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IN RE THE GENERAL ADJUDICATION OF ALL RIGHTS TO USE WATER IN THE GILA RIVER SYSTEM AND SOURCE

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# MANDATORY FORM FOR OBJECTIONS TO The Hydrographic Survey Report for The San Pedro River Watershed

W1-11-3450

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3 39-0001081 is in use.	
& 8 39-0001081 is in use since the early 1960's and should	
be assigned a PWR #; it is shown on the 1972 aerial	
photo; it irrigates a 36 acre field during eight	
months of the year (November thru June).	

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This objection is directed to Watershed

or Catalogued Well No.

File Report or Zone 2 Well Report No.

11510BA 001

(please insert no.)

(please insert no.)

#### OBJECTOR INFORMATION

Objector's Name:

Gila River Indian Community

 $San Carlos \, Apache \, Tribe; Yavapai-Apache \, Indian \, Community, Camp \, Verde \, Reservation$ 

C/O Cox & Cox

C/O Sparks & Siler, P.C.

Objector's Address:

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7503 First Street

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Phoenix, AZ 85030

Scottsdale, AZ 85251

Objector's Telephone: (602) 254-7207

(602) 949-1988

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Or Objector's Statement of Claimant No. (if the Objector's claimed water rights are located outside the San Pedro River Watershed):

39-11-05478

39-05-41142

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39-L8-36340

39-L8-37360

39-U8-63614

39-07-12675

39-05-50059

STATE OF ARIZONA

#### VERIFICATION (must be completed by objector)

#### COUNTY OF MARICOPA

I hereby make this Objection. I certify that, if required, a copy of the foregoing Objection was served upon the following Claimant(s) by mailing true and correct copies thereof on the day of May, 1992, postage prepaid and addressed as follows:

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Name:

ANDERSON DEVELOPMENT CORP, ANDERSON CARL & MARIE JO

Address

4600 MONTGOMERY BLVD. N.E SUITE #8

ALBUQUERQUE NM 87109

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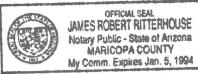
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Signature of Objector or Objector's Representative

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this \_\_\_\_ day of

May 1992.

Notary Public for the State of Arizona



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#### COUNTY OF MARICOPA

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I believe them to be true.

Signature of Objector or Objector's Representative

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this

May 1992.

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OFFICIAL SEAL JAMES ROBERT FITTERHOUSE Notary Public - State of Arizona MARICOPA COUNTY My Comm Expires Jan 5, 1994

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#### REASON FOR OBJECTION

The reason for my objection is as follows (please number your objections to correspond to the boxes checked above; please attached supporting information and additional pages as necessary. The following objection(s) are based upon information and belief:

#### CATEGORY

#### NUMBER

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4	The use of the water claimed depletes water for senior federal and Indian water rights (1150).	2 33
2	HSR does not show a well registration filing (420).	
2	HSR does not show a claimed water use rate (1000).	3 2 3
4	This well takes water directly from the flow of the river under state standards (500) (532) (1132) (1137).	
2	Not all wells have applicable statement of claimants (475).	\$ . AS
5	Claimed uses were not found by DWR (830).	
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		OBJECTOR INFORMA	TION		
Objector's Name:	Magma Copper Company (1267) ASARCO Incorpor		ASARCO Incorporated (1263)	spound#	-11
Objector's Address:	7400 No	orth Oracle Rd	P.O. Box 8	wanteng	rri
	Suite 20	00	Hayden, Arizona 85235	estate of the	
	Tucson,	Arizona 85704		13	1
Objector's Telephone No.:	(602) 57	75-5600	(602) 356-7811		
* The names, add	resses and te	lephone numbers of Objectors' attorne	eys are on the back of this form.	0	6

Objector's Watershed File Report or Zone 2 Well Report No. (if the Objector's claimed water rights are within the San Pedro River Watershed):

Magma Copper Company: 113-08-XXXX-022, et al. ASARCO Incorporated: 114-01-XXXX-005, et al.

Or Objector's Catalogued Well Number (if the Objector's claimed water rights appear only in Volume 8 of the HSR):

#### NOT APPLICABLE

Or Objector's Statement of Claimant No. (if the Objector's claimed water rights are located outside the San Pedro River Watershed): 39 - NOT APPLICABLE

STATE OF ARIZONA

VERIFICATION

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COUNTY OF MARICOPA

SUITE #8

I hereby make this Objection. I certify that, if required, a copy of the forgoing Objection was served upon the following Claimant(s) by mailing true and correct copies thereof on the <a href="11th">11th</a> day of

May \_\_\_, 199\_2\_, postage prepaid and addressed as follows:

Name ANDERSON DEVELOPMENT CORP and ANDERSON, CARL & MARIE JO Address BIRD, JOHN & JENNIFER JO

&% RUSSEL R. RAGER

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ALBUQUERQUE, NM 87109

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Signature of Objector's Representative (Magma)

Signature of Objector's Representative (ASASCO)
SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 11th day

of <u>May</u> 199 2.

