available in the absence of the Solano Project.

Studies by the Board's staff prior to December 31, 1974, indicated that all of the data needed to complete these studies had not yet been received. Order WR 74-38 was adopted by the Board on December 19, 1974 to extend the period of reserved jurisdiction until December 31, 1976. Additional information has been submitted

by the permittee and analyzed during the past two years; also, a study by the Board's staff was undertaken to determine the extent to which releases past Putah Diversion Dam are being diverted as surface flow by other than holders of prior rights, and the effect of such diversions on the releases necessary to meet the requirements of Decision 869. The staff concluded that illegal diverters, if any, have no substantial effect on project operations. However, data to adequately describe all of the factors which affect the groundwater recharge has not been collected and analyzed. NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

Condition 13 of Decision 869 and the corresponding conditions contained in Permits 10657, 10658, and 10659 are amended to continue the jurisdiction reserved therein until December 31, 1978, or for such additional time as then seems necessary.

We Concur:

Dated: December 16, 1976

s/JOHN E. BRYSON
John E. Bryson, Chairman

s/W. DON MAUGHAN
W. Don Maughan, Vice Chairman

s/W. W. ADAMS
W. W. Adams, Member

s/JEAN AUER
Jean Auer, Member

s/ROY E. DODSON
Roy E. Dodson, Member