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## FARMS IRRIGATED WITH FEDERAL PROJECT WATER IN CALIFORNIA

My name is Don Villarejo. I am Executive Director of the California Institute for Rural Studies, Inc., a ten year old research and education organization with offices in Davis and Bakersfield, California. We conduct programs in three main subject areas: Agricultural Land Ownership/Farm Structure, Farm Labor and Rural Poverty, Rural Toxics.

The Institute is primarily supported by contract work we perform for a variety of agencies and by grants from private foundations. At the present time we are performing work under contract to the Bureau of Reclamation in conjunction with the San Joaquin Valley Drainage Program and for the Agricultural Workers Health Centers of Stockton, California. Our principal private foundation grants this year include the Ford Foundation, the Charles Stewart Mott Foundation, and the Shalan Foundation.

My purpose in appearing before the committee today is to direct your attention to the current practices of large-scale irrigated farming operations in California as they pertain to Federal Reclamation Law. At the outset I want to state that I am in full support of the principle of providing Federal assistance to develop irrigated farming in the West. As a youngster I can recall travelling through the desert areas of the West and coming upon an area of beautiful vegetation made possible by programs operated by the Bureau of Reclamation. For those of us whose homes are in the West it is difficult to imagine what our lives would be like without the Federal projects.

At the same time I know, from first hand experience, the nature of the lives of many of the residents of areas of

California that are located in the heart of the largest of these Federal irrigation projects. Whether its Huron, Mendota, El Centro, Arvin or Dos Palos, one finds a grinding poverty. Family incomes are less than half the state average, mean life spans twenty years shorter than those of the average state resident, mean number of school years completed is eight or nine, and housing conditions are far below minimal standards of decency.

It is not surprising to those of us who live and work in the great Central Valley of California to discover that the 1980 Census of Population ranked us among the worst areas of the nation in terms of poverty indicators. For example, if one looks at the Census data on those metropolitan areas with the largest proportion of the population supported by general assistance payments one finds that six of the ten leading areas are in California, and all six are in the Central Valley. The areas are Visalia, Fresno, Modesto, Stockton, Yuba City-Marysville and Redding.<sup>1</sup> For those of you not familiar with California these cities are the major agricultural centers of the Central Valley.

What a paradox! The greatest irrigation projects ever constructed, and the people who work on the farms that these projects irrigate suffer from the highest degree of poverty that our Census can detect. It is this offense to human dignity that brings me before you today.

It is not my purpose to discuss the intent of Congress or describe the intricate legal details of the law. Rather, I will simply be reporting our findings concerning current farm size patterns and other issues that are directly related to Reclamation Law.

It was the intent of the Reclamation Reform Act of 1982 (RRA) that the Federal Government would begin to collect substantial repayments of operating costs and capital fund expenditures on Federal water projects constructed in the West. By requiring farms irrigated with Federal water that exceed 960 acres, or farms leasing more than 160 acres from a single owner, to pay full water costs, as opposed to lower, subsidized rates on smaller farms, it was expected that the multi-billion dollar Federal projects would realize repayments that could, in principle, help our nation reduce its debt load.

According to a study conducted by the Bureau of Reclamation, out of 47,638 farms in the West eligible to receive Federal water just 2.5% exceed the 960 acre limit.<sup>2</sup> However, due to their large size, these farms comprise nearly one-third of all land receiving Federal project water.<sup>3</sup> That is, they farm 2.65 million acres, or 31.3%, of the total of 8.45 million acres eligible for Federal irrigation water.

It has also been established that 90% of all landholdings subject to the acreage limitation provisions of Reclamation Law are located in California.<sup>4</sup> From this it is clear that that the effectiveness of full-cost pricing rules will be tested by the degree of compliance in California.

1. California farms receiving the Federal water subsidy are, on average, 7.2 times larger than the average irrigated farm.

The California Institute for Rural Studies has determined the actual size distribution of California farms eligible to receive Federal water in a carefully constructed sample of ten California water districts.<sup>5</sup> Some 1.1 million acres are

represented in the 1985 study, conducted before proposed rules for the enforcement of the RRA hammer clause were published. Our findings are summarized in Table 1 below.

