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14 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
15 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
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17 FIREBAUGH CANAL WATER
DISTRICT and CENTRAL CALIFORNIA
18 IRRIGATION DISTRICT,

19 Plaintiffs,

20 v.

21 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA; et al.,

22 Defendants.

23 SUMNER PECK RANCH, INC., et al.,

24 Plaintiffs,

25 v.

26 BUREAU OF RECLAMATION, et al.,

27 Defendants.
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CASE NO. 1:88-cv-00634 OWW DLB

CONSOLIDATED WITH
CIV-F-91-048 OWW DLB

**REQUEST FOR LEAVE TO FILE
COMBINED BRIEF IN EXCESS OF
STANDING ORDER PAGE LIMITATION
AND ORDER THEREON**

DATE: February 28, 2011

TIME: 10:00 a.m.

COURTROOM: 3

JUDGE: Hon. Oliver W. Wanger

1 Defendants Westlands Water District, Panoche Water District, and Panoche Drainage
2 District (collectively "District Defendants") hereby request leave to exceed the page limitation for
3 a single brief set forth in the Court's "Standing Order in All Civil Cases Assigned to U.S. District
4 Judge Oliver W. Wanger." Paragraph 4 of the Standing Order provides that "briefs or
5 memoranda in civil cases shall not exceed 25 pages" without prior leave of the Court.

6 District Defendants seek leave, to the extent necessary, to file the combined District
7 Defendants' Memorandum in Support of Cross-Motion for Summary Judgment and Opposition to
8 Firebaugh Plaintiffs' Motion for Summary Judgment, which totals 50 pages, in lieu of two 25-
9 page briefs. Combined District Defendants need 50 pages in order to support their cross-motion
10 for summary judgment and oppose the Firebaugh Plaintiffs' 61-page Memorandum in Support of
11 Motion for Summary Judgment (Doc. 819, CV-F-00634). If necessary, District Defendants could
12 separate the cross-motion and opposition into individual briefs of 25 pages each and thereby
13 comply with the Standing Order. District Defendants have instead provided those arguments in a
14 single combined brief for the convenience of the Court and the parties.

15 Dated: December 10, 2010

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21 IT IS SO ORDERED.

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23 Dated: December 22, 2010

/s/ Oliver W. Wanger
24 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE