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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEVADA

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| **UNITED STATES OF AMERICA;**<br>Plaintiff,<br><br>**WALKER RIVER PAIUTE TRIBE,**<br>Plaintiff-Intervenor,<br>**v.**<br>**WALKER RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT, et al.,**<br>Defendants.<br><br>**MINERAL COUNTY,**<br>Plaintiff-Intervenor,<br>**v.**<br>**WALKER RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT, et al.,**<br>Defendants. | IN EQUITY NO. C-125-RCJ<br>Subproceedings: C-125-B and C-125-C<br><br>3:73-CV-00125-RCJ-WGC<br>3:73-CV-00127-RCJ-WGC &<br>3:73-CV-00128-RCJ-WGC<br><br>**MOTION FOR REMOVAL FROM SERVICE LIST AND TERMINATION AS TO ATTORNEYS OF RECORD** |

Movant Office of the California Attorney General represents the California State Water Resources Control Board, California Department of Fish and Wildlife, and California Department of Parks and Recreation (California State Agencies) in the above referenced matters. Movant respectfully requests that the Court allow the removal of former deputy attorneys general Anita E. Ruud and J. Kyle Nast as attorneys of record for the California State Agencies and remove them from the service list in these matters.

Ms. Ruud and Mr. Nast have ended their employment with the Office of the California Attorney General and no longer provide legal services for the California State Agencies in these matters. Ms. Ruud has retired and Mr. Nast works for another state agency. The Court approved their Verified Petitions to Practice in this Case Only, on December 16, 2014 (Ruud) and on January 2, 2015 (Nast).

The Office of the California Attorney General continues to represent the California State Agencies in these matters. Currently assigned deputy attorneys general include Jan Zabriskie, who is admitted to the State Bar of Nevada and the Bar of this Court. Subject to the approval of her contemplated petition to appear under this Court's Local Rule IA 10-2, Supervising Deputy Attorney General Tracy Winsor will also represent the California State Agencies in this matter.

Pursuant to the October 17, 2014 Superseding Order Regarding Service [Document 2100, p. 10, paragraph 20], this Motion is not subject to the postcard notice provided in paragraph 17.c, and as a result will not be served on Unrepresented Parties who have opted for postcard service. Granting of this motion will not result in any delay in these matters.

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