

EXHIBIT 28



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to:331:YM:X003488

Mr. G. Scott Fahey
2787 Stony Fork Way
Boise, ID 83706

TEMPORARY APPLICATION NUMBER X003488, WET MEADOWS SPRINGS
TRIBUTARY TO HULL CREEK, IN TUOLUMNE RIVER

This is to acknowledge receipt of your application for a water right permit filed with the
Division of Water Rights (Division).

Your application has been given the temporary number X003488. The processing of your
application has been assigned to Yoko Mooring, a staff engineer with the Division.

The review and processing of your application must comply with provisions of the
California Water Code and the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). You should be
aware that the water right process is a relatively complex process that can require substantial
time. In addition, the Division currently has a backlog of pending applications, which may
further delay the processing of your application.

As the first step in the water right process, the Division will prepare and distribute a notice of
your application. Any party can submit a protest against your application during the protest
period based on impacts to existing water rights or impacts to the environment. Concurrent with
the noticing procedure, Division staff will conduct a preliminary environmental review as
required by CEQA. Following completion of the noticing process and preliminary
environmental review, we will contact you to advise you of the actions that must be completed to
continue processing your application.

Please contact Yoko Mooring at (916) 341-5362 if you have any questions or would like to
determine the status of you application.

LARRY L. ATTAWAY
Program Manager
Application and Petition Section

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*"The energy challenge facing California is real. Every Californian needs to take immediate action to reduce energy consumption.
For a list of simple ways you can reduce demands and cut your energy costs, see our web-site at: <http://waterrights.ca.gov>."*

APP-REC-DIVLA (3-01) Additional copies of this form and water right information can be obtained at www.waterrights.ca.gov

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NEW APPLICATION I.D. NUMBER X 3488

NAME H. Scott Fahey I.D. NO.

APPLICATION REC'D. BY: MAIL O.C. FROM APPLICANT: AGENT

DATE REC'D. 11/8/02 MAPS SUBMITTED: ENG APPL: MAPS DUE

FEE REC'D. \$100.00 DFG FEE \$850.00 ACCEPT: UNCLEAR RETURN

FEE TOTAL \$950.00 APPLICATION RETURNED:

FEE DUE: 2 APPLICATION RESUBMITTED:

RELATED APPLICATIONS: (A29977)

IN ADJUDICATION AREA: No

POD # 1 STREAM CODE: 5-012-07-00-9 ^{WSP} Hull Ck - Clavey Rv - Tuolumne Rv
thence SJ River

QUAD NAME Hull Creek MAP CODE HH59 MIN SERIES 7.5

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(Add supplemental sheet with POD'S if appropriate)