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Honorable Edward Drusina, P. E.
Commissioner, United States Section
International Boundary and Water Commission
The Commons, Building C, Suite 306
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Subject: Revised Schedule of Calendar Year 2011 Water Deliveries to Mexico

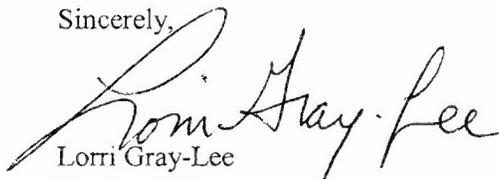
Dear Commissioner Drusina:

The Bureau of Reclamation received two letters dated April 1, 2011, from the U.S. Section of the International Boundary and Water Commission (IBWC) informing Reclamation of Mexico's requests to modify the 2011 delivery schedule of Colorado River water to Mexico. The requested modifications are for deliveries of arranged water to the Santa Clara Wetland pursuant to Minute No. 316 for the month of April, and to cancel deliveries to Tijuana for the months of May and June. The delivery modifications consist of an increase of 3,628 thousand cubic meters (TCM) (2,941 acre-feet) in April for the Santa Clara Wetland with an equal amount of decrease in the month of July in the delivery at the Northerly International Boundary (NIB), and increased deliveries to the NIB in the amount of 722 TCM (585 acre-feet) and 698 TCM (566 acre-feet) in May and June, respectively, for the cancelled deliveries in those months to Tijuana.

Reclamation confirms its ability to execute the requested deliveries according to the schedule provided by your office, which shows deliveries at the NIB, deliveries at the Southerly Land Boundary, and diversions at Parker Dam for deliveries to Tijuana. These deliveries of Colorado River water to Mexico during calendar year 2011 are in accordance with Article 15 of the Treaty between the United States of America and Mexico, Utilization of Waters of the Colorado and Tijuana Rivers and of the Rio Grande, dated February 3, 1944, and Minutes No. 242, 314, and 316 of the IBWC. The enclosed schedule shows the monthly deliveries provided by your office converted to acre-feet for use in our forecast.

As in previous years, Reclamation will continue to advise your office regarding Colorado River operations as they proceed. I appreciate your cooperation and assistance in planning river operations and in dealing with other issues associated with management of the Colorado River. If you have questions regarding Reclamation's ability to execute the requested deliveries, please call Mr. Paul Matuska, Water Accounting and Verification Group Manager, at 702-293-8164.

Sincerely,


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CY2011 COLORADO RIVER WATER DELIVERIES FOR MEXICO

04-Apr-11

Month	PREVIOUS SCHEDULE Colorado River at Morelos Dam (NIB)		CHANGE		NEW SCHEDULE				Diversions at Parker Dam to Effect Emergency Deliveries to Tijuana		Deliveries to Santa Clara Wetland in accordance with Minute No. 316		TOTAL DELIVERY	
	Acre-Feet	KCM	KCM	%	Acre-Feet	KCM	Acre-Feet	KCM	Acre-Feet	KCM	Acre-Feet	KCM	Acre-Feet	KCM
JAN	116,170	143,295	0	0%	116,170	143,295	11,943	14,731	0	0	0	0	128,113	158,026
FEB	143,978	177,595	0	0%	143,978	177,595	11,943	14,731	0	0	0	0	155,921	192,326
MAR	183,484	226,325	0	0%	183,484	226,325	11,943	14,731	0	0	0	0	195,427	241,056
APR	177,180	218,549	0	0%	177,179	218,549	11,943	14,731	0	0	2,941	3,628	192,063	236,908
MAY	98,984	122,096	722	1%	99,569	122,817	11,172	13,781	0	0	0	0	110,741	136,598
JUN ¹	104,117	128,427	698	1%	104,682	129,125	11,943	14,731	0	0	0	0	116,625	143,856
JUL	111,828	137,938	-3628	-3%	108,886	134,310	11,943	14,731	0	0	0	0	120,829	149,041
AUG	83,985	103,594	0	0%	83,985	103,594	11,557	14,256	0	0	0	0	95,542	117,850
SEP	78,135	96,379	0	0%	78,135	96,379	11,172	13,781	0	0	0	0	89,307	110,160
OCT	56,799	70,061	0	0%	56,799	70,061	10,437	12,874	585	722	0	0	67,821	83,656
NOV	97,713	120,528	0	0%	97,713	120,528	11,557	14,256	0	0	0	0	109,270	134,784
DEC	106,451	131,307	0	0%	106,451	131,307	11,890	14,666	0	0	0	0	118,341	145,973
TOTAL	1,358,824	1,676,093	(2,209)		1,357,031	1,673,884	139,443	171,999	585	722	2,941	3,628	1,500,000	1,850,233

Water delivery schedule based on schedule received from IBWC in letter dated Jan 11, 2011.

1/ Water delivery schedule based on schedule received from IBWC in letter dated April 1, 2011. Schedule dated Mar 8, 2011.

2/ Water delivery schedule based on schedule received from IBWC in letter dated April 1, 2011. Schedule dated Mar 14, 2011.