

EXHIBIT 16-K

June 23, 2011

Monterey Peninsula Water Management District
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Subject: *Flores/Pisenti Water Distribution System Permits*

Mrs. Stern;

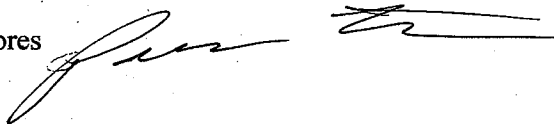
I am writing this letter to request processing of the Flores/Pisenti Water Distribution System permits based on specific reason discussed below.

- 1) After Mr. Beech requested that a pump-test be re-done, Mr. Bierman concurred and wanted to schedule immediately due to the fact that Mr. Bierman understands the economic hardship that it costs to drill a well, install pump, schedule pump-tests, carry loan payments, time-line for permit approval, for ultimately obtaining a WDS permit for purposes of selling the property.
- 2) Based on my understanding, Mr Beech does not have a valid WDS permit to use his well to serve three parcels (as referenced in his own letter to MC-RMA, dated 2/15/11, for which I believe you have a copy). If so, how can he complain about impacts from our well without a valid WDS permit.
- 3) Based on the conservative values and technical calculations used to assess offsite impacts to other wells, as presented in Mr. Bierman's report, and peer-reviewed by your own Staff and 3rd Party Hydrogeologic Consultant, suggest there is Less Than Significant Impacts to Neighboring Wells based on the Project Water Demand. It is my understanding that wells can be connected, so long as there is no impact at the projects proposed water demand.
- 4) The fear that Mr. Beech will ultimately pump his well very hard in the next several weeks to cause a situation where he dewater his own well. It seems only fair that at least the information requested by Mr. Bierman could be provided at this junction, specifically; Irrigation schedule; Flow Meter Size and Type; Flow Rate; Static Water Level; Pumping Water Level; Pump Type and Setting Depth, and that a Pump test be scheduled immediately.
- 5) It is my theory that since his well was apparently drilled in 1991, and that it has served three parcels for "x" amount of time, Mr. Beech has likely made it own well go dry, and it likely goes dry every October due to excessive use in the summer.

As you understand, time-lines are crucial. I would appreciate it very much if there would be some way to either expedite my application, or authorize Mr Beech to allow Mr. Bierman full access to his well for pump testing purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

Paul Flores



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