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700 Civic Center Drive West
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Attention: Thomas J. Borris, Presiding Judge of the OC Superior Court

Subject: El Toro Water District Response to the Compensation Survey of Orange County Water and Sanitation District's Report Findings and Recommendations

Dear Honorable Judge Thomas J. Borris:

The District appreciates the opportunity to review, comment on and respond to the above referenced survey and report findings/recommendations. With regards to the report findings, the District agrees with F.1 and F.2. With regards to the report recommendations, the District has enhanced its website (www.etwd.com) to more efficiently comply with R.1 and R.2. A "Financial Transparency" link has been added to the District's website to facilitate easy public access to the District's adopted budget, audited financial statements, agendas, minutes, meeting schedules, General Manager and Board of Director Compensation. It should be noted that the District had already provided website disclosure and public access to a meeting calendar, adopted budget, audited financial statements and agendas. Further, compensation information for the District, inclusive of the Board of Directors, was made available via the State Controller's website commencing in 2009.

If you should have any questions or require further information do not hesitate to contact me at (949) 837-7050, Ext. 219 or by email at bhill@etwd.com.

Sincerely,

EL TORO WATER DISTRICT

Robert R. Hill, General Manager

Cc: Grand Jury File

Mr. Jerry L. Powell, Grand Jury Foreman