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CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE—1979-80 REGULAR SESSION

ASSEMBLY BILL

No. 1606

Introduced by Assemblymen Lehman and Costa

April 2, 1979

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT

An act to amend Sections 2, 4, 8, 9, 24, and 46 of the Kings River Conservation District Act (Chapter 931 of the Statutes of 1951), relating to the Kings River Conservation District, and declaring the urgency thereof, to take effect immediately.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 1606, as amended, Lehman (L.Gov.). Kings River Conservation District.

(1) Under existing law, 6 directors of the Kings River Conservation District are elected by division and one is elected at large, and a director is required to be a district elector, landowner, and resident.

This bill would provide instead that the 6 directors shall reside within such divisions but shall be elected by the entire district, and would delete the requirement for a director to be a landowner.

(2) *Under existing law, the Kings River Conservation District is created and governed pursuant to a special act of the Legislature which prescribes the boundaries, powers, and purposes of the district.*

This bill would revise the boundaries of the district. The bill

would also make legislative findings and determinations relating to the right of the district to take, use, control, or distribute any of the waters of the Kings River, and would specify, with respect to the waters of the Kings River, that the district shall have no power to condemn specified works and water rights.

(3) The bill would go into immediate effect as an urgency statute.

Vote: $\frac{3}{4}$. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no. State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Section 2 of the Kings River
2 Conservation District Act (Chapter 931 of the Statutes of
3 1951) is amended to read:

4 Sec. 2. A district is hereby created to be known and
5 designated as Kings River Conservation District, and the
6 boundaries and territory of said district are as follows:

7 All that territory lying and being within the following
8 described boundaries:

9 Commencing in the middle of the Main Channel of
10 Kings River on the east section line of Section 18,
11 Township 13 South, Range 24 East, M. D. B. & M.; thence
12 running southwesterly along the center of said Main
13 Channel through Section 19 of said township to the point
14 at which the said Main Channel divides into the West and
15 East Channels in the southeast quarter of the northeast
16 quarter of Section 24, Township 13 South, Range 23 East,
17 M. D. B. & M., thence along the center of the said West
18 Channel of Kings River to the intersection with a line 200
19 feet northerly of and parallel to the northerly-most parts
20 of the diverting dam across the said West Channel of
21 Kings River near the headgate of the Gould Canal;
22 thence westerly across said West Channel of Kings River
23 along said parallel line to the point of intersection of said
24 parallel line with a line 100 feet northwesterly from and
25 parallel with the outside foot of the northwesterly bank
26 of the said Gould Canal; thence parallel with said foot of
27 bank and 100 feet distant therefrom in a general

1 southwesterly direction through Section 25 to the
2 intersection of the last above described line with the
3 center of that certain public road known as Trimmer
4 Springs Road in Section 26; thence southwesterly along
5 the center of said Trimmer Springs Road to the point of
6 intersection of said center of Trimmer Springs Road with
7 the outside foot of the north bank of the said Gould Canal;
8 thence along said foot of bank northwesterly through said
9 Section 26; thence southwesterly through Section 27 to
10 the intersection with the Enterprise Canal; thence
11 following the outside foot of the northerly or easterly
12 bank of said Enterprise Canal, in a general northwesterly
13 direction through Sections 27, 28, 33, 32, 31, 30, 29, 20, 19
14 and 18 of said township, Sections 13, 14, 15, 10, 9, 16, 17,
15 8 and 7 of Township 13 South, Range 22 East, M. D. B. &
16 M., Sections 12, 1 and 2 of Township 13 South, Range 21
17 East, M. D. B. & M. and Sections 35, 34, 27 and 28 of
18 Township 12 South, Range 21 East, M. D. B. & M., to the
19 west line of Section 28 of the last named township; thence
20 leaving foot of said bank north along section lines about
21 five-eighths of a mile to the east quarter corner of Section
22 20; thence west one-half mile to the center of Section 20;
23 thence north one-half mile to the north quarter corner of
24 Section 20; thence west along the north line of Section 20
25 to the intersection with the outside foot of the northerly
26 or easterly bank of the said Enterprise Canal; thence
27 following said foot of bank of canal, in a general westerly
28 direction through Sections 17 and 18 of Township 12
29 South, Range 21 East, M. D. B. & M. and Sections 13 and
30 24 of Township 12 South, Range 20 East, M. D. B. & M.,
31 to the east and west center line of Section 24 of the last
32 named township; thence leaving said foot of bank of
33 canal, west to the center of Section 23 of last named
34 township; thence south one-half mile to the south quarter
35 corner of said Section 23; thence west along section lines
36 about one and three-eighths miles to the easterly line of
37 Blackstone Avenue; thence southwesterly along the
38 easterly line of Blackstone Avenue to the east and west
39 center line of Section 28 of the last named township;
40 thence west along half section lines to the top of the

1 easterly bluff of the San Joaquin River; thence following
 2 down the top of said bluff in a general westerly direction
 3 through Sections 29, 32 and 31 of the last named township,
 4 Sections 367, 35, 34, 33, 32 and 31 of Township 12 South,
 5 Range 19 East, M. D. B. & M., Section 6 of Township 13
 6 South, Range 19 East, M. D. B. & M., to the west line of
 7 said Section 6; thence north along the west line of said
 8 Section 6 to the intersection with the south bank of the
 9 San Joaquin River; thence following down the said bank,
 10 in a general westerly direction through Sections 1 and 2
 11 of Township 13 South, Range 18 East, M. D. B. & M.,
 12 Sections 35 and 34 of Township 12 South, Range 18 East,
 13 M. D. B. & M., Sections 3, 4, 9, 8 and 7 of Township 13
 14 South, Range 18 East, M. D. B. & M., Sections 12, 1, 2, 11
 15 and 10 of Township 13 South, Range 17 East, M. D. B. &
 16 M. to the west line of Section 10 of the last named
 17 township; thence south along section lines to the
 18 southwest corner of Section 15; thence west along section
 19 lines to the northwest corner of Section 20; thence south
 20 along section lines to the southeast corner of Section 31;
 21 thence into Township 14 South, Range 17 East, M. D. B.
 22 & M., east two miles to the northwest corner of Section
 23 3; thence south two miles to the southwest corner of
 24 Section 10; thence east one mile to the northwest corner
 25 of Section 14; thence south one mile to the southwest
 26 corner of said Section 14; thence east one mile to the
 27 northwest corner of Section 24; thence south one mile to
 28 the southwest corner of said Section 24; thence east one
 29 mile to the northeast corner of Section 25; thence south
 30 two miles to the southeast corner of Section 36; thence
 31 east along township lines nine miles to the northwest
 32 corner of Section 3 of Township 15 South, Range 19 East,
 33 M. D. B. & M.; thence in said township south three miles
 34 to the southwest corner of Section 15; thence east one
 35 mile to the southeast corner of said Section 15; thence
 36 south one-half mile to the west quarter corner of Section
 37 23; thence east one mile to the west quarter corner of
 38 Section 24; thence south along section lines two and
 39 one-half miles to the southwest corner of Section 36 of
 40 Township 15 South, Range 19 East, M. D. B. & M.; thence

1 in Township 16 South, Range 19 East to the northwest
 2 corner of Section 1; thence south two miles along section
 3 lines to the southwest corner of Section 12; thence west
 4 one mile to the northwest corner of Section 14; thence
 5 south two miles along section lines to the southwest
 6 corner of Section 23; thence east two miles along section
 7 lines to the southeast corner of Section 24 of the last
 8 named township and range; thence into Township 16,
 9 South, Range 20 East, M. D. B. & M. running east along
 10 section lines two miles to the southeast corner of Section
 11 20; thence south along section lines one mile to the
 12 southwest corner of Section 28; thence east along section
 13 lines three miles to the southeast corner of Section 26;
 14 thence north along section lines one mile to the northeast
 15 corner of said Section 26; thence east along section lines
 16 to the southeast corner of Section 24 of the last named
 17 township and range; thence into Township 16 South,
 18 Range 21 East, M. D. B. & M. east along section lines three
 19 miles to the southeast corner of Section 21; thence south
 20 along section lines one mile to the southwest corner of
 21 Section 27; thence east along section lines two miles to the
 22 southeast corner of Section 26; thence south along section
 23 lines one mile to the southwest corner of Section 36;
 24 thence east along section lines to the southeast corner of
 25 Section 36 of the last named township and range; thence
 26 into Township 17 South, Range 22 East, M. D. B. & M.,
 27 east along section lines to the northwest corner of Section
 28 4; thence along the west side of said Section 4 to the
 29 southwest corner thereof; thence along the west side of
 30 Section 9, Township 17 South, Range 22 East, M. D. B. &
 31 M., to the southwest corner thereof; thence along the
 32 westerly side of Section 16, Township 17 South, Range 22
 33 East, M. D. B. & M., to a point on the northerly bank of
 34 Cole Slough; thence westerly along said northerly bank of
 35 Cole Slough through Sections 17 and 18 all in Township
 36 17 South, Range 22 East, M. D. B. & M.; thence westerly
 37 along the said northerly bank of Cole Slough through
 38 Sections 13, 24 and 23, in Township 17 South, Range 21
 39 East, M. D. B. & M., and in Section 23 to the headgate at
 40 the intake of the Liberty Canal; thence along the