Marianne Duncan Shipper

OFFICIAL SEAL
MARIANNE DUNCAN SHIPPEE
Notary Public - State of Arizona
MARICOPA COUNTY
My Coron, Expires July 17, 1994

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Category Number: 4, 8 and 11

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Magma Copper Company ("Magma") and ASARCO Incorporated ("ASARCO") submit this objection as co-objectors.

Magma and ASARCO object to the inclusion of groundwater in this Adjudication because groundwater is not subject to claims based on federal law (Uniform Objection Code Nos. 561, 562 and 1134). In addition, this objection is intended to preserve this issue until such time as it is resolved by the Arizona Supreme Court. (Uniform Objection Code No. 1130)

While this objection pertains to a specific Zone 2 Well Report number ("Zone 2 Report"), Magma and ASARCO are objecting to each Zone 2 Report that classifies a well as a "Zone 2 Well", that extends federal reserved rights to groundwater pumped from the Zone 2 Well(s), or that otherwise creates a presumption that groundwater withdrawals from the well(s) significantly affect federal reserved rights.

With respect to this particular Zone 2 Report, Magma and ASARCO presently believe that groundwater withdrawn from the subject well(s) does not significantly diminish water otherwise available to a federal reservation and therefore is not subject to the Gila Adjudication. However, should it be determined that groundwater withdrawn from the well(s) does significantly diminish water otherwise available to a federal reservation, Magma and ASARCO object to such use where such groundwater withdrawal interferes with paramount water rights of Magma or ASARCO. (Uniform Objection Code Nos. 1135, 1136 and 1150)

Magma and ASARCO are also filing this objection to obtain notice and an opportunity to be heard on all issues in the event that claims to the groundwater referenced in claimant's Zone 2 Report are adjudicated.

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115-10-BA -001 (please insert no.) or Catalogued Well No.

(please insert no.)

#### OBJECTOR INFORMATION

Objector's Name: Objector's Address:

Salt River Project

Post Office Box 52025

Phoenix, Arizona 85072-2025

Objector's Telephone No: (602)236-2210

Objector's Watershed File Report or Zone 2 Well Report No. (If the Objector's claimed water rights are within the San Pedro River Watershed):

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39-07<u>01040√ 01041, 01206, 01207, 01998</u>

39-05 50053, 50054, 50055

39-L8 35212, 35213

STATE OF Arizona

**VERIFICATION** (must be completed by objector)

#### COUNTY OF Maricopa

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Name:

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Signature of Objector or Objector's Representative

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 1st day of

May, 1992.

Notary Public for the State of Arizona

Residing at Maricopa County

My commission expires

OFFICIAL SEAL LINDA JEPPERSON Notary Public - State of Arizona MARICOPA COUNTY My Comm. Expires March 24, 1995

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#### REASON FOR OBJECTION

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	SEE ATTACHMENT 1
	In this attachment the uniform code designated by the
-	Special Master in accordance with Case Management
	Order No. 1 is shown in parenthesis following each
	objection statement.

PAGE: 1

#### ATTACHMENT 1

#### WFR CATEGORY 8 - PWR SUMMARY

The Salt River Project objects to DWR's characterization of this diversion as a "Potential Water Right." For purposes of administration, diversions should be assigned a quantity, as well as the priority date or dates associated with downstream Potential Water Rights (PWRs) for which the diversion constitutes a source of supply. The Watershed File Report for a diversion should also list all PWRs, along with their applicable Watershed File Report Nos., served by the diversion. The diversion itself, however, is not a water right, and should not be so designated in the HSR (0220). This objection applies to: DV001 and DV002.

### WFR CATEGORY 9 - QUANTITIES OF USE

The Salt River Project objects to the lack of specificity of the quantity of use assigned to this storage Potential Water Right (PWR). The Watershed File Report fails to indicate whether the volumetric quantity assigned to this PWR implies a continuous fill, one fill per year, or one fill only. Unless evidence from previous filings, or other sufficient historic evidence, indicates a clear intention to the contrary, the quantity of use assigned to a storage PWR should be sufficient to permit continuous filling of the storage reservoir (1050). This objection applies to: PS001 and SR001.

