



State Water Resources Control Board



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NOTICE OF CANCELLATION OF PUBLIC HEARING

**The State Water Resources Control Board has cancelled the
Public Hearing on Petitions to Change
Water Right Licenses 2685, 6047, and 11395
(Applications 1224, 10572, and 16186, respectively) of
Merced Irrigation District (Merced River in Mariposa and Merced Counties)**

The canceled hearing was scheduled to commence on

**Tuesday, December 3, 2002 - 9:00 a.m.
The Joe Serna, Jr. Cal/EPA Building
Room 230 – Second Floor
1001 I Street, Sacramento**

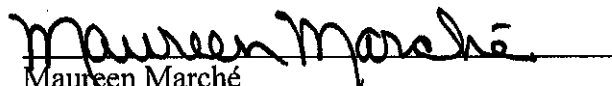
SUBJECT OF CANCELED HEARING

The purpose of this hearing was to receive evidence that would have assisted the State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) in determining whether to approve, subject to any terms and conditions, Merced Irrigation District's (MID) petitions to change Licenses 2685, 6047, and 11395 to add E1 Nido Irrigation District (ENID) to MID's place of use and to add a point of rediversion.

SUBJECT OF PRE-HEARING CONFERENCE

The hearing officer conducted a pre-hearing conference on November 5, 2002. The pre-hearing conference concluded with a withdrawal of the sole remaining protest by the California Department of Fish and Game, following a successful conclusion of negotiations among the parties aiming at protest resolution. The due date for submittal of exhibits for the hearing by the parties scheduled for November 15, 2002 has also been cancelled.

Questions concerning this notice may be directed to Kyriacos Kyriacou, Staff Engineer, at (916) 341-5347 or Samantha Olson, Staff Counsel, at (916) 327-8235 or faxed to Mr. Kyriacou at (916) 341-5400.


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Clerk to the Board

Date: November 15, 2002