1 northerly bank of said Liberty Canal through Sections 23,
 2 22, 15, 16, 17, 8 and 7, all in Township 17 South, Range 21
 3 East, M. D. B. & M.; thence through Sections 12, 11, 2 and
 4 3, all in Township 17 South, Range 20 East, M. D. B. & M.;
 5 thence through Sections 34, 33, 32 and 31 all in Township
 6 16 South, Range 20 East, M. D. B. & M.; thence through
 7 Sections 36, 25, 26, 27, 28, 33, 32, 31 and 30, Township 16
 8 South, Range 19 East, M. D. B. & M.; thence into
 9 Township 16 South, Range 18 East, M. D. B. & M. through
 10 Section 25 to a point on the westerly line thereof; thence
 11 northerly along said line to the southeast corner of
 12 Section 23; thence westerly one mile to the southeast
 13 corner of Section 22; thence northerly one mile to the
 14 northeast corner of said Section 22; thence westerly one
 15 mile to the southeast corner of Section 16; thence
 16 northerly one mile to the northeast corner of said Section
 17 16; thence westerly two miles to the southeast corner of
 18 Section 7; thence northerly one mile to the northeast
 19 corner of said Section 7; thence westerly one mile to the
 20 northwest corner of Section 7 of the last named township
 21 and range; thence into Township 16 South, Range 17 East,
 22 M. D. B. & M. to the southeast corner of Section 1; thence
 23 on a diagonal line to the northwest corner of said Section
 24 1; thence on a diagonal line to the southwest corner of
 25 Section 2; thence north 46 deg. 28 min. east along the
 26 center line of McMullen Grade 1479 feet; thence north 22
 27 deg. 49 min. west on a line parallel to and 45 feet
 28 southwesterly of the surveyed line of Levee No. 1, 2048.44
 29 feet to the point of beginning of a curve to the left, having
 30 a radius of 5684.61 feet; thence northwesterly along said
 31 curve 1577.51 feet to the end of said curve; thence N. 38
 32 deg. 43 min. W. on a line tangent to the aforesaid curve
 33 34,642.68 feet to the point of beginning of a curve to the
 34 left, having a radius of 11,414.2 feet; thence northwesterly
 35 along said curve 2347.44 feet to the end of said curve;
 36 thence N. 50 deg. 30 min. W. on a line tangent to aforesaid
 37 curve 17,956.29 feet to the point of beginning of a curve
 38 to the left having a radius of 5684.61 feet; thence westerly
 39 along said curve 5412.16 feet to the end of said curve;
 40 thence S. 74 deg. 53½ min. W. on a line tangent to

1 aforesaid curve 5,209.13 feet to a point in the east line of
 2 the right of way of the Hanford and Summit Lake
 3 Railway; thence S. 0 deg. 18½ min. W. along said east line
 4 of said right of way 890.81 feet; thence S. 31 deg. 05½ min.
 5 E. along the west line of Reclamation District No. 1606,
 6 1323.23 feet to the point of beginning of a curve to the
 7 left, having a radius of 2864.83 feet; thence southeasterly
 8 along said curve 2050 feet to the point of beginning of a
 9 curve to the right, having a radius of 5729.61 feet; thence
 10 southeasterly along said curve 2516.66 feet to the end of
 11 said curve; thence S. 46 deg. 55 min. E. on a line tangent
 12 to said curve 1477.72 feet to the point of beginning of a
 13 curve to the right, having a radius of 5729.61 feet; thence
 14 southeasterly along said curve 3146.67 feet to the end of
 15 said curve; thence S. 15 deg. 27 min. E. on a line tangent
 16 to said curve 10,360.68 feet; thence S. 15 deg. 26½ min. E.
 17 5499.37 feet to a point in the south line of Section 15, T.
 18 15 S., R. 16 E., M. D. B. & M., distant 4482.75 feet westerly
 19 from the southeast corner thereof; thence S. 88 deg. 39½
 20 min. W. 735.25 feet crossing Fresno Slough along said
 21 south line of Section 15 to a point on the said south line
 22 of Section 15, 216.0 feet east of the southwest corner of
 23 said Section 15; thence N. 16 deg. 40 min. W. 1390.8 feet;
 24 thence N. 16 deg. 45 min. W. 1391.6 feet; thence N. 15 deg.
 25 43 min. W. 701.4 feet; thence N. 15 deg. 21 min. E. 136.0
 26 feet; thence N. 16 deg. 30 min. W. 814.0 feet; thence N. 17
 27 deg. 03 min. W. 1123.5 feet, to a point on the North line
 28 of Section 16, T. 15 S., R. 16 E., M. D. B. & M., 1356.9 feet
 29 east of the one-quarter corner of the north side of Section
 30 16; thence N. 15 deg. 32 min. W. 1381.0 feet; thence N. 16
 31 deg. 20 min. W. 1386.0 feet; thence N. 15 deg. 58 min. W.
 32 792.0 feet; thence N. 16 deg. 45 min. W. 593.0 feet; thence
 33 N. 20 deg. 36 min. W. 1421.0 feet, to a point on the north
 34 line of Section 9, T. 15 S., R. 16 E., M. D. B. & M., 2350.2
 35 feet, East of the N. W. corner of Section 9; thence N. 16
 36 deg. 39 min. W. 1442.6 feet; thence N. 24 deg. 57 min. W.
 37 506.8 feet; thence N. 33 deg. 15 min. W. 174.4 feet; thence
 38 N. 53 deg. 20 min. W. 831.3 feet; thence N. 19 deg. 05 min.
 39 W. 253.5 feet; thence N. 20 deg. 25 min. W. 951.2 feet;
 40 thence N. 56 deg. 55 min. W. 538.2 feet; thence N. 47 deg.

1 55 min. W. 607.8 feet; thence N. 40 deg. 40 min. E. 1690.0
 2 feet; thence N. 19 deg. 00 min. W. 600.0 feet; thence S. 71
 3 deg. 00 min. W. 150.00 feet; thence S. 19 deg. 00 min. W.
 4 514.6 feet; thence S. 40 deg. 40 min. W. 1604.0 feet; thence
 5 N. 46 deg. 51 min. W. 1341.6 feet, to a point on the North
 6 line of Section 5, T. 15 S., R. 16 E., M. D. B. & M., 1192.6
 7 feet east of the one-quarter corner on the north side of
 8 said Section 5; thence West 48.3 feet; thence N. 54 deg. 17
 9 min. W. 1339.1 feet; thence N. 54 deg. 22 min. W. 436.4
 10 feet; thence N. 65 deg. 14 min. W. 584.3 feet; thence N. 82
 11 deg. 04 min. W. 150.1 feet; thence N. 51 deg. 05 min. W.
 12 761.6 feet; thence N. 63 deg. 57 min. W. 58.2 feet; thence
 13 N. 44 deg. 16 min. E. 47.4 feet; thence N. 75 deg. 00 min.
 14 E. 275.0 feet; thence N. 19 deg. 41 min. W. 456.5 feet;
 15 thence N. 6 deg. 11 min. E. 619.4 feet; thence N. 78 deg.
 16 03 min. W. 359.5 feet; thence S. 16 deg. 40 min. W. 322.1
 17 feet; thence S. 81 deg. 05 min. W. 216.4 feet; thence N. 75
 18 deg. 35 min. W. 567.0 feet; thence N. 77 deg. 25 min. W.
 19 346.4 feet; thence S. 72 deg. 07 min. W. 183.9 feet; thence
 20 S. 56 deg. 32 min. W. 280.0 feet; thence N. 79 deg. 09 min.
 21 W. 792.4 feet; thence N. 64 deg. 26 min. W. 1356.9 feet;
 22 thence N. 54 deg. 25 min. W. 487.8 feet; thence S. 82 deg.
 23 19 min. W. 215.4 feet; thence N. 46 deg. 27 min. W. 265.7
 24 feet; thence N. 5 deg. 29 min. W. 109.7 feet; thence N. 5
 25 deg. 35 min. W. 1556.0 feet; thence N. 20 deg. 17 min. W.
 26 183.7 feet; thence N. 55 deg. 34 min. W. 160.2 feet; thence
 27 S. 79 deg. 27 min. W. 199.2 feet; thence S. 69 deg. 25 min.
 28 W. 1504.0 feet; thence S. 69 deg. 37 min. W. 1843.8 feet;
 29 thence S. 40 deg. 24 min. W. 133.0 feet; thence S. 25 deg.
 30 35 min. W. 516.8 feet; thence S. 22 deg. 47 min. W. 655.2
 31 feet; thence S. 10 deg. 29 min. W. 471.0 feet; thence S. 14
 32 deg. 54 min. W. 403.0 feet; thence West 165.6 feet to the
 33 center of Section 36, T. 14 S., R. 15 E., M. D. B. & M.,;
 34 thence west along the north side of the southwest
 35 one-quarter of said section 36 to the one-quarter corner
 36 on the west side of Section 36; thence south along the
 37 west side of Section 36, 2642.0 feet to the southwest
 38 corner of Section 36; thence west 132.7 feet; thence south
 39 21 deg. 48 min. west 1377.67 feet; thence south 21 deg. 06
 40 min. west 779.6 feet; thence south 3 deg. 51 min. east 668.4

1 feet; thence south 2 deg. 42 min. west 1370.6 feet; thence
 2 south 0 deg. 48 min. west 1321.5 feet; thence south 13 deg.
 3 55 min. west 1340.5 feet; thence south 13 deg. 40 min.
 4 West 1351.2 feet; thence south 14 deg. 07 min. west 1356.9
 5 feet; thence south 12 deg. 50 min. west 354.0 feet; thence
 6 south 21 deg. 15 min. east 564.8 feet; thence south 34 deg.
 7 00 min. east 563.7 feet to a point on the south line of
 8 Section 11, Township 15 South, Range 15 East, M. D. B.
 9 & M., 1544.6 feet west of the southeast corner of said
 10 Section 11; thence south 46 deg. 55 min. east 2114.8 feet
 11 to a point on the east line of Section 14, Township 15
 12 South, Range 15 East, M. D. B. & M., 1444.5 feet south of
 13 the northeast corner of said Section 14; thence south
 14 along the west line of Section 13, Township 15 South,
 15 Range 15 East, M. D. B. & M., 3856.3 feet to the southwest
 16 corner of said Section 13; thence east 3951.9 feet to the
 17 northwest corner of the east one-half of the northeast $\frac{1}{4}$
 18 of Section 24, Township 15 South, Range 15 East, M. D. B.
 19 & M.; thence south 26 deg. 35 min. east 2968.8 feet to the
 20 $\frac{1}{4}$ corner on the east side of Section 24, Township 15
 21 South, Range 15 East, M. D. B. & M.; thence south along
 22 the west line of the southwest $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 19, Township
 23 15 South, Range 16 East, M. D. B. & M., 2660.6 feet to the
 24 southwest corner of said Section 19; thence south 45 deg.
 25 00 min. east 7536.0 feet to the southeast corner of Section
 26 30, Township 15 South, Range 16 East, M. D. B. & M., said
 27 corner being also the northwest corner of Section 32 of
 28 the last named township; thence south 0 deg. 46 $\frac{1}{2}$ min.
 29 west along the west line of said Section 32, 5343.62 feet to
 30 the southwest corner thereof; thence south 89 deg. 41
 31 min. east along the south line of said Section 32, 5275.6
 32 feet to the southeast corner thereof; thence south 89 deg.
 33 38 min. east along the south line of Section 33, Township
 34 15 South, Range 16 East, M. D. B. & M., 5276.9 feet to the
 35 southeast corner thereof; thence south 0 deg. 26 $\frac{1}{2}$ min.
 36 west along the west line of Section 3, Township 16 South,
 37 Range 16 East, M. D. B. & M., 2407 feet; thence north 88
 38 deg. 29 min. 45 sec. east 2722.08 feet; thence south 0 deg.
 39 26 $\frac{1}{2}$ min. west 2632.1 feet to the south quarter corner of
 40 said Section 3; thence north 88 deg. 57 min. east 2721.65