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### WFR CATEGORY 9 - QUANTITIES OF USE (continued)

The Salt River Project objects to the quantities of use assigned to this Potential Water Right (PWR). The maximum observed and regional methods used by DWR for determining quantities of use for certain agricultural irrigation PWRs are inconsistent with the Arizona doctrine of prior appropriation; these methods are also technically inaccurate. The maximum potential method used by DWR for determining quantities of use is consistent with Arizona law; however, several technical corrections are necessary. For an additional discussion of the problems associated with DWR's methods of quantification for this type of PWR, see the Salt River Project's Volume 1 objections to these methods, a copy of which is attached to this objection and incorporated herein by reference (1020). This objection applies to: IR001 and IR002.

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The Salt River Project objects to the failure of DWR to calculate a diversion rate for this Potential Water Right (PWR). All PWRs assigned a point or points of diversion should be assigned a separate diversion rate for each point of diversion. Diversion rates should be calculated at the point of diversion and should include conveyance losses (1010). This objection applies to: IR001, IR002, PS001 and SR001.

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The Salt River Project also objects to the calculation of the maximum demand rate for this Diversion PWR. DWR's method of calculating maximum demand rate relies upon principles which are inconsistent with Arizona law and, further, are technically inaccurate. The quantity associated with a diversion should be the capacity of the diversion facility or facilities, unless historic diversions indicate a different amount.

For an additional discussion of the problems with DWR's methods for quantification of Diversion PWRs, see the Salt River Project's Volume 1 objections on this issue, a copy of which is attached and incorporated herein by reference (1020). This objection applies to: DV001 and DV002.

# EXCERPT FROM SALT RIVER PROJECT OBJECTIONS TO VOLUME 1 OF THE SAN PEDRO RIVER HSR

#### IRRIGATION QUANTITY ESTIMATES

(page numbers refer to Volume 1)

#### INTRODUCTION

The Salt River Project objects to DWR's estimation methods and results for irrigation water quantities for the following reasons:

First, the Salt River Project objects to DWR's estimation of water duty under both the "maximum observed" and "regional" methods. In the absence of decreed rights, which must be accepted by the court in the absence of abandonment, Arizona law requires that the extent of an appropriative right be measured according to the quantity of water that the appropriator diverted for beneficial use since the time of the appropriation. A.R.S. § 45-141(B) ("Beneficial use shall be the basis, measure and limit to the use of water"). Neither the "maximum observed" or "regional" quantification methods employed by DWR properly estimate maximum actual historical beneficial use as required by law.

The Salt River Project supports DWR's estimation of water duty using the "maximum potential" method since, in the absence of sufficient historical records, this method properly estimates maximum actual historical beneficial use.

Second, DWR's method to compute maximum observed water duty does not accurately estimate maximum actual historical beneficial use since it incorporates inaccurate crop irrigation requirements, deficit irrigation, five years or less of crop history, or overly high efficiency estimates.

Third, although DWR has developed new terminology in reporting regional water duties, DWR still uses the Arizona Groundwater Code method of "areas of similar farming conditions" (ASFC), now termed "regional farming conditions" (RFC). The RFC method assigns a weighted average consumptive use requirement to the water duty equation based upon the types of crops recently grown by appropriators in a designated area. Historical information or records evincing an individual claimant's actual cropping patterns and the quantities of water actually used to cultivate such crops since the time of appropriation are not considered. In fact, the Court noted that "[average efficient use] is not directly related to what is the property's water right[s] . . . " (Entitlement Order at 6). the prior appropriation doctrine, an appropriator who has grown alfalfa on his property historically is entitled to a water duty that will support alfalfa, regardless of the crops that he or his neighbors are currently growing. Under DWR's "averaging" approach, an appropriator in this situation would be assigned an apparent entitlement inadequate to meet crop needs.

Additionally, under the RFC concept, the efficiency of various irrigation methods is averaged among appropriators, thus further exacerbating the inadequate water duty for the appropriator who does not have a system with above-average efficiency.

Fourth, there are a number of technical errors in DWR's calculation of crop consumptive use including the use of a five year crop history, adjusted weather data, relative humidity, growing season, effective precipitation, crop coefficients, alfalfa stand establishment, deficit irrigation, and efficiency estimates.

