



State Water Resources Control Board

NOTICE OF STATUS CONFERENCE & VACATION OF PUBLIC HEARING DATES

The State Water Resources Control Board Administrative Hearings Office had previously noticed a Public Hearing on a proposed Cease and Desist Order and an Administrative Civil Liability Complaint against

Agustin Antonio Merodio and Juan Merodio

The Public Hearing was scheduled to begin on

August 20, 2025, at 9:00 a.m.

Following joint communication from the parties on July 8, 2025, **the AHO vacates the date of August 20, 2025, for purposes of a public hearing**. The AHO also **vacates** the pre-hearing conference set for **July 17, 2025, at 9:30 a.m.**

However, the hearing officer will hold a status conference on

August 20, 2025, at 9:30 a.m.

Representatives of parties will receive e-mail invitations to join this meeting by Zoom.

Interested members of the public who would like to watch this hearing without participating may do so through the Administrative Hearings Office YouTube channel at: bit.ly/aho-youtube

LANGUAGE SERVICES AND ACCESSIBILITY

The status conference hearing will be offered in English. To request translation of a written document, interpretation services for the hearing or sign language services, please use one of the following options no later than **August 6, 2025**:

- Submit a Language Services Request online
- Call (916) 341-5254
- E-mail languageservices@waterboards.ca.gov

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STATUS CONFERENCE

To monitor the progress of settlement negotiations while the Merodios' request for a hearing is still active before the AHO, the hearing officer will conduct a status conference on August 20, 2025, at 9:30 a.m. by Zoom teleconference.

After the parties execute a signed settlement agreement, or provide a joint statement of the timeframe by which they intend to execute a settlement agreement, or if the Merodios withdraw their request for a hearing, the AHO may cancel or continue the date for this status conference. Please provide an e-mail update about the status of settlement negotiations by August 13, 2025, at 11:59 p.m. to adminhrgoffice@waterboards.ca.gov.

July 14, 2025 Date

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Hearing Officer

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