1 feet to the southeast corner thereof; thence north 88 deg.
 2 57½ min. east 5541.1 feet along the south line of Section
 3 2, Township 16 South, Range 16 East, M. D. B. & M., to
 4 the southeast corner thereof; thence north 88 deg. 57½
 5 min. east along the south line of Section 1, Township 16
 6 South, Range 16 East, M. D. B. & M., 2770.68 feet to the
 7 south quarter corner thereof; thence south 0 deg. 6½ min.
 8 west along the west line of the north half of the northeast
 9 quarter of Section 12, Township 16 South, Range 16 East,
 10 M. D. B. & M., 1319.88 feet; thence north 88 deg. 54½ min.
 11 east along the south line of said north half of the northeast
 12 ¼, 2753.48 feet to a point in the east line of said Section
 13 12; thence south 0 deg. 46½ min. west 3955.93 feet to the
 14 southeast corner of said Section 12; thence north 89 deg.
 15 54½ min. east along the southerly line of Section 7,
 16 Township 16 South, Range 17 East, 2651.07 feet more or
 17 less, to the southerly quarter corner of said section;
 18 thence northerly along the east line of the southwest
 19 quarter of said section to the center of said section;
 20 thence easterly along the south line of the northeasterly
 21 quarter of said section to the intersection of said line with
 22 the official swamp and overflow survey line, said point of
 23 intersection being south 89 deg. 52 min. west 1997.45 feet,
 24 more or less, from the east quarter corner of said section,
 25 measured along the south line of the northeast quarter of
 26 said section; thence continuing along said official swamp
 27 and overflow survey line south 39 deg. 43 min. east 488.11
 28 feet; thence south 34 deg. 43 min. east 1311.78 feet; thence
 29 south 77 deg. 53 min. east 938.35 feet to a point in the east
 30 line of said Section 7; thence continuing along said official
 31 swamp and overflow line south 27 deg. 30 min. east 762.3
 32 feet; thence south 58 deg. east 594 feet to the south line
 33 of Section 8, in township 16 South, Range 17 East, M. D.
 34 B. & M.; thence west along the south line of said Section
 35 8 to the southwest corner of said Section 8; thence south
 36 one mile to the southwest corner of Section 17; thence
 37 east one mile to the southeast corner of said Section 17;
 38 thence south one mile to the southwest corner of Section
 39 21; thence east one mile to the southeast corner of said
 40 Section 21; thence south two miles to the southwest

1 corner of Section 34 of the last named township; thence
 2 into Township 17 South, Range 17 East, M. D. B. & M.
 3 west to the northwest corner of Section 3; thence south
 4 along section lines to the west ¼ corner of Section 10;
 5 thence east along the north line of the south ½ of Section
 6 10 to the east ¼ corner of said Section 10; thence south
 7 along the section line to the southwest corner of Section
 8 11; thence east along the section line to the southeast
 9 corner of said Section 11; thence south along the section
 10 line to the west ¼ corner of Section 13; thence east along
 11 the north line of the southwest ¼ of said Section 13 to the
 12 center of said Section 13; thence south along the east line
 13 of the southwest ¼ of said Section 13 to the south ¼
 14 corner of said Section 13; thence east along the section
 15 line to the southeast corner of said Section 13; thence east
 16 along the section line to the southeast corner of said
 17 Section 13; thence in Township 17 South, Range 18 East,
 18 M. D. B. & M., east along the section line to the southwest
 19 corner of Section 17; thence south along the section line
 20 to the west ¼ corner of Section 20; thence along the north
 21 line of the southwest ¼ of Section 20 to the center of said
 22 Section 20; thence south along the east line of the
 23 southwest ¼ of Section 20 to the south ¼ corner of said
 24 Section 20; thence east along the section line to the
 25 southeast corner of Section 20; thence south along the
 26 section line to the west ¼ corner of Section 28; thence
 27 east along the north line of the southwest ¼ of Section 28
 28 to the center of said Section 28; thence south along the
 29 east line of the southwest ¼ of Section 28 to the south ¼
 30 corner of said Section 28; thence east along section lines
 31 to the north ¼ corner of Section 34; thence south along
 32 the west line of the northeast ¼ of Section 34 to the center
 33 of said Section 34; thence east along the south line of the
 34 northeast ¼ of Section 34 to the east ¼ corner of said
 35 Section 34; thence south along the section line to the
 36 southwest corner of the north ½ of the southwest ¼ of
 37 Section 35; thence east along the south line of the north
 38 ½ of the southwest ¼ of Section 35 to the southeast corner
 39 of the north ½ of the southwest ¼ of said Section 35;
 40 thence south along the east line of the south ½ of the

1 southwest $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 35 to the south $\frac{1}{4}$ corner of Section
 2 35, Township 17 South, Range 18 East, M. D. B. & M.;
 3 thence into Township 18 South, Range 18 East, M. D. B.
 4 & M. to the north $\frac{1}{4}$ corner of Section 2; thence south
 5 along the west line of the east half of said Section 2 to the
 6 south $\frac{1}{4}$ corner of said Section 2; thence east along section
 7 lines to the southeast corner of Section 1; thence into
 8 Township 18 South, Range 19 East, M. D. B. & M. to the
 9 southwest corner of Section 6; thence south along the
 10 section line to the southwest corner of Section 7; thence
 11 east along the section line to the southeast corner of said
 12 Section 7; thence south along the section line to the
 13 southwest corner of Section 17; thence east along the
 14 section line to the southeast corner of said Section 17;
 15 thence south along the section line to the southwest
 16 corner of Section 21; thence east along the south section
 17 line of Section 21 to the point of intersection of said
 18 section line and the Government Swamp and Overflow
 19 Meander Line; thence southeasterly along the
 20 Government Swamp and Overflow Meander Line
 21 through Section 28 to the intersection of said meander
 22 line and the east section line of said Section 28; thence
 23 south along section lines for approximately one and
 24 three-fourths miles to the southwest corner of Section 34,
 25 Township 18 South, Range 19 East, M. D. B. & M.; thence
 26 in Township 19 South, Range 19 East, M. D. B. & M. to the
 27 northwest corner of Section 3; thence south along the
 28 section line to the southwest corner of Section 3; thence
 29 east along the south line of said Section 3, one mile to the
 30 southeast corner of said Section 3; thence easterly
 31 three-quarters of a mile along the south line of Section 2
 32 of the last named township and range, to the southwest
 33 corner of the southeast one-quarter of the southeast
 34 one-quarter of said Section 2; thence southerly one-half
 35 mile to the southwest corner of the southeast quarter of
 36 the northeast quarter of Section 11; thence southerly
 37 along the west line of the east $\frac{1}{2}$ of the southeast $\frac{1}{4}$ of said
 38 Section 11, also being the west line of Lot 5 of said Section
 39 11, to the Southern Pacific Company Railroad line;
 40 thence southeasterly along the westerly line of said Lot

1 5 of said Section 11 to the southeast corner of said Section
 2 11; thence south $2\frac{1}{2}$ miles along the west lines of Sections
 3 13, 24 and 25, Township 19 South, Range 19 East, M. D.
 4 B. & M., to the west $\frac{1}{4}$ corner of said Section 25; thence
 5 east 2056 feet along the east-west center line of said
 6 Section 25 to a point along the west bank of South Fork
 7 of Kings River; thence south 252 feet along said west bank
 8 of said South Fork of Kings River to a point which is the
 9 junction of the said west bank of South Fork of Kings
 10 River and the westerly bank of the Empire West Side
 11 Irrigation District's Upper Ditch; thence south 47 degrees
 12 and 39 minutes west 2734 feet along the westerly bank of
 13 said Empire West Side Irrigation District's Upper Ditch
 14 to a point on the west line of said Section 25, which point
 15 is 548 feet north of the southwest corner of said Section
 16 25; thence south 47 deg. 39 min. west 320 feet along said
 17 westerly bank of said Upper Ditch, in Section 26,
 18 Township 19 South, Range 19 East, M. D. B. & M.; thence
 19 south 8 deg. 29 min. west 1990.6 feet in Section 26 and 35
 20 of the last named township and range; thence south 18
 21 deg. 40 min. east 1250 feet along the said westerly bank
 22 of said Upper Ditch in Section 35, Township 19 South,
 23 Range 19 East, M. D. B. & M., to a point; thence south
 24 from this point 59 deg. 13 min. east 142 feet along said
 25 westerly bank of Upper Ditch to a point which point lies
 26 on the east line of said Section 35 and being 224 feet south
 27 of the east $\frac{1}{4}$ corner of said Section 35; thence southerly
 28 2403 feet along the east line of said Section 35 to the
 29 southeast corner of said Section 35, also being along the
 30 said westerly bank of Upper Ditch; thence southerly
 31 10,723.7 feet along the west lines of Section 1 and 12,
 32 Township 20 South, Range 19 East, M. D. B. & M., also
 33 along the west bank of said Upper Ditch to the southwest
 34 corner of said Section 12; thence westerly 700 feet along
 35 the north line of Section 14, last named township and
 36 range, to a point on the said westerly bank of Upper
 37 Ditch; thence southerly 2680.9 feet along said westerly
 38 bank of Upper Ditch; thence easterly 700 feet to the east
 39 $\frac{1}{4}$ corner of said Section 14; thence southerly 6702.2 feet
 40 along the west lines of Sections 13 and 24 to the southwest

