Cottonwood Creek Consolidated
Irrigation Company

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Re: Cottonwood Creek Consolidated Irrigation Company/River Commissioner

Dear Marc

Cottonwood Creek Consolidated Irrigation Company has evaluated the recent resignation of Dustin Huntington as river commissioner on Cottonwood Creek. It is our position that we do not wish to appoint another commissioner. The reasons for this conclusion are as follows: (1)Our system from Joes Valley Reservoir to the head of our canals is now controlled electronically. Through measuring sensors, we are able to control the distribution of the releases from the reservoir. (2)The monitoring and control of these devices are contracted with Emery Water Conservancy District. (3) Two of the lower diversions have agreed to come into the company and will be regulated by the company. (4)The distribution above the reservoir has been a question of jurisdiction between the company and the river commissioner. It appears that the company will have to assume that responsibility. (5)That leaves the Mill Ditch. They will need to appoint a representative to meet with the irrigation company's water masters on a weekly basis to place their call on the river. That water will be released for their diversion.

There are surplus funds in the river commissioner account. Cottonwood Creek Consolidated Irrigation Company requests that these funds be returned to the contributors.

We will be willing to meet and discuss this new arrangement at the next regular State Engineer river meeting, but we will not be willing to make a new appointment of a river commissioner.

Sincerely yours,

Clyde Magnuson, President

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