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Dear Ms. Harkins:

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We have reviewed the Colorado River Interim Surplus Guidelines prepared as the "Seven Basin States Consensus Proposal." We concur with the method that has been negotiated between the basin states and urge that the Secretary of the Interior adopt this plan, as written in the Federal Register / Vol. 65, No. 153 / Tuesday, August 8, 2000, as the preferred alternative.

1: See response to Comment 13-19.

Sincerely, nsin _

Eugene Johansen, President Emery Water Conservancy District

cc: Larry Anderson, Director Division of Water Resources