1 corner of the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter
 2 of Section 24, last named township and range; thence
 3 easterly 1322.8 feet to the southeast corner of the
 4 northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of said
 5 Section 24; thence southerly 670.3 feet to the southwest
 6 corner of the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter
 7 of the southwest quarter of said Section 24; thence
 8 easterly 1322.8 feet to the southeast corner of the
 9 northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of the
 10 southwest quarter of said Section 24; thence southerly
 11 670.3 feet to the south quarter corner of said Section 24;
 12 thence southerly 207 feet along the westerly bank of the
 13 Upper Ditch of the Empire West Side Irrigation District
 14 in Section 25, last named township and range; thence
 15 south 34 deg. 10 min. west 284 feet along said westerly
 16 bank of Upper Ditch; thence south 45 deg. 20 min. west
 17 3400 feet along said westerly bank of Upper Ditch to the
 18 west quarter corner of said Section 25; thence easterly 982
 19 feet to a point on the westerly bank of Ditch of Empire
 20 West Side Irrigation District; thence south 48 deg. 30 min.
 21 west 2770 feet along said westerly bank of Ditch through
 22 portions of Sections 25 and 26, Township 20 South, Range
 23 19 East, M. D. B. & M.; thence south 36 deg. 30 min. west
 24 2700 feet through portions of Sections 26 and 35 along said
 25 westerly bank of Ditch; thence southerly 1340.4 feet to
 26 center of said Section 35; thence westerly 1320 feet to the
 27 northwest corner of the northeast quarter of the
 28 southwest quarter of Section 35, Township 20 South,
 29 Range 19 East, M. D. B. & M.; thence southerly 2681 feet
 30 to the southwest corner of the southeast quarter of the
 31 southwest quarter of said Section 35, also being the
 32 southwest corner of Lot 9 of said Section 35; thence
 33 easterly along the south line of said Section 35 to the
 34 intersection of said line with the northwesterly bank of
 35 the West Side Canal, said point of intersection also being
 36 a point on the north line of Section 1, Township 21 South,
 37 Range 19 East, M. D. B. & M. where said line intersects
 38 the northwesterly bank of said West Side Canal; thence
 39 southwesterly following the meanderings of said bank of
 40 said canal to its intersection with the northern line of

1 Section 15, same township and range, thence westerly
 2 along said line of said Section 15 to the north quarter
 3 corner of Section 15 in said Township 21 South, Range 19
 4 East; thence southerly $\frac{1}{2}$ mile to the center of said
 5 Section 15; thence westerly $\frac{1}{4}$ of a mile to the northwest
 6 corner of the east half of the southwest quarter of said
 7 Section 15; thence southerly $\frac{1}{2}$ of a mile to the southwest
 8 corner of the east half of the southwest quarter of said
 9 Section 15; thence westerly along the southern line of said
 10 Section 15 and along the southern line of Section 16, same
 11 township and range, to the south quarter corner of said
 12 Section 16, last said quarter corner being a point on the
 13 meander line of Tulare Lake as established by the United
 14 States Surveyor General of California in the year 1855;
 15 thence along said meander line S. 31 deg. 10 min. W. 77.10
 16 chains, S. 35 deg. 45 min. W. 17.12 chains, S. 39 deg. 30 min.
 17 W. 72.00 chains, S. 9 deg. 30 min. W. 25.00 chains, S. 44 deg.
 18 35 min. W. 28.30 chains and S. 28 deg. W. 68.15 chains to
 19 a point on the southern line of Section 31 of said
 20 Township 21 South, Range 19 E., M. D. B. & M., last said
 21 point being distant S. 89 deg. 26 min. E. 48.00 chains from
 22 the southwest corner of said Section 31; thence, leaving
 23 said meander line, and along the line between Township
 24 21 South, Range 19 East, and Township 22 South, Range
 25 19 E., M. D. B. & M., north 89 deg. 26 min. W. 8.06 chains
 26 to the north quarter corner of Section 6 of said Township
 27 22 South, Range 19 East, M. D. B. & M.; thence southerly
 28 along the line dividing the east half and the west half of
 29 said Section 6 and along the line dividing the east one-half
 30 and the west one-half of Section 7; last said township and
 31 range, 2 miles, more or less; to the south quarter corner
 32 of said Section 7; thence easterly along the southern line
 33 of said Section 7 one-half of a mile, more or less, to the
 34 northwest corner of Section 17, last said township and
 35 range; thence southerly three-eighths of a mile to the
 36 southwest corner of the north one-half of the south
 37 one-half of the northwest one-quarter of said Section 17;
 38 thence easterly one-half of a mile to the southeast corner
 39 of the north one-half of the south one-half of the
 40 northwest quarter of said Section 17; thence southerly

1 five-eighths of a mile to the south quarter corner of said
 2 Section 17; thence easterly $\frac{1}{4}$ mile to the northwest
 3 corner of the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter
 4 of Section 20, last said township and range; thence
 5 southerly three-quarters of a mile to the southwest corner
 6 of the northeast one-quarter of the southeast one-quarter
 7 of said Section 20; thence easterly one-quarter of a mile
 8 to the southeast corner of the northeast one-quarter of
 9 the southeast one-quarter of said Section 20; thence
 10 southerly one-quarter of a mile to the northwest corner
 11 of Section 28, last said township and range; thence east
 12 one-half of a mile to the north one-quarter corner of said
 13 Section 28; thence southerly one mile to the south
 14 one-quarter corner of said Section 28; thence east
 15 one-half of a mile to the northwest corner of Section 34,
 16 last said township and range; thence southerly along the
 17 western line of last said Section 34 and continuing along
 18 the western line of Section 3, Township 23 South, Range
 19 19 East, M. D. B. & M., $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles, more or less, to the west
 20 quarter corner of last said Section 3; thence easterly
 21 one-quarter of a mile to the northwest corner of the
 22 northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of last said
 23 Section 3; thence southerly one-quarter of a mile to the
 24 southwest corner of the northeast one-quarter of the
 25 southwest one-quarter of last said Section 3; thence
 26 easterly three-quarters of a mile to the northeast corner
 27 of the southeast one-quarter of the southeast one-quarter
 28 of last said Section 3; thence southerly one-quarter of a
 29 mile to the southeast corner of last said Section 3; thence
 30 easterly along the southern line of Sections 2 and 1, last
 31 said township and range, 2 miles, more or less, to the
 32 northwest corner of Section 7, Township 23 South, Range
 33 20 East, M. D. B. & M., thence southerly one-half of a mile
 34 to the west quarter corner of last said Section 7; thence
 35 easterly one-half of a mile, more or less, to the center of
 36 last said Section 7; thence southerly one-quarter of a mile
 37 to the southwest corner of the northwest one-quarter of
 38 the southeast one-quarter of last said Section 7; thence
 39 easterly one mile to the northwest corner of the
 40 southwest one-quarter of the southeast one-quarter of

1 Section 8, last said township and range; thence southerly
 2 one-quarter of a mile to the south quarter corner of last
 3 said Section 8; thence easterly along the southern lines of
 4 Section 8, 9, 10, and 11, last said township and range, $3\frac{1}{2}$
 5 miles, more or less, to the northwest corner of Section 13,
 6 Township 23 South, Range 20 East, M. D. B. & M.; thence
 7 southerly along the western lines of Sections 13, 24, 25,
 8 and 36, last said township and range, 4 miles to the
 9 southwest corner of last said Section 36; thence easterly
 10 one mile to the northwest corner of Section 6, Township
 11 24 South, Range 21 East, M. D. B. & M.; thence southerly
 12 one mile to the southwest corner of last said Section 6;
 13 thence easterly 85.81 chains, more or less, to the
 14 northwest corner of Section 8, last said township and
 15 range; thence southerly three-quarters of a mile to the
 16 southwest corner of the northwest one-quarter of the
 17 southwest one-quarter of last said Section 8; thence
 18 easterly along the southern lines of the north half of the
 19 south half of Sections 8, 9, and 10, last said township and
 20 range, 3 miles, more or less, to the southeast corner of the
 21 northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of last said
 22 Section 10; thence northerly three-quarters of a mile to
 23 the southwest corner of Section 2, last said township and
 24 range; thence easterly along the southern lines of
 25 Sections 2 and 1, last said township and range, 2 miles,
 26 more or less, to the southeast corner of last said Section
 27 1; thence southerly one-half of a mile to the east
 28 one-quarter corner of Section 12, last township and range;
 29 thence easterly along the east and west center lines of
 30 Sections 7 and 8, Township 24 South, Range 22 East, M.
 31 D. B. & M.; one and one-half miles more or less to the
 32 center of last said Section 8; thence northerly one-half of
 33 a mile to the south quarter corner of Section 5, last said
 34 township and range; thence easterly along the southern
 35 lines of 5, 4 and 3, last said township and range, two and
 36 one-half miles more or less to the southwest corner of
 37 Section 2, Township 24 South, Range 22 East, M. D. B. &
 38 M.; thence east, along the southern line of last said
 39 Section 2, 11.94 chains to its intersection with the
 40 meander line of Tulare Lake as surveyed in 1880 and

