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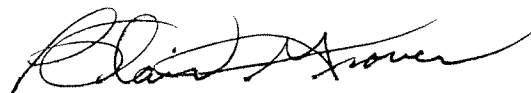
Re: Application of Vance and Sunny Hawley, Individually and the Estate of L.R. Hawley
and Venice Hawley

Dear Harold:

A meeting was held on Wednesday, August 18, 1999 between the above named Applicants and/or their representatives and the representatives of Sagewillow, Kent Foster, Norm Semanko, and Dr. Charles Brockway. After some discussion, Sagewillow felt the Applicants had resumed use of water previously used on 200 acres of so called dry farm. The legal right to do so is probably controlled by the pending case between Sagewillow and James Mays. As you know, that case is on appeal to the Supreme Court. Briefs have been submitted and oral argument will likely occur in November. The decision in that case could well be controlling in this one. Therefore, the parties generally agreed this transfer could simply remain pending until the Supreme Court rules on the existing Sagewillow case. Hopefully, that will be acceptable to the department. Would you please let me know.

Yours very truly,

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