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Mr. Erik Ekdahl, Deputy Director  
Division of Water Rights  
State Water Resources Control Board  
P.O. Box 2000  
Sacramento, CA 95812-2000

**Subject: Merced Irrigation District Petition for Temporary Transfer under License 2685 (Application 1224)**

Dear Mr. Ekdahl:

On behalf of Merced Irrigation District (Merced), enclosed are the following documents relative to a Petition for Temporary Transfer under Merced's License 2685 (Application 1224):

1. Petition for Temporary Transfer Form together with an Attachment and a map.
2. Environmental Information Form with Attachment.
3. Check in the amount of \$7,997 to cover the Petition fees.
4. Check in the amount of \$850 to cover the fee for the Department of Fish and Wildlife.

Merced is petitioning to temporarily add points of diversion and an additional place of use to its License 2685 in order to transfer up to a total of 20,000 AF to the Belridge Water Storage District by releases of previously stored surface water.

We appreciate your attention to this temporary transfer Petition. Please call if you have any questions or require additional information.

Sincerely,  
MBK ENGINEERS

Angela Bezzone

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Enclosures

cc: John Sweigard, Merced Irrigation District  
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