1 shown on the township plat of last said township
 2 approved by the United States Surveyor General of
 3 California on February 9th, 1881; thence along last said
 4 meander line north 55 degrees E. 55.00 chains, north 60
 5 degrees E. 15.00 chains; north 56 degrees 30 minutes E.
 6 31.62 chains and north 56 degrees 30 minutes E. 61.86
 7 chains to a point on the north line of Section 1, Township
 8 24 South, Range 22 East, M. D. B. & M., distance thereon
 9 west 29.00 chains from the northeast corner of last said
 10 Section 1; thence northeasterly along the meander or
 11 shore line in 1880 of Tulare Lake through Section 36,
 12 Township 23 South, Range 22 East, M. D. B. & M., to a
 13 point on the western line of Section 31, Township 23
 14 South, Range 23 East, M. D. B. & M., distant thereon
 15 north 21.00 chains from the southwest corner of last said
 16 Section 31; thence continuing along the meander or shore
 17 line of Tulare Lake as surveyed in 1880 and shown on the
 18 township plat of last said township approved by the
 19 United States Surveyor General of California on
 20 February 9, 1881, the following courses and distances:
 21 North 52 degrees E. 50.00 chains, N. 56 degrees E. 17.00
 22 chains, N. 52 degrees, E. 30.20 chains, N. 52 degrees 30
 23 minutes E. 11.40 chains, N. 43 degrees E. 23.00 chains, N.
 24 44 degrees E. 35.00 chains, N. 49 degrees E. 45.06 chains,
 25 N. 45 degrees E. 5.65 chains, N. 41 degrees E. 52.00 chains,
 26 N. 35 degrees, E. 10.00 chains, N. 38 degrees E. 36.24
 27 chains, N. 22 degrees E. 22.00 chains, N. 26 degrees E. 8.00
 28 chains, N. 23 degrees E. 16.10 chains and N. 15 degrees 30
 29 minutes E. 40.00 chains to a point on the north line of
 30 Section 15, Township 23 South, Range 23 East, M. D. B.
 31 & M., distant thereon west 68.00 chains from the
 32 northeast corner of said Section 15; thence leaving last
 33 said meander line, and along the northern lines of
 34 Sections 15, 16, last said township and range westerly
 35 91.78 chains to the southeast corner of Section 8, last said
 36 township and range; thence northerly one-half mile to
 37 the east quarter corner of said Section 8; thence westerly
 38 one mile to the west quarter corner of said Section 8;
 39 thence southerly one-half mile to the southwest corner of
 40 said Section 8; thence westerly 86.17 chains to the

1 northwest corner of Section 18, last said township and
 2 range, said corner of said Section 18 being also the
 3 southeast corner of Section 12, Township 23 South, Range
 4 22 East, M. D. B. & M.; thence north one mile to the
 5 northeast corner of Section 12, last named township and
 6 range; thence north along range line 12 miles to the
 7 northeast corner of Section 12, Township 21 South, Range
 8 22 East, M. D. B. & M.; thence west two and one-half
 9 miles along section lines to the south one-quarter corner
 10 of Section 3, last named township and range; thence
 11 northerly one-half mile to the center of said Section 3;
 12 thence westerly one-half mile to the west one-quarter
 13 corner of said Section 3; thence north one-half mile to the
 14 northwest corner of said Section 3, thence east 3 miles
 15 along township line to the northeast corner of Section 1,
 16 Township 21 South, Range 22 East, M. D. B. & M.; thence
 17 east 383 feet along said township correction line to a point
 18 on the south line of Section 36, Township 20 South, Range
 19 22 East, M. D. B. & M. which point is also on center line
 20 of Lakelands Canal and Irrigation Company Canal;
 21 thence N. 21 deg. 45 min. W. a distance of 6388 feet along
 22 center line of said canal; thence N. 62 deg. 45 min. W. a
 23 distance of 711 feet along center line of said canal to a
 24 point on the west line of Section 25 last named township
 25 and range, said point being 1278 feet north of the
 26 southwest corner of said Section 25; thence north on
 27 section line to the west one-quarter corner of said Section
 28 25; thence east to the southeast corner of the southwest
 29 one-quarter of the northwest one-quarter of said Section
 30 25; thence north to the southeast corner of the northwest
 31 one-quarter of the northwest one-quarter of said Section
 32 25; thence east to the southeast corner of the northeast
 33 one-quarter of the northwest one-quarter of said Section
 34 25; thence north to the north one-quarter corner of said
 35 Section 25; thence east to the northeast corner of said
 36 Section 25; thence north along range line to the northeast
 37 corner of southeast one-quarter of the southeast
 38 one-quarter of Section 12, Township 20 South, Range 22
 39 East; thence west to the northwest corner of the
 40 southeast one-quarter of the southwest one-quarter of

1 said Section 12; thence south to the southwest corner of
 2 the southeast one-quarter of the southwest one-quarter of
 3 said Section 12; thence west along the section lines to the
 4 northeast corner of Section 16, Township 20 South, Range
 5 22 East, M. D. B. & M.; thence west three miles along the
 6 north line of Sections 16, 17 and 18 to the northwest
 7 corner of Section 18 last named township and range;
 8 thence west one-half mile along section line to the south
 9 one-quarter corner of Section 12, Township 20 South,
 10 Range 21 East; thence northerly along the north-south
 11 center line of last named Section 12 to the north
 12 one-quarter corner of said Section 12; thence west one
 13 and one-half miles along section lines to the northwest
 14 corner of Section 11 last named township and range;
 15 thence northerly one mile along section line to the
 16 northwest corner of Section 2 last named township and
 17 range; thence northerly three miles along the west lines
 18 of Sections 35, 26 and 23, Township 19 South, Range 21
 19 East, M. D. B. & M. to the northwest corner of Section 23;
 20 thence east one mile along section line to the northeast
 21 corner of said Section 23; thence northerly one mile along
 22 section line to the northwest corner of Section 13 last
 23 named township and range; thence east one mile along
 24 section line to the northeast corner of said Section 13;
 25 thence east four miles along section lines to the northeast
 26 corner of Section 15; Township 19 South, Range 22 East,
 27 M. D. B. & M.; thence north one mile along section line
 28 to the northwest corner of Section 11 last named
 29 township and range; thence east one mile along section
 30 line to the southeast corner of Section 2 last named
 31 township and range; thence north one mile to the
 32 northeast corner of said Section 2; thence north two miles
 33 along section lines to the northwest corner of Section 25,
 34 Township 18 South, Range 22 East, M. D. B. & M.; thence
 35 one-half mile east along section line to the south
 36 one-quarter corner of Section 24, last named township
 37 and range; thence north one mile along north-south
 38 center line of Section 24 last named township and range
 39 to the north one-quarter corner of said Section 24; thence
 40 west one-half mile along section line to the northwest

1 corner of said Section 24; thence north two miles along
 2 sections lines to the northwest corner of Section 12 last
 3 named township and range; thence northerly along the
 4 west line of Section 1, Township 18 South, Range 22 East,
 5 M. D. B. & M., to the point of intersection of the said west
 6 line with the north bank of the slough used as part of the
 7 ditch known as the Settlers Ditch; thence running
 8 upstream along the north bank of said slough and said
 9 Settlers Ditch through Sections 6 and 5, Township 18
 10 South, Range 23 East, M. D. B. & M., Sections 33, 34, 27,
 11 26, and 25, Township 17 South, Range 23 East, M. D. B. &
 12 M., Sections 30 and 19, Township 17 South, Range 24 East,
 13 M. D. B. & M., to the most easterly intersection of the
 14 north bank of the said slough and the south line of said
 15 Section 19 in the southeast quarter of said Section 19;
 16 thence east to the southeast corner of said Section 19;
 17 thence north to the east quarter corner of said Section 19;
 18 thence east along east and west center section lines
 19 through Sections 20 and 21 to the west quarter corner of
 20 Section 22; thence southeasterly along the meander line
 21 between swamp land and high land to a point on the east
 22 section line of said Section 22 a distance of twenty-seven
 23 chains and 50 links north of the southeast corner of said
 24 Section 22; thence south to the southeast corner of said
 25 Section 22; thence east along the south section lines of
 26 Sections 23 and 24 of the last named township; thence east
 27 along the south section lines of Sections 19, 20, and 21,
 28 Township 17 South, Range 25 East, M. D. B. & M., to the
 29 south quarter corner of said Section 21; thence north
 30 along north and south center section lines through
 31 Sections 21, 16, and 9 to the north quarter corner of said
 32 Section 9; thence east along the south sections lines of
 33 Sections 4, 3, 2, and 1 to the south quarter corner of said
 34 Section 1; thence north along the north and south center
 35 section line to the north quarter corner of said Section 1;
 36 thence west to the southeast corner of Section 35,
 37 Township 16 South, Range 25 East, M. D. B. & M.; thence
 38 north along the east line of said Section 35 to the point of
 39 intersection of the said east line of Section 35 and the east
 40 bank of the Sontag Ditch as originally constructed, said

1 Sontag Ditch being the continuance of the East Branch
 2 of the Alta Main Canal; thence northwesterly along said
 3 east bank of said Sontag Ditch as was originally
 4 constructed to a point where the Sontag Ditch is known
 5 as the East Branch of Alta Main Canal; thence continuing
 6 northwesterly along the east bank of said East Branch of
 7 Alta Main Canal as originally constructed to the point
 8 where the said East Branch of Alta Main Canal intersects
 9 the Alta Main Canal; thence continuing northwesterly
 10 along the east bank of the Alta Main Canal to the main
 11 headgate of Alta Main Canal located in Section 2,
 12 Township 14 South, Range 23 East, M. D. B. & M.; thence
 13 upstream along the east bank of said Alta Main Canal
 14 formerly known as 76 canal, sometimes also known as the
 15 Back Channel of Kings River, in a northeasterly direction
 16 to a point where the south bank of said Alta Main Canal
 17 intersects the south bank of Kings River; thence
 18 upstream along the south bank of said Kings River to a
 19 point where said south bank intersects the section line
 20 between Sections 17 and 18 in Township 13 South, Range
 21 24 East, M. D. B. & M.; thence north along said section
 22 line to the point of beginning.

