Case No. 70157

In the Supreme Court of Nevada

THE STATE OF NEVADA STATE ENGINEER; THE STATE OF NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES, DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES; AND KOBEH VALLEY RANCH, LLC, A NEVADA LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY,

Appellants,

vs.

EUREKA COUNTY, A POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OF THE STATE OF NEVADA; KENNETH F. BENSON, AN INDIVIDUAL; DIAMOND CATTLE COMPANY, LLC, A NEVADA LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY; AND MICHEL AND MARGARET ANN ETCHEVERRY FAMILY, LP, A NEVADA REGISTERED FOREIGN LIMITED PARTNERSHIP,

Respondents,

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KOBEH VALLEY RANCH LLC'S JOINDER TO THE NEVADA STATE ENGINEER'S REPONSE TO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

COMES NOW, Appellant, Kobeh Valley Ranch, LLC ("KVR"), by and through its counsel of record, Paul G. Taggart, Esq., David H. Rigdon, Esq., and the law firm of Taggart & Taggart, Ltd., and joins in Appellant, Nevada State Engineer's ("State Engineer") Response to Order to Show Cause as to Why Appeal Should Not be Dismissed for Lack of Jurisdiction. KVR agrees with and joins in the arguments as set forth in the State Engineer's Response and in the interests of judicial economy adopt the same as if articulated herein.

DATED this 17th day of June, 2016.

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