

EXHIBIT 10-A

Section Thirteen: Limitation on Modification

No subdivision, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance shall, for any reason, be amended by the District Board unless the District Board: (a) conducts a hearing on the proposed amendment, (b) causes mailed notice of the hearing to be given in the manner set forth in Article XIII D of the California Constitution, (c) accepts protests against the amendment in the manner set forth in Article XIII D of the California Constitution, and (d) determines that a majority protest to the modification does not exist. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the District Board may, without complying with the foregoing sentence, amend this Ordinance to (i) temporarily suspend the Supply Charge, (ii) reduce the rate of the Supply Charge, or (iii) repeal this ordinance in its entirety. Furthermore, nothing in this paragraph shall be construed to create notice, protest or hearing rights (if not otherwise created by state or federal law) with respect to any action taken by the Board of Directors for the purpose of complying with any (i) court order, (ii) published appellate court or federal court decision (including a decision in a case to which the District is not a party), (iii) change in statutory law, or (iv) amendment to the California or federal constitutions.

On motion by Director Brower, and second by Director Markey, the foregoing Ordinance is adopted upon this 27th day of June 2012, by the following vote:

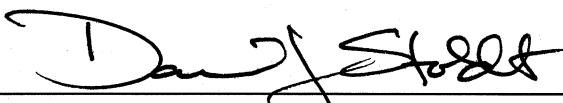
AYES: Brower, Markey, Byrne, Lehman, Lewis, Pendergrass

NAYS: Potter

ABSENT: None

I, David J. Stoldt, Secretary to the Board of Directors of the Monterey Peninsula Water Management District, hereby certify the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of an ordinance duly adopted on the 27th day of June 2012.

Witness my hand and seal of the Board of Directors this 27th day of June 2012.



David J. Stoldt, Secretary to the Board