23 Also beginning at a point on the east bank of La
 24 Hacienda spillway in Section 13, Township 24 South,
 25 Range 21 East, M. D. B. & M., said point being one-half
 26 mile south of the north line of said Section 13, and
 27 running thence northeasterly in a direct line to the
 28 northwest corner of the southwest quarter of the
 29 northwest quarter of Section 18, Township 24 South,
 30 Range 22 East, M. D. B. & M.; thence easterly one and
 31 three-quarters miles, more or less, to the northeast corner
 32 of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of
 33 Section 17, last said township and range; thence southerly
 34 one-quarter of a mile to the southeast corner of the
 35 southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of said Section
 36 17; thence easterly one-half of a mile to the southwest
 37 corner of the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter
 38 of Section 16, last said township and range; thence
 39 northerly one-half of a mile to the northwest corner of
 40 the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of said

1 Section 16; thence easterly three-quarters of a mile to the
 2 southwest corner of Section 10, last said township and
 3 range; thence northerly one-quarter of a mile to the
 4 northwest corner of the south half of the southwest
 5 quarter of said Section 10; thence easterly one-half of a
 6 mile to the northeast corner of the south one-half of the
 7 southwest quarter of said Section 10; thence southerly
 8 one-eighth of a mile to the southeast corner of the north
 9 one-half of the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter
 10 of said Section 10; thence westerly one-quarter of a mile
 11 to the southwest corner of the north half of the southeast
 12 quarter of the southwest quarter of said Section 10;
 13 thence southerly one-eighth of a mile to the southeast
 14 corner of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter
 15 of said Section 10; thence westerly one-quarter of a mile
 16 to the northeast corner of Section 16, last said township
 17 and range; thence southerly one-quarter of a mile to the
 18 southeast corner of the northeast quarter of the northeast
 19 quarter of said Section 16; thence westerly one-quarter of
 20 a mile to the southwest corner of the northeast quarter
 21 of the northeast quarter of said Section 16; thence
 22 southerly one-half of a mile to the northwest corner of the
 23 southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of said Section
 24 16; thence easterly one-half of a mile to the northeast
 25 corner of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter
 26 of Section 15, last said township and range; thence
 27 northerly one-half of a mile to the northwest corner of
 28 the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of said
 29 Section 15; thence easterly one-quarter of a mile to the
 30 northeast corner of the southeast quarter of the
 31 northwest quarter of said Section 15; thence northerly
 32 one-eighth of a mile to the northwest corner of the south
 33 half of the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of
 34 said Section 15; thence easterly one-quarter of a mile to
 35 the northeast corner of the south half of the northwest
 36 quarter of the northeast quarter of said Section 15; thence
 37 northerly one-eighth of a mile to the northwest corner of
 38 the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of said
 39 Section 15; thence easterly one-quarter of a mile to the
 40 northeast corner of said Section 15; thence southerly one

1 mile to the southeast corner of said Section 15; thence westerly along the southern boundary lines of said Sections 15 and 16, two miles to the northeast corner of Section 20 last said township and range; thence southerly one-half of a mile to the east quarter corner of said Section 20; thence westerly along the east and west center lines of Sections 20 and 19, last said township and range, and continuing along the east and west center line of Section 24, Township 24 South, Range 21 East, M. D. B. & M., a distance of two and three-quarters miles, more or less, to a point on the east bank of La Hacienda spillway in said Section 24; thence northerly along said bank of said spillway one mile to the point of beginning.

Excepting therefrom the lands embraced within the boundaries of the following cities, as such cities' boundaries existed as of ~~February 1, 1955~~ March 1, 1979 :

1. The City of Clovis and additions situated in Township 12 South, Range 21 East, M. D. B. & M., and Township 13 South, Range 21 East, M. D. B. & M.;

2. The City of Fresno and additions situated in Township 12 South, Range 19 East, M. D. B. & M., Township 12 South, Range 20 East, M. D. B. & M., Township 13 South, Range 19 East, M. D. B. & M., Township 14 South, Range 19 East, M. D. B. & M., Township 13 South, Range 20 East, M. D. B. & M., Township 13 South, Range 21 East, M. D. B. & M., Township 14 South, Range 20 East, M. D. B. & M., and Township 14 South, Range 21 East, M. D. B. & M.;

3. The City of Kerman and additions situated in Township 14 South, Range 17 East, M. D. B. & M., and Township 14 South, Range 18 East, M. D. B. & M.;

4. The City of Selma and additions situated in Township 15 South, Range 21 East, M. D. B. & M., Township 15 South, Range 22 East, M. D. B. & M., and Township 16 South, Range 22 East, M. D. B. & M.;

5. The City of Kingsburg and additions situated in Township 16 South, Range 22 East, M. D. B. & M.;

6. The City of Fowler and additions situated in Township 15 South, Range 21 East, M. D. B. & M.;

7. The City of Sanger and additions situated in Township 14 South, Range 22 East, M. D. B. & M.;

8. The City of Hanford and additions situated in Township 18 South, Range 22 East, M. D. B. & M., Township 19 South, Range 21 East, M. D. B. & M., Township 19 South Range 22 East, M. D. B. & M., and Township 18 South, Range 21 East, M. D. B. & M.;

9. The City of Corcoran and additions being all of Section 14 and the north half of the north half of Section 23 situated in Township 21 South, Range 22 East, M. D. B. & M.;

10. The City of Lemoore and additions situated in Township 18 South, Range 20 East, M. D. B. & M. and Township 19 South, Range 20 East, M. D. B. & M.;

11. The City of Parlier and additions situated in Township 15 South, Range 22 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian ;

12. The City of San Joaquin and additions situated in Township 15 South, Range 16 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian ;

13. The City of Reedley and additions situated in Township 15 South, Range 23 East, M. D. B. & M.;

14. The City of Dinuba and additions situated in Township 16 South, Range 24 East, M. D. B. & M.;

It is the intent of the Legislature that any annexations to the above described cities after March 1, 1979, shall be concurrently detached from the Kings River Conservation District under the provisions of the District Reorganization Act of 1965 (commencing with Section 56000 of the Government Code).

And further excepting therefrom the lands embraced within the limits of the townsites, as listed below:

1. The Town of Biola as shown in Record of Surveys Number 8, pages 32 and 33 in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Fresno, State of California;

2. The Town of Del Rey, additions and portion of Section according to the maps of same on file and of record in the Office of the County Recorder of the County of Fresno, State of California, described as follows to wit:

1 Commencing at the northeast corner of Section 5,
 2 Township 15 South, Range 22 East, Mount Diablo Base
 3 and Meridian; thence south along east line of said Section
 4 5 to a point 771.88 feet south of East $\frac{1}{4}$ corner of Section
 5 5, being 100 feet southerly from the southeast corner of
 6 Swanson Addition No. 2; thence N. $87^{\circ} 05' W.$ a distance
 7 of 929.28 feet to a point 20 feet N. $87^{\circ} 05' W.$ and 120 feet
 8 S. $1^{\circ} 20' W.$ from the southwest corner of Block 4 of
 9 Swanson Addition No. 2 to Townsite of Del Rey; thence
 10 N. $1^{\circ} 20' E.$ 725.02 feet to a point on the south line of the
 11 northeast $\frac{1}{4}$ of said Section 5, which is 20 feet N. $1^{\circ} 20' E.$
 12 from a point 20 feet N. $89^{\circ} 39' W.$ from the northwest
 13 corner of Block 2 of Swanson Addition to Townsite of Del
 14 Rey; thence westerly along the south line of Northeast $\frac{1}{4}$
 15 of said Section 5 to a point 558.62 feet east of center of
 16 Section 5, Township 15 South, Range 22 East; thence N.
 17 $0^{\circ} 28' W.$ 446 feet; thence east 250.96 feet to most westerly
 18 corner of Lot 29 of Azadian Addition; thence N. $35^{\circ} 58' E.$
 19 along northwesterly line of Azadian Addition to
 20 intersection with the southwesterly line of Vine Avenue
 21 as shown on map of Town of Del Rey; thence N. $45^{\circ} 54'$
 22 W. to intersection with the northwesterly line of Fourth
 23 Street as shown on map of Town of Del Rey; thence N.
 24 $57^{\circ} 21' W.$ a distance of 310.73 feet, more or less, to
 25 southeast corner of West $\frac{1}{2}$ of Northwest $\frac{1}{4}$ of Northeast
 26 $\frac{1}{4}$ of said Section 5; then north 1320 feet, more or less, to
 27 northeast corner of West $\frac{1}{2}$ of Northwest $\frac{1}{4}$ of Northeast
 28 $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 5; then east 1980 feet, more or less, to
 29 northeast corner of Section 5, Township 15 South, Range
 30 22 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian and point of
 31 beginning.

32 3. The Town of Bowles, additions and portion of
 33 section according to the maps of same on file and of
 34 record in the Office of the County Recorder of the
 35 County of Fresno, State of California described as follows
 36 to wit:

37 Commence at the southwest corner of Section 24,
 38 Township 15 South, Range 20 East, Mount Diablo Base
 39 and Meridian; thence north 380 feet along section line to
 40 intersection with the westerly extension of the north line

1 of Lewis Avenue, 50 feet wide; thence east along north
 2 line of Lewis Avenue and extension thereof to
 3 intersection with west line of 80 foot Atchison and
 4 Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Right of way, being 20 feet
 5 north and 20 feet east of northeast corner of Block 1 of
 6 Lewis addition to Town of Bowles; thence south along
 7 said westerly Right of way line to intersection with the
 8 easterly extension of the south line of A Street, as shown
 9 on map of Town of Bowles; thence west 170 feet,
 10 more or less, along said south line and extension thereof
 11 to a point 60 feet east of northeast corner of Block 1, Town
 12 of Bowles, being the east line of Broadway Avenue and
 13 westerly line of 160 foot Atchison Topeka and Santa Fe
 14 Railway Reservation; thence southerly along said west
 15 line to intersection with the easterly extension of the
 16 south line of Block 3 of Town of Bowles, 77.1 feet easterly
 17 of southeast corner of said Block 3; thence west along the
 18 south line of Blocks 3 and 4 of Town of Bowles and the
 19 extension thereof to a point 40 feet west of southwest
 20 corner of Block 4, Town of Bowles; thence north along a
 21 line parallel to and 40 feet west of west line of Blocks 4,
 22 5 and 6, Town of Bowles to intersection with westerly
 23 extension of north line of Block 6 at a point 40 feet west
 24 of northwest corner of Block 6, Town of Bowles; thence
 25 west 94 feet along westerly extension of north line of
 26 Block 6 of said town; thence north 330 feet to a point 30
 27 feet south of north line of Section 25, Township 15 South,
 28 Range 20 East; thence west along a line parallel to and 30
 29 feet south of north line of said Section 25 to intersection
 30 with west line of Section 25; thence north 30 feet to
 31 southwest corner of Section 24, Township 15 South,
 32 Range 20 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, being
 33 point of beginning.

