IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

ADAM SULLIVAN, P.E., NEVADA STATE ENGINEER, DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES, DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES; LAS VEGAS VALLEY WATER DISTRICT; SOUTHERN NEVADA WATER AUTHORITY; AND CENTER FOR BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY,

Appellants,

VS.

LINCOLN COUNTY WATER DISTRICT: VIDLER WATER COMPANY, INC.; COYOTE SPRINGS INVESTMENT. LLC: NEVADA COGENERATION ASSOCIATES NOS. 1 AND 2: APEX HOLDING COMPANY, LLC; DRY LAKE WATER, LLC: GEORGIA-PACIFIC GYPSUM, LLC: REPUBLIC ENVIRONMENTAL TECHNOLOGIES, INC.: MUDDY VALLEY IRRIGATION COMPANY: SIERRA PACIFIC POWER COMPANY, D/B/A NV ENERGY; NEVADA POWER COMPANY, D/B/A NV ENERGY: THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS: MOAPA VALLEY WATER DISTRICT; WESTERN ELITE ENVIRONMENTAL, INC.: BEDROC LIMITED, LLC: AND CITY OF NORTH LAS VEGAS.

Respondents.

SOUTHERN NEVADA WATER AUTHORITY,

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Appellant,

VS.

COYOTE SPRINGS INVESTMENT. LLC: APEX HOLDING COMPANY, LLC; No. 84739

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NEVADA COGENERATION ASSOCIATES NOS. 1 AND 2: GEORGIA-PACIFIC GYPSUM, LLC; DRY LAKE WATER, LLC; REPUBLIC TECHNOLOGIES, INC.; LINCOLN COUNTY WATER DISTRICT; VIDLER WATER COMPANY, INC.; MUDDY VALLEY IRRIGATION COMPANY; CENTER FOR BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY: SIERRA PACIFIC POWER COMPANY, D/B/A NV ENERGY; NEVADA POWER COMPANY, D/B/A NV ENERGY: MOAPA VALLEY WATER DISTRICT: THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS: CITY OF NORTH LAS VEGAS; WESTERN ELITE ENVIRONMENTAL, INC.; BEDROC LIMITED, LLC; AND ADAM SULLIVAN, P.E., NEVADA STATE ENGINEER, DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES, DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES.

Respondents.

VS.

CENTER FOR BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY; SOUTHERN NEVADA WATER AUTHORITY; LAS VEGAS VALLEY WATER DISTRICT; MUDDY VALLEY IRRIGATION COMPANY; COYOTE SPRINGS INVESTMENT. LLC: LINCOLN COUNTY WATER DISTRICT: APEX HOLDING COMPANY, LLC; DRY LAKE WATER, LLC: NEVADA COGENERATION ASSOCIATES NOS. 1 AND 2: GEORGIA-PACIFIC GYPSUM, LLC; REPUBLIC TECHNOLOGIES, INC.; AND VIDLER WATER COMPANY, INC., Appellants,

No. 84742

SUPREME COURT

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ADAM SULLIVAN, P.E., NEVADA STATE ENGINEER, DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES, DEPAR'TMENT OF CONSERVATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES; THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS; SIERRA PACIFIC POWER COMPANY, D/B/A NV ENERGY; NEVADA POWER COMPANY, D/B/A NV ENERGY; MOAPA VALLEY WATER DISTRICT; CITY OF NORTH LAS VEGAS; WESTERN ELITE ENVIRONMENTAL, INC.; AND BEDROC LIMITED, LLC, Respondents.

MUDDY VALLEY IRRIGATION COMPANY, Appellant,

VS.

ADAM SULLIVAN, P.E., NEVADA STATE ENGINEER, DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES, DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES: LAS VEGAS VALLEY WATER DISTRICT; SOUTHERN NEVADA WATER AUTHORITY; COYOTE SPRINGS INVESTMENT, LLC: APEX HOLDING COMPANY, LLC: DRY LAKE WATER, LLC; CENTER FOR BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY; NEVADA COGENERATION ASSOCIATES NOS. 1 AND 2; GEORGIA-PACIFIC GYPSUM, LLC: REPUBLIC ENVIRONMENTAL TECHNOLOGIES, INC.; LINCOLN COUNTY WATER DISTRICT; VIDLER WATER COMPANY, INC.; SIERRA PACIFIC POWER COMPANY, D/B/A NV ENERGY: NEVADA POWER COMPANY, D/B/A NV ENERGY; MOAPA VALLEY WATER DISTRICT;

No. 84809



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THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS; CITY OF NORTH LAS VEGAS; WESTERN ELITE ENVIRONMENTAL, INC.; AND BEDROC LIMITED, LLC, Respondents.

ORDER GRANTING MOTIONS TO CONSOLIDATE

These four appeals each challenge April 19 and May 13, 2022, district court orders resolving petitions for judicial review of State Engineer Order 1309. Appellant State Engineer (Docket No. 84739) and appellant Center for Biological Diversity (Docket No. 84742) have filed joint motions to consolidate these appeals.

that the joint motions, it appears Having reviewed consolidation is appropriate, as these appeals arise from the same district court case, challenge the same orders, and involve the same parties. NRAP 3(b)(2) ("When the parties have filed separate timely notices of appeal, the appeals may be joined or consolidated by the court upon its own motion or upon motion of a party."). Accordingly, the joint motions are granted, and the clerk of this court is directed to consolidate the appeals in Docket Numbers 84739, 84741, 84742, and 84809. The appellants in these consolidated cases are Adam Sullivan, P.E., Nevada State Engineer, Division of Water Resources, Department of Conservation and Natural Resources (Docket No. 84739); Southern Nevada Water Authority (Docket No. 84741); Center for Biological Diversity (Docket No. 84742); and Muddy Valley Irrigation Co. (Docket No. 84809). The respondents for all appeals are Lincoln County Water District; Vidler Water Company, Inc.; Coyote Springs Investment, LLC; Nevada Cogeneration Associates Nos. 1 and 2; Apex Holding Company, LLC; Dry Lake Water, LLC; Georgia-Pacific



Gypsum, LLC; Republic Environmental Technologies, Inc.; Sierra Pacific Power Company, d/b/a NV Energy; Nevada Power Company, d/b/a NV Energy; The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints; Moapa Valley Water District; Western Elite Environmental, Inc.; Bedroc Limited, LLC; City of North Las Vegas; and Las Vegas Valley Water District.

Appellants shall have until June 17, 2022, to file and serve their transcript request forms or certificates that no transcripts will be requested, as well as their docketing statements. Appellants shall have until September 30, 2022, to file and serve their opening briefs and appendices. Thereafter, briefing shall proceed in accordance with NRAP 31(a)(1), except that any appellant who disagrees with another appellant's opening brief may, to the extent the disagreeing appellant's interests are impacted thereby, file an answering brief addressing the issues related to those interests by the answering brief deadline. No extensions of time will be granted absent extreme and unforeseeable circumstances demonstrated by written motion.

It is so ORDERED.1



¹The court defers ruling on the pending motions to exceed the page limit and for stay.

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