#### Five Year Crop History

pp. 146-151, C-18, C-19, C-68 through C-78

The Salt River Project objects to DWR's use of its five year investigation period for computing acreages irrigated for maximum observed quantification and for computing crop irrigation water requirements for both maximum observed and regional quantifications. Indeed, it appears that DWR has relied heavily on a single year (1990) of crop survey data. The information developed from a single year, or five year period, cannot be used to properly estimate actual historical beneficial use since low consumptive use crops or no crop may be present during the period. Thus, historical cropping practices or completion of a crop rotation are not reflected.

# Adjusted Weather Data pp. C-6 through C-19

The Salt River Project objects to DWR's adjustment of weather station temperatures from recorded values and relative humidities from estimated values. The temperature and relative humidity adjustment procedure is intended for prediction of crop water requirements for large, new irrigation developments where the current observations are from a nearby non-irrigated area. Because of the "clothesline" configuration of San Pedro irrigated areas in relation to the extremely arid surrounding environment, it is extremely doubtful there is any moderating effect due to surrounding irrigated land or to the San Pedro River.

#### Relative Humidity

pp. C-9, C-17, C-25, C-29, C-34, C-92

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# Growing Season pp. C-20, C-24

The Salt River Project objects to DWR's use of field observations during one or just a few years to estimate the length of growing season for perennial crops. A few field observations of irrigation dates do not define the water use period because water use occurs both before and after irrigation and because growing seasons vary from year to year. Growing seasons can best be determined for perennial crops by a relationship between plant growth and mean temperature or mean date of low temperatures over an extended period of record.

# Effective Precipitation pp. C-38, C-40 through C-49

The Salt River Project objects to DWR's method of estimating nongrowing season effective precipitation. The procedure used neglects runoff, uses soil constant values that are highly variable and not well quantified, and is unclear about assumptions of initial soil moisture conditions for each month. Published methods can be used to estimate non-growing season effective precipitation for the winter months, the relevant period for most crops. Furthermore, the Salt River Project objects to DWR's use of a 50 percent probability of precipitation, which results in an inadequate supply in one-half of the years. A 50 percent probability indicates that average effective precipitation is subtracted from crop consumptive use when DWR calculates the irrigation requirement. This means that in years of below-average precipitation, irrigation users would be unable to replace the lack of precipitation with additional irrigation water. The amount of precipitation that is available 80 percent of the time for field crops and 90 percent of the time for orchards and vegetables is appropriate.

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### Alfalfa Stand Establishment

p. C-37

The Salt River Project objects to DWR's failure to include water for alfalfa stand establishment as an "Other Need."

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pp. C-4, C-5, C-54 through C-68

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#### Efficiency Estimates

pp. 138-140, C-51 through C-54

The Salt River Project objects to DWR's omission of the effect of a rotation delivery system on On-Farm Irrigation Efficiency. A rotation delivery system reduces On-Farm Irrigation Efficiency below that which can be achieved if irrigation water is available on demand.

The Salt River Project also objects to DWR's use of average estimated values of irrigation efficiency for regional quantification. The use of average efficiencies understates entitlements for one-half of all irrigated acres on this basis alone.

# EXCERPT FROM SALT RIVER PROJECT OBJECTIONS TO VOLUME 1 OF THE SAN PEDRO RIVER HSR

#### MAXIMUM DEMAND ESTIMATES

(page numbers refer to Volume 1)

# Maximum Demand Rate for Diversions pp. 142, 152-154, C-81 through C-83

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### IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MARICOPA

IN RE THE GENERAL ADJUDICATION OF ALL RIGHTS TO USE WATER IN THE GILA RIVER SYSTEM AND SOURCE

Contested Case File: W111003450

### MANDATORY FORM FOR OBJECTIONS TO The Hydrographic Survey Report for The San Pedro River Watershed

Please file a separate objection for each Watershed File Report, Zone 2 Well Report or Catalogued Well Report. Objections to information contained in Volume 1 of the HSR can be stated on one objection form. Objections must be written. Use of this form, or a computer facsimile, is required. Objections must be received on or before May 18, 1992. Objections must be filed with the Clerk of the Superior Court in and for Maricopa County, Maricopa County Courthouse Annex, 3345 W. Durango Street, Phoenix, AZ 85009.

This objection is directed to Watershed File Report or Zone 2 Well Report No.

115-10-BA-001

or Catalogued Well No.

(please insert no.)

(please insert no.)

**OBJECTOR INFORMATION** 

Objector's Name:

United States of America

Co-Objector's Name:

Gila River Indian Community

c/o Cox & Cox

Co-Objector's Name:

San Carlos Apache Tribe; Tonto

Apache Tribe; Yavapai-Apache Indian

Community; Camp Verde Reservation

c/o Sparks & Siler, P.C.

