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## State Water Resources Control Board

### **NOTICE OF PETITION FOR TEMPORARY CHANGE INVOLVING THE TRANSFER OF UP TO 100,000 ACRE-FEET OF WATER FROM OAKDALE IRRIGATION DISTRICT AND SOUTH SAN JOAQUIN IRRIGATION DISTRICT TO SAN LUIS & DELTA-MENDOTA WATER AUTHORITY UNDER LICENSE 2012 (APPLICATION 1081)**

Oakdale Irrigation District (OID) and South San Joaquin Irrigation District (SSJID) filed a petition on June 21, 2021, for temporary change with the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board), Division of Water Rights, to transfer up to 100,000 acre-feet (af) of water pursuant to Water Code section 1725 et seq., under water right License 2012 (Application 1081). OID and SSJID propose to transfer the water from July 1 through September 30, 2021 to the San Luis & Delta-Mendota Water Authority. The transfer would involve up to 100,000 af of water previously stored in New Melones Reservoir under License 2012. The proposed transfer would include the following changes to OID's and SSJID's License 2012: (1) add the Central Valley Project's Jones Pumping Plant as a point of diversion, and (2) add the service area of the San Luis & Delta-Mendota Water Authority as an additional place of use.

A link to the petition submittal for the temporary changes listed above is available on the State Water Board's website at: [2021 Notices](#).

Pursuant to California Water Code section 1726(f), any interested person may file a comment regarding the petition. **The 30-day comment period per Water Code section 1726(f) has been reduced to 15 days per the Governor's Proclamation of a State of Emergency in the Klamath River, Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta, and Tulare Lake watershed Counties due to drought (Drought Proclamation) dated May 10, 2021. This Drought Proclamation will help expedite processing of water transfers. Comments filed in response to this notice should be submitted to the persons listed below and must be received by 4:30 p.m. on July 16, 2021.**

Send comments to both:

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For more information regarding this matter, please contact Kate Gaffney by email at [kathryn.gaffney@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:kathryn.gaffney@waterboards.ca.gov).

Date of Notice: **July 1, 2021**