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12 **BEFORE THE**
13 **MONTEREY PENINSULA WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT**

14 IN RE: CALIFORNIA AMERICAN
15 WATER RYAN RANCH WATER
16 DISTRIBUTION PERMIT.

17 **DECLARATION OF F. MARK SCHUBERT**
18 **IN SUPPORT OF REQUEST FOR**
19 **CONTINUANCE**

20 Hearing Date: January 21, 2009
21 Time: 8:30 A.M.

22 I, F. Mark Schubert, declare:

23 1. I am Vice President of Engineering for California American Water (also
24 referred to herein as "the Company"). As Vice President of Engineering, I am
25 responsible for the capital program related to the development and maintenance of
26 various water systems throughout California serving approximately 175,000 customers.
27 I have over 25 years of water industry experience.

28 2. In my role as Vice President of Engineering, I supervise 14 engineers that
perform planning and project management functions for capital projects across the
State of California. One person I supervise is Mr. John Kilpatrick, a senior planning
engineer based in our Sacramento office.

3. Mr. Kilpatrick has been a senior planning engineer with California
American Water for over two years. In that time he has conducted or supervised the

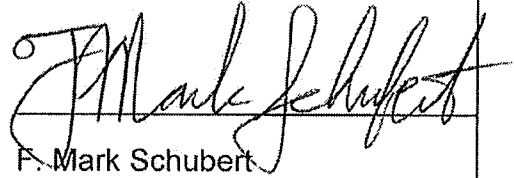
1 preparation of engineering comprehensive planning studies related to the capacity and
2 operation of California American Water's Monterey Peninsula water system.

3 4. On January 12, 2009, Mr. Kilpatrick went on paternity leave. He is
4 unavailable to perform any of his work duties until he returns to the office on Monday,
5 February 1, 2009.

6 5. California American Water has no other engineer currently available to
7 testify with the appropriate knowledge of the matters at issue in this hearing.

8 I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that
9 the foregoing is true and correct.

10 Dated: January 20, 2009

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12 F. Mark Schubert