34 4. Portion of the Town of Monmouth as shown in
 35 Record of Surveys, Volume 4 Page 43, in the Office of the
 36 County Recorder of the County of Fresno, State of
 37 California and portion of Section 1, Township 16 South,
 38 Range 20 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian exterior
 39 boundaries described as follows:

40 Commence at the southeast corner of the Northeast $\frac{1}{4}$

1 of Southeast $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 1, Township 16 South, Range 20
 2 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian; thence south
 3 along said section line to intersection with the easterly
 4 extension of the south line of the 8-foot alley, as shown on
 5 map of Town of Monmouth; thence westerly along south
 6 line of alley and extension thereof, being 8 feet south of
 7 the south lines of Blocks 1, 2 and 3 of said town, to
 8 intersection with east line of 200-foot Atchison, Topeka,
 9 and Santa Fe Railway reservation; thence northwesterly
 10 along the easterly line of said railway reservation to
 11 intersection with the westerly projection of the north line
 12 of a 40-foot county road; thence easterly along said north
 13 line and extension thereof, being parallel to and 228 feet
 14 north of north lines of Blocks 4, 5 and 6 of Town of
 15 Monmouth to intersection with east line of said Section 1;
 16 thence south along said section line to southeast corner of
 17 northeast $\frac{1}{4}$ of southeast $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 1, Township 16
 18 South, Range 20 East, being point of beginning.

19 5. Portion of Town of Caruthers as shown in Record of
 20 Surveys Volume 5 Page 11 and Sandusky Tract as shown
 21 in Plats Volume 14 Page 59 and portion of Section 18,
 22 Township 16 South, Range 20 East, Mount Diablo Base
 23 and Meridian, all as shown in Office of County Recorder
 24 of the County of Fresno, State of California described as
 25 follows: Commence at the intersection of the north line
 26 of Section 18, Township 16 South, Range 20 East, Mount
 27 Diablo Base and Meridian with the northwesterly
 28 projection of the southwesterly line of Villa Lot 1 of the
 29 Town of Caruthers; thence southeasterly along said
 30 southwesterly line and the projection thereof and along
 31 the southwesterly line of Villa Lot 6 of the Town of
 32 Caruthers to intersection with the east line of Section 18,
 33 Township 16 South, Range 20 East; thence south along
 34 said east line to intersection with the southeasterly
 35 projection of the northeasterly line of Villa Lot 5 of the
 36 Town of Caruthers; thence northwesterly along the
 37 southeasterly projection of said Villa Lot 5 and along the
 38 northeasterly line of Villa Lot 5 to a point 168 feet
 39 southeasterly from most northerly corner of Villa Lot 5;
 40 thence southwesterly along line parallel to and 168 feet

1 southeast of northwesterly line of Villa Lot 5 to
 2 intersection with northeasterly line of Sandusky Tract;
 3 thence southeasterly 2 feet to most easterly corner of
 4 Sandusky Tract; thence southwesterly along the
 5 southeasterly line of Sandusky Tract, being 170 feet
 6 southeasterly and parallel to the northwesterly line of
 7 Villa Lot 5, to intersection with the southeasterly
 8 extension of the northeasterly line of Block 82 of Town of
 9 Caruthers; thence southeasterly along said southeasterly
 10 extension to intersection with a line 490 feet north and
 11 parallel to the south line of the North $\frac{1}{2}$ of the South $\frac{1}{2}$
 12 of Section 18, Township 16 South, Range 20 East; thence
 13 east along said parallel line to a point 490 feet north of
 14 south line of North $\frac{1}{2}$ of South $\frac{1}{2}$ of Section 18, Township
 15 16 South, Range 20 East and 1150 feet east of
 16 southeasterly line of Sandusky Tract; thence south 490
 17 feet to south line of North $\frac{1}{2}$ of South $\frac{1}{2}$ of Section 18,
 18 Township 16 South, Range 20 East; thence west along said
 19 Section line to intersection with the southwesterly
 20 projection of southeasterly line of Villa Lot 4 of Town of
 21 Caruthers; thence northeasterly along said southwesterly
 22 projection and along the southeasterly line of said Villa
 23 Lot 4 to most easterly corner of Villa Lot 4; thence
 24 northwesterly 440 feet along northeasterly line of Villa
 25 Lot 4 to a point 40 feet southeast of most easterly corner
 26 of Block 93, Town of Caruthers; thence southwesterly 360
 27 feet along a line parallel to and 40 feet southeasterly from
 28 the southeasterly line of Block 93; thence at right angles
 29 northwesterly 40 feet to intersection with the
 30 southwesterly projection of the southeasterly line of said
 31 Block 93; thence southwesterly along said southwesterly
 32 projection 277 feet; thence at right angles northwesterly
 33 400 feet to intersection with the northwesterly line of
 34 Villa Lot 4; thence southwesterly along said
 35 northwesterly line to intersection with the west line of
 36 the East $\frac{1}{2}$ of the West $\frac{1}{2}$ of Section 18, Township 16
 37 South, Range 20 East; thence north along said Section line
 38 to intersection with the southwesterly projection of a line
 39 that is parallel to and 550 feet northwesterly of the
 40 southeasterly line of Villa Lot 3 of Town of Caruthers;

1 thence northeasterly along said parallel line to
 2 intersection with the northeasterly line of said Villa Lot
 3 3; thence northwesterly along said northeasterly line of
 4 Villa Lot 3 to most southerly corner of Villa Lot 2, Town
 5 of Caruthers; thence northeasterly along the
 6 southeasterly line of said Villa Lot 2 to most easterly
 7 corner of Villa Lot 2; thence northwesterly along
 8 northeasterly line of Villa Lot 2 and northwesterly
 9 production thereof to intersection with the north line of
 10 Section 18, Township 16 South, Range 20 East; thence east
 11 along said section line to intersection with the
 12 northwesterly projection of the southwesterly line of
 13 Villa Lot 1, Town of Caruthers, being point of beginning.

14 6. The **Town of Laton** as shown in Record of Surveys
 15 Number 1, Page 76 and portion of West Laton Addition,
 16 as shown in Record of Surveys Number 6 page 24 in the
 17 Office of the County Recorder of the County of Fresno,
 18 State of California, described as follows:

19 All of the Southwest $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 22, Township 17
 20 South, Range 21 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

21 7. The **Town of Lanare** as shown in Record of Surveys
 22 Number 7, Page 52 in the office of the County Recorder
 23 of the County of Fresno, State of California;

24 8. The **Town of Riverdale**, additions and portion of
 25 sections, as shown of record in the Office of the County
 26 Recorder of Fresno County, State of California described
 27 as follows:

28 Being that portion of Sections 24 and 25 of Township 17
 29 South, Range 19 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian,
 30 Fresno County, California described as follows:
 31 Beginning at the southwest corner of Section 24 and
 32 running northerly along the west line of Section 24 a
 33 distance of 238.7 feet to a point on said west line; thence
 34 easterly and parallel to the south line of said Section and
 35 238.7 feet northerly therefrom, a distance of 880 feet;
 36 thence northerly 880 feet easterly from and parallel to the
 37 west line of said Section to a point on the north line of
 38 South $\frac{1}{2}$ of North $\frac{1}{2}$ of Southwest $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 24; thence
 39 easterly on said line to a point 740 feet west of north to
 40 south center line of Section 24; thence southerly 360 feet

1 on a line parallel to and 740 feet west of the north to south
 2 center line of Section 24 to a point 445 feet north of north
 3 line of "C" Street as shown on map of La Paloma Addition
 4 to Riverdale; thence easterly 740 feet to a point on the
 5 center line of Section 24; thence southerly to the
 6 southeast corner of Northeast $\frac{1}{4}$ of Southwest $\frac{1}{4}$ of
 7 Section 24; thence easterly on the north line of the South
 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ of Southeast $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 24 to the southwest corner of
 9 the Northeast $\frac{1}{4}$ of Southeast $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 24, continuing
 10 thence easterly along the north line of South $\frac{1}{2}$ of
 11 Northeast $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 24, to a point which is 432.55 feet
 12 east of the southwest corner of the Northeast $\frac{1}{4}$ of
 13 Southeast $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 24; thence southerly to a point on
 14 the south line of "B" Street extended easterly at a point
 15 871.12 feet west of the east line of Section 24; thence
 16 easterly on the extension of said south line of "B" Street
 17 to a point on the east line of Section 24; thence southerly
 18 to the southeast corner of Section 24; thence westerly
 19 along the line between Section 24 and Section 25, to a
 20 point 488.5 feet west of the southeast corner of Section 24;
 21 thence southerly along a line parallel to and a distance of
 22 488.5 feet west of the east line of Section 25 to the
 23 intersection of said line with the center line of the Burrel
 24 Ditch; thence southwesterly along the center line of said
 25 Burrel Ditch to its intersection with the east line of Lot
 26 12 of Martha Kruger Subdivision extended northerly;
 27 thence southerly along said extension of the east line of
 28 Lot 12 and continuing along the east lines of Lot 12 and
 29 Lot 13 to a point which is 210 feet southerly thereon from
 30 the northeast corner of said Lot 13; thence westerly
 31 parallel to and at a distance of 210 feet southerly from the
 32 north line of said Lot 13 to the west line of the Northeast
 33 $\frac{1}{4}$ of said Section 25; thence northerly along the west line
 34 of said Northeast $\frac{1}{4}$ to its intersection with the center line
 35 of the Burrel Ditch; thence westerly and southwesterly
 36 along said center line of the Burrel Ditch to a point on the
 37 south line of the North $\frac{1}{2}$ of Northwest $\frac{1}{4}$ of Northwest
 38 $\frac{1}{4}$ of said Section 25; thence westerly, approximately 375
 39 feet, along the south line of said North $\frac{1}{2}$ of the Northwest
 40 $\frac{1}{4}$ of the Northwest $\frac{1}{4}$ to the west line of said Section 25;

1 thence northerly along the west line of said Section 25 to
2 the point of beginning.