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Objector's Watershed File Report or Zone 2 Well Report No. (if the Objector's claimed water rights are within the San Pedro River Watershed):

111-19-009 V

Or Objector's Catalogued Well Number (if the Objector's claimed water rights appear only in Volume 8 of the HSR):

Or Objector's Statement of Claimant No. (if the Objector's claimed water rights are located outside the San Pedro River Watershed):

39-11-05478

39-05-41142

39-07-12652

39-07-12676

39-05-50058

39-07-12169

39-U8-60083

39-L8-36340

39-L8-37360

39-U8-63614

39-07-12675

39-05-50059

STATE OF ARIZONA COUNTY OF MARICOPA

I hereby make this Objection. I certify that, if required, a copy of the foregoing Objection was served upon the following Claimant(s) by mailing true and correct copies thereof on the 18th day of May, 1992, postage prepaid and addressed as follows:

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115-10-BA-001

ANDERSON DEVELOPMENT CORP ANDERSON, CARL & MARIE JO

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(The above section must be completed if you object to another claimant's Watershed File Report, Zone 2 Well Report, or Catalogued Well Report. It does not need to be completed if you file an objection to your own Watershed File Report, Zone 2 Well Report, Catalogued Well Report, or to information contained in Hydrographic Survey Report ARKS Volume

Notary Public - State of Arizona MARICOPA COUNTY My Comm Expires Aug. 25, 1995

#### VERIFICATION (must be completed by objector)

I declare under penalty of perjury that I am a claimant in this proceeding or the duly-authorized representative of a claimant; that I have read the contents of this Objection (both sides and any attachments) and know the contents thereof; and that the information contained in the Objection is true based on my own personal knowledge, except those portions of the Objection which are indicated as being known to me on information and belief and, as to those portions, I them to be true

Signature of Objector or Objector's Representative

Signature of Co-Object

Signature of Co-Objector or Co-Objector's Representative

day of May, 1992.

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this

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#### STATEMENT OF THE OBJECTION

The following are the main categories of the typical Watershed File Report (Zone 2 Well Reports and some Watershed File Reports lack certain categories). Please check the category(ies) to which you object, and state the reason for the objection on the back of this form.

I object to the description of Land Ownership. [XX] 2. I object to the description of Applicable Filings and Decrees. [XX] 3. I object to the description of DWR's Analysis of Filings and Decrees. [XX] I object to the description of Diversions for the claimed water right(s). 4. I object to the description of Uses for the claimed water right(s). 1 6. I object to the description of Reservoirs used for the claimed water right(s). 1 I object to the description of Shared Uses & Diversions for the claimed water right(s). 7. [XX] I object to the PWR (Potential Water Right) Summary of the claimed water right(s). [XX] I object to the description of Quantities of Use for the claimed water right(s). I object to the Explanation provided for the claimed water right(s). [ ] 10. Other Objections (please state volume, page and line number for each objection). ] 11.

#### REASON FOR OBJECTION

The reason for my objection is as follows (please number your objections to correspond to the boxes checked above; please attach supporting information and additional pages as necessary):

2. The claimant and/or ADWR fail(s) to associate this claim with a pre-adjudication water filing as required by Arizona statute. (SM 420)

The available historical record does not support the priority date listed in the adjudication filings. (SM 478) (NONE; IR001)

Adjudication filings associated with this WFR contain inaccurate or incomplete information. (SM 478)

The statement of claimant lists a use not verified by DWR. (SM 478)

The use of water listed under this Watershed File Report is challenged because it interferes with downstream federal reserved rights and is contrary to state and federal law. (SM 560)

One or more of the POU legal descriptions listed in the WFR is too general. (SM 720) (3900010800000; 3900010810000; 3900010820000; 3900122350000; IR001)

There is no quantity amount listed for a pre-filing and/or filing under this WFR. (SM 1000) (3900010800000; 3900010810000; 3900010820000)

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- 4. According to ADWR, the Point of Diversion (POD) identified as serving the Places of Use (POU) under this WFR is currently inactive. The claimant and/or ADWR need(s) to provide information regarding the POD that provides water to the POUs. (SM 500)

The diversion is not associated with a POU. It may be unused, discontinued or not applicable and should not be assigned a water right. (SM 600)

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The maximum observed volume is less than both the regional and claimed volume of use for this PWR. A claimant is not entitled to more water than has been put to beneficial use. (SM 1000)

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