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3 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
4 **FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

5 **FRIANT WATER AUTHORITY, *et al.*,**

6 **Plaintiffs,**

7 **v.**

8 **SALLY JEWELL, as Secretary of the UNITED**  
9 **STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, *et***  
10 ***al.*,**

11 **Defendants,**

12 **SAN JOAQUIN RIVER EXCHANGE**  
13 **CONTRACTORS WATER AUTHORITY, *et al.*,**

14 **Intervenors,**

15 **SAN LUIS & DELTA-MENDOTA WATER**  
16 **AUTHORITY, *et al.*,**

17 **Defendant-Intervenors.**

**Case No. 1:14-CV-000765-LJO-BAM**

**MEMORANDUM DECISION AND**  
**ORDER RE PLAINTIFFS’**  
**MOTION TO TRANSFER TO**  
**COURT OF FEDERAL CLAIMS**  
**(Doc. 71)**

18 On December 18, 2014, pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a)(1)(A)(i), Plaintiffs in  
19 this case voluntarily dismissed their entire action without prejudice as to the United States Bureau of  
20 Reclamation, United States Department of the Interior, David Murillo, Lowell Pimley, Michael Jackson,  
21 and Sally Jewell (collectively, “Federal Defendants”), defendants Grassland Resource Conservation  
22 District and Grassland Water District (collectively, “Grassland”), and intervenor the San Joaquin River  
23 Exchange Contractors Water Authority (“Exchange Contractors”). Doc. 99.

24 On December 29, 2014, the Parties stipulated to dismiss all remaining claims against all  
25 remaining parties as follows:

- 26 • Plaintiffs’ action is voluntarily dismissed without prejudice as to San Luis and the Exchange  
Contractors pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a)(1)(A)(ii);
- The Exchange Contractors’ Complaint in Intervention is voluntarily dismissed without prejudice

as to Plaintiffs and San Luis by stipulation pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a)(1)(A)(ii);

- The Exchange Contractors' Complaint in Intervention is voluntarily dismissed without prejudice as to all other parties by notice pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a)(1)(A)(i).

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Accordingly, pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a), all remaining claims against all remaining parties are dismissed without prejudice. The Clerk of Court is directed to CLOSE THIS CASE.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: January 5, 2015

/s/ Lawrence J. O'Neill  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE