Dear Ms. Haddix:

There is no scheduled opportunity for replies to the closing briefs. It is not generally the Board’s practice to allow reply briefs after closing briefs are filed. Section 648.5 of title 23 of the California Code of Regulations sets out the order in which adjudicative proceedings are generally conducted, subject to modification by the presiding officer for good cause. Accordingly, the hearing officers allowed the parties to submit closing briefs on June 17, 2016 in lieu of oral closing statements.

Sincerely,

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Thank you.

Please confirm whether or not there will be an opportunity for rebuttals/replies to the closing briefs that were filed on June 17, 2016.
Ladies and Gentlemen:

On June 21, 2016, the Prosecution Team submitted an objection to the Declaration of Glen Hansen in Support of Fahey’s Closing Brief and to the exhibits to that declaration (Corrected June 23, 2016). G. Scott Fahey and Sugar Pine Spring Water, LP, and any other parties, may submit a response to the objection. Responses are limited to no more than five pages in length. The deadline for submittal of a response is noon, July 8, 2016.

The objection and additional information is posted on the Project Website.

If you have any questions regarding this email, please contact me or Ernie Mona at 916.341.5359 or ernie.mona@waterboards.ca.gov.

Thank you,

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