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4 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
5 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
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8 NATURAL RESOURCES DEFENSE  
COUNCIL, *et al.*,

9 Plaintiffs,

10 v.

11 SALLY JEWELL, in her official capacity  
as Secretary of the Interior, *et al.*,

12 Defendants.  
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15 SAN LUIS & DELTA MENDOTA  
WATER AUTHORITY, *et al.*,

16 Defendants-Intervenors.  
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18 ANDERSON-COTTONWOOD  
IRRIGATION DISTRICT, *et al.*,

19 Joined Parties.  
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Case No. 1:05-cv-01207 LJO-EPG

**STIPULATION AND ORDER TO  
CONTINUE HEARING DATE FOR  
PLAINTIFFS' MOTION FOR  
RECONSIDERATION OR, IN THE  
ALTERNATIVE, LEAVE TO  
SUPPLEMENT THE COMPLAINT**

1 **RECITALS**

2 WHEREAS, on January 19, 2017, Plaintiffs filed their Motion for Reconsideration or, in  
3 the Alternative, Leave to Supplement the Complaint (“Motion for Reconsideration”), Doc. 1055;

4 WHEREAS, the hearing date for that motion is currently set for March 1, 2017;

5 WHEREAS, the parties are engaged in ongoing discussions regarding a stipulation to allow  
6 Plaintiffs to file a Fifth Supplemental Complaint;

7 WHEREAS, such a stipulation may resolve the issues raised in Plaintiffs’ pending Motion  
8 for Reconsideration;

9 WHEREAS, the parties have requested one previous continuance for Plaintiffs’ Motion for  
10 Reconsideration (Doc. 1057), which was granted by this Court on January 31, 2017 (Doc. 1059);

11 WHEREAS, the parties by and through their respective counsel of record, as identified  
12 below, have conferred and agree that it is in the interests of judicial efficiency to continue the  
13 hearing date for Plaintiffs’ Motion for Reconsideration in order to allow the parties further time to  
14 negotiate a stipulation; and

15 WHEREAS, the parties agree that the hearing date for Plaintiffs’ Motion for  
16 Reconsideration should be continued by seven (7) days to March 8, 2017.

17 **STIPULATION**

18 NOW THEREFORE, counsel for Plaintiffs and Defendants hereby stipulate to continue the  
19 hearing date on Plaintiffs’ Motion for Reconsideration, Doc. 1055, by seven (7) days to March 8,  
20 2017.

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**ORDER**

Pursuant to the Parties' Stipulation, the Court hereby continues the hearing date for Plaintiffs' Motion for Reconsideration or, in the Alternative, Leave to Supplement the Complaint (Doc. 1055) by seven (7) days to March 8, 2017.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: February 15, 2017

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