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METROPOLITAN WATER DISTRICT OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

October 14, 1993

To: Board of Directors (Legal and Claims Committee--Action)

From: General Manager

Subject: Write-Off of Uncollectible Cleanup Costs

### Report

On December 17, 1990, a District survey team discovered an illegal dump consisting of crude oil and water on the grounds of the Jensen plant. A third party was not identified by either Protective Services or by the Environmental Safety and Health Section. Costs accumulated under Work Order No. 7-9269 for cleanup amounted to \$15,728.57. Pursuant to Administrative Code section 9201, the Board must authorize write-offs in excess of \$10,000.

### Board Committee Assignment

This letter was referred to the Legal and Claims Committee for action because it has jurisdiction in this area, pursuant to Administrative Code Section 2461(a).

### Recommendation

#### **LEGAL AND CLAIMS COMMITTEE FOR ACTION.**

It is recommended that the Board authorize the General Manager, with the advice of the General Counsel, to write off the costs in the amount of \$15,728.57.



John R. Wodraska

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