

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD

DIVISION OF WATER RIGHTS

In the Matter of Water Right Application 30603A

Stockton East Water District

ORDER CANCELING WATER RIGHT APPLICATION

SOURCE: Stanislaus River

COUNTY: San Joaquin

WHEREAS:

1. Stockton East Water District (Applicant) filed water right Application 30603 with the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board), Division of Water Rights (Division), on April 4, 1997 requesting the right to divert up to 407,000 acre-feet annually from the Stanislaus River.
2. On June 30, 2004, the Division received a request to split the water right application. The subsequent split resulted in requesting the right to divert up to 111,900 acre-feet annually from the Stanislaus River under Application 30603A.
3. On September 17, 2014, the Division received notice from the Applicant indicating that they were withdrawing Application 30603A.
4. Pursuant to Resolution No. 2012-0029, the State Water Board has delegated authority to the Deputy Director for Water Rights (Deputy Director) to cancel applications. (Resolution No. 2012-0029, section 4.5.2.) Resolution No. 2012-0029 authorizes the Deputy Director to redelegate this authority, and this authority has been so redelegated by memorandum dated July 6, 2012.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED THAT APPLICATION 30603A IS HEREBY CANCELED.

Applicant shall document any diversions made under claim of right independent of a permit, license, registration or certification issued by the State Water Board, such as diversions under riparian or pre-1914 rights. With limited exceptions, Water Code section 5101 requires that a Statement of Water Diversion and Use be filed for these diversions. Water Code section 5107 (c)(1) provides that the State Water Board may impose a civil liability of \$1,000, plus \$500 per day for each additional day on which the violation continues if the person fails to file a statement within 30 days after the board has called the violation to the attention of that person. These penalties are in addition to any penalties that may be imposed if the diverter does not hold a valid right or diverts in excess of what is authorized under that right.

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ORIGINAL SIGNED BY:
SCOTT MCFARLAND FOR

*Barbara Evoy, Deputy Director
Division of Water Rights*

Dated: MAR 02 2015