3 9. The **Town of Helm** as shown in Plat Book Volume 7,
4 Page 97 in the office of the County Recorder of the
5 County of Fresno, State of California;

6 10. The **Town of Armona** as shown in Map book page
7 3, Map book page 12, Map book page 17, and Map book
8 page 30 of Kings County; and in Licensed Surveyors Plats
9 Volume 1 page 44; Volume 1 page 84; Volume 2 page 40;
10 Volume 2 page 56; Volume 2 page 66; Volume 2 page 72;
11 Volume 2 page 73; Volume 3 page 48; Volume 4 page 17
12 in the office of the County Recorder of Kings County,
13 State of California;

14 11. The **Town of Stratford** as shown in Licensed
15 Surveyors Plats Volume 2 page 1 and Volume 2 page 57
16 in the office of the County Recorder of Kings County,
17 State of California;

18 And further excepting therefrom the lands embraced
19 within the limits of the following described areas:

20 1. **Hammer Field** being all of Section 29 and the east $\frac{1}{4}$
21 of Section 30, Township 13 South, Range 21 East, M. D. B.
22 & M.;

23 2.

24 1. **Selma Sewer Farm** being the north half of the
25 northeast quarter of Section 31, Township 16 South,
26 Range 22 East, M. D. B. & M.;

27 3.

28 2. **Clotho Station** being a portion of Section 18,
29 Township 14 South, Range 22 East, M. D. B. & M.,
30 consisting of a strip of land 350 feet wide lying on the
31 south side of S. P. R. R. track westerly from east line of
32 said Section 18;

33 4.

34 3. All portions of that certain mountain known as **Smith**
35 **Mountain**, including the small hill forming the southern
36 extremity thereof, over which water will not flow by
37 gravity from East Branch of the Alta Main Canal, all
38 located in Sections 26, 27, 28, 33, 34 and 35 in Township
39 15 South, Range 24 East, M. D. B. & M., and in Sections
40 3 and 10 in Township 16 South, Range 24 East, M. D. B.

1 & M.

2 5.

3 4. **Fresno Municipal Sewer Farm** being all of Section 21,
4 and the northwest quarter of Section 22, and 12 acres in
5 the northwest corner of the north $\frac{1}{2}$ of the south $\frac{1}{2}$ of
6 Section 22 lying north of the center of ditch running
7 southwesterly through said north $\frac{1}{2}$ of the south $\frac{1}{2}$ of
8 Section 22, and the northwest quarter of Section 27, and
9 the north one-half of Section 28, all in Township 14 South,
10 Range 19 East, M. D. B. & M.

11 6.

12 5. That portion of land in Section 19, Township 14
13 South, Range 20 East, M. D. B. & M., used as a **garbage**
14 **fill and reclaimed by the City of Fresno**, described as
15 follows: The north $\frac{1}{2}$ of Lots 13 and 14, Union Colony, of
16 said Section 19; and the southeast $\frac{1}{4}$ of the northeast $\frac{1}{4}$ of
17 said Section 19; and beginning at a point in the east line
18 of the northeast $\frac{1}{4}$ of said Section 19, 2314.57 feet north
19 of the southeast corner of said northeast $\frac{1}{4}$; thence west
20 along the south line of the north $\frac{1}{2}$ of the north $\frac{1}{2}$ of the
21 northeast $\frac{1}{4}$ of the said northeast $\frac{1}{4}$, 980.1 feet; thence
22 south parallel to the west side of the east $\frac{1}{2}$ of the said
23 northeast $\frac{1}{4}$ of the northeast $\frac{1}{4}$, 106.5 feet; thence west
24 parallel to the south side of the north $\frac{1}{2}$ of the north $\frac{1}{2}$
25 of the said northeast $\frac{1}{4}$ of the northeast $\frac{1}{4}$ and westerly
26 production, 366.7 feet; thence south parallel to and 40 feet
27 west of the west side of the east $\frac{1}{2}$ of the said northeast
28 $\frac{1}{4}$, 883.0 feet; thence east 40.0 feet to a point 2.0 feet north
29 of the southwest corner of the said northeast $\frac{1}{4}$ of the
30 northeast $\frac{1}{4}$; thence south along the west line of the east
31 $\frac{1}{2}$ of the northeast $\frac{1}{4}$, 2.0 feet to the said southwest corner
32 of the northeast $\frac{1}{4}$ of the northeast $\frac{1}{4}$; thence east along
33 the south line of the northeast $\frac{1}{4}$ of the northeast $\frac{1}{4}$ to the
34 southeast corner thereof; thence north along the east line
35 of the said northeast $\frac{1}{4}$ of the northeast $\frac{1}{4}$ to the point of
36 beginning.

37 **SEC. 1.5.** Section 4 of the Kings River Conservation
38 District Act (Chapter 931 of the Statutes of 1951) is
39 amended to read:

40 Sec. 4. The Legislature hereby finds and determines

1 that the territory comprising said district and the lands
 2 thereof will be benefited by the formation of said district;
 3 that the water problems in the district require the
 4 formation of the district; that these problems are not
 5 general or statewide; that many owners of rights to the
 6 waters of the Kings River and its tributaries, including
 7 irrigation districts, reclamation districts, mutual water
 8 companies and other public and private corporations and
 9 individual owners have entered into agreements for the
 10 distribution of waters from said river and its tributaries
 11 and that the distribution of such waters to a considerable
 12 extent is made in accordance with such agreements; that
 13 the effective distribution and conservation of such waters
 14 may be aided by the acquisition of storage space in the
 15 Pine Flat Reservoir created by the Pine Flat Dam now
 16 being constructed by the United States of America; that
 17 matters affecting the distribution, use and storage of the
 18 waters of the Kings River and its tributaries, the future
 19 conservation and use thereof and the protection,
 20 drainage and reclamation of lands within the district can
 21 be most appropriately handled by the district herein
 22 provided for, and it is necessary to have a political entity
 23 embracing the areas having rights to said waters created
 24 in order to protect such rights and to meet the various
 25 problems affecting such water supply, including those
 26 hereinabove set forth; provided, however, that the
 27 Legislature further finds and determines that the district
 28 claims and has no present or future right to take, use,
 29 control, or distribute any of the waters of the Kings River,
 30 except for the right to the nonconsumptive use of such
 31 waters for the production of power, or except for such
 32 rights as the district may subsequently acquire by
 33 voluntary agreement with the holders thereof.

34 Investigation having shown that conditions in the area
 35 comprising said district to be peculiar to it, it is hereby
 36 declared that a general law cannot be made applicable to
 37 said district and that the enactment of this special law is
 38 necessary for the conservation, development, control,
 39 distribution and use of said waters of the Kings River and
 40 its tributaries and power developed thereby for the

1 public good, for the protection, drainage and reclamation
 2 of lands within the district, for the protection and
 3 preservation of rights to water therein and for the
 4 purpose of meeting the various problems affecting such
 5 water supply, including those hereinabove set forth.

6 SEC. 2. Section 8 of the Kings River Conservation
 7 District Act (Chapter 931 of the Statutes of 1951) is
 8 amended to read:

9 Sec. 8. The powers of the district shall, except as
 10 otherwise provided, be exercised by a board of seven
 11 directors, six of whom shall reside respectively in each of
 12 the six divisions but shall be elected by the entire district,
 13 and one shall be elected at large by the entire district;
 14 provided, however, that the first directors shall be
 15 appointed as herein provided.

16 SEC. 3. Section 9 of the Kings River Conservation
 17 District Act (Chapter 931 of the Statutes of 1951) is
 18 amended to read:

19 Sec. 9. Within 30 days after the effective date of this
 20 act the Governor shall appoint seven directors to serve as
 21 such until the first general district election, each of whom
 22 must be an elector and resident of the district. At least
 23 one director shall be appointed from each division and be
 24 a resident and elector thereof. Within 30 days after such
 25 appointment, the first directors, and thereafter on the
 26 last Friday in November after each general district
 27 election, the directors shall meet and organize as a board.

28 SEC. 4. Section 24 of the Kings River Conservation
 29 District Act (Chapter 931 of the Statutes of 1951) is
 30 amended to read:

31 Sec. 24. Except as herein otherwise provided, the
 32 provisions of the Elections Code relating to the
 33 qualifications of voters, the manner of voting, the duties
 34 of election officers, the canvassing of returns and all other
 35 particulars with respect to the management of general
 36 elections so far as may be applicable shall govern all
 37 district elections; provided, however, that to the extent
 38 that the provisions of the Elections Code pertaining to
 39 the conduct of local elections are inconsistent with the
 40 provisions of that code pertaining to general elections,

1 the provisions of the Elections Code pertaining to local
2 elections shall control; provided further, that to the
3 extent the provisions of the Uniform District Election
4 Law are inconsistent with the provisions of the Elections
5 Code pertaining to general or local elections, the
6 provisions of the Uniform District Election Law shall
7 control. The election of directors shall be held on the first
8 Tuesday after the first Monday in November in each
9 odd-numbered year, and each director must be an elector
10 and resident of the division for which he is elected,
11 except the director elected at large who may be an
12 elector and resident of any division.

13 The candidate receiving the highest number of votes
14 cast for the office of director for a specific division shall
15 be declared elected. The candidates for the office of
16 director at large receiving the highest number of votes
17 cast in the district shall be declared elected.

18 SEC. 5. Section 46 of the Kings River Conservation
19 District Act (Chapter 931 of the Statutes of 1951) is
20 amended to read:

21 Sec. 46. The formation of the district or the
22 enactment of this act or any provision hereof shall not
23 impair the vested right of any person, association,
24 corporation, municipality or public district in or to water
25 or power or the use thereof; and, notwithstanding any
26 other provision of this act, with respect to the waters of
27 the Kings River, the district shall have no power to
28 condemn the works, water, water rights, rights to divert,
29 or rights to the use of water belonging to any public
30 district, mutual water company, or landowner, or
31 stockholder therein.

32 SEC. 6. This act is an urgency statute necessary for
33 the immediate preservation of the public peace, health,
34 or safety within the meaning of Article IV of the
35 Constitution and shall go into immediate effect. The facts
36 constituting such necessity are:

37 In order that the provisions of this act go into effect
38 prior to the next election of directors of the Kings River
39 Conservation District, it is necessary that this act take
40 effect immediately as an urgency statute.