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Mr. Alan Ariki  
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Dear Mr. Ariki:

The Department of Water Resources (DWR) has reviewed the Los Angeles County Water Works District No. 29 (District) 2010 Urban Water Management Plan (UWMP) received July 28, 2011. The California Water Code (CWC) directs DWR to report to the legislature once every five years on the status of submitted plans. In meeting this legislative reporting requirement, DWR reviews all submitted plans to ensure that they have addressed the required elements of the California Water Code.

DWR's review of the Company's 2010 plan has determined the following required elements have not been addressed in accordance with the Water Code:

- Agencies that are members of the California Urban Water Conservation Council (Council) may meet the Demand Management Measures (DMMs) requirement by submitting their evaluated 2009-2010 Council Best Management Practices (BMP) Report showing that all BMPs are "on-track". This report was not submitted in the 2010 UWMP. CWC Sections 10631(f)(g)(h) and (j)
- The service area population for the baseline period was not calculated in accordance with Technical Methodology 2: Service Area Population, found in Methodologies for Calculating Baseline and Compliance Urban Per Capita Water Use, DWR 2010. An adjustment to the baseline population may affect the baseline and target water use, which should be adjusted accordingly. CWC Section 10631 (a).

To meet the requirements of the Water Code and to be eligible for State water grants and loans, the District should consider revising its 2010 UWMP to address the UWMP elements listed above. Revised plans must be adopted by the agency's governing board following the public process specified in the UWMP Act. DWR encourages water suppliers to send drafts of the revised sections to DWR for review before adopting the revised plan.

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After adoption, copies of the revised plan should be sent to DWR, the State Library, and local cities and counties. On receiving the revised plan, DWR will review the revised sections for compliance with the UWMP Act.

Please feel free to contact me if you would like to discuss this further.

Sincerely,



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