Table 1

Farm Size Distribution, Land Eligible for Project Water  
Ten California Districts, 1985

Size Class	<u>Farms</u>		<u>Irrigable Land</u>	
	<u>Number</u>	<u>Per Cent</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Per Cent</u>
80 acres or less	534	29.8	20,632	2.0
81-160 acres	284	15.6	37,042	3.6
161-320	317	17.7	77,924	7.6
321-640	282	15.7	133,047	13.0
641-960	145	8.1	117,207	11.5
961-1,280	64	3.6	70,611	6.9
1,281-2,560	94	5.2	167,971	16.5
2,561-5,120	44	2.5	153,539	15.1
5,121 acres or more	27	1.5	241,900	23.7
Total	1,791		1,019,873	

Average = 569.44 acres/farm

Consideration of land farmed by all 1,791 of these farm businesses outside of the ten districts leads to a determination that their actual statewide holdings total some 1,877,286 acres of irrigable cropland. On this basis we conclude that their average holdings amount to 1,048 acres per farm, making them 7.2 times larger than the average California irrigated farm. The average holding of an irrigated farm in California is just 145 acres of irrigated land.<sup>6</sup> Clearly, the Federal water subsidy, whether by design or otherwise, has preferentially benefited the state's largest farm businesses.

Those farms with more than 960 acres eligible for Federal water comprise just 229 of the total of 1,791 farms in the ten district study area. However, they farm 634,021 acres of the total of such land in the ten districts. That is, at least 62%

of the land eligible for Federally subsidized water in these districts is in farms exceeding 960 acres.

2. Westlands Water District farm operators have an amount of irrigated cropland equal to 24.2 times the average California irrigated farm.

The largest water district in the United States is the Westlands Water District (WWD) in California's San Joaquin Valley. Comprising some 944 square miles (nearly the size of the state of Rhode Island) this district has been the focus of controversy since its formation thirty-five years ago.

Our results for the size distribution of Federally irrigated land in the Westlands district are shown in Table 2.

Table 2

Farm Size Distribution, Land Eligible for  
Project Water, WWD, 1985

<u>Size Class</u>	<u>Farms</u>		<u>Irrigable</u>	
	<u>Number</u>	<u>Per Cent</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Per Cent</u>
80 acres or less	9	2.0	375	0.1
81-160 acres	33	11.1	4,734	0.9
161-320	39	13.1	10,337	2.0
321-640	43	14.4	22,072	4.3
641-960	50	16.8	42,079	8.2
961-1,280	20	6.7	22,458	4.4
1,281-2,560	50	16.8	91,397	17.8
2,561-5,120	30	10.1	104,934	20.4
5,121 acres or more	24	8.1	215,637	42.0
Total	298		514,023	

Average = 1,724.91 acres/farm

Consideration of the California-wide holdings of these 298 WWD farm operators shows that their total holdings of irrigated cropland amount to 1,045,285 acres, twice the amount of their holdings of Westlands land irrigated with Federal water. As shown in Table 3 below, this result demonstrates that the average

holdings of irrigated cropland of Westlands Farm operators is 3,058 acres, or 24.2 times larger than the state average.<sup>7</sup>

Table 3

Comparison of Westlands Farm Operators  
With All California Irrigated Farms, 1985

California

Farms with Irrigated Land	58,389
Irrigated Land (acres)	8,460,508
Irrigated Land per Farm	145 acres

WWD Farm Operators

Farms	298
Irrigated Land (acres)	1,045,285
Irrigated Land per Farm	3,508 acres

The 124 farms with more than 960 acres of cropland irrigated with Federal water account for 84.51% of the Westlands land eligible for project water. This is the largest fraction found for any of the ten districts we have examined in detail.

3. Multiple legal entities under common operation are being created to avoid full-cost payments under Reclamation Law.

Substantial evidence is now available to demonstrate that, in response to RRA regulations, multiple farm entities have been created that effectively evade the full-cost payment requirements of the law. Just prior to publication of final rules to implement the acreage limitation provisions of RRA, USDA offices received a torrent of applications to divide existing large-scale farms into smaller units. Such farm reconstitutions must be approved by USDA if the new farms are to qualify for USDA program payments. Normally, farm reconstitutions pertain to a division of existing farms when, for example, a parcel is sold or when a parcel lease changes hands. In a typical year, the Fresno

County, California, ASCS office of USDA will handle a volume of such farm reconstitutions that has filled about one-half of a file cabinet drawer. This year, in response to the prospect of having to pay full-cost for just a portion of the irrigation water they typically use, the volume of farm breakups handled by the Fresno ASCS office has exceeded the ability of the ASCS staff to handle the paper work. Though the year is not yet over, the volume is thirteen times greater than has been typical in years in the past, filling five full file drawers with documents and another one and one-half drawers of material await processing.

a. Vaquero Farms, Inc.

USDA records for farm operations participating in price and income support programs provide substantial details of farm size and location for most farms receiving Federally subsidized water. Seven distinct legal entities that are, in fact, closely inter-related are described below. Table 4 shows their name and irrigated cropland acreage.

Table 4

Vaquero Farms Legal Entities, 1985

<u>Name</u>	<u>Irrigated Cropland (acres)</u>
Tony & Ann Costa	1,006
Larry J. Enos	589
Cindy Pruett Trust	945
Gregory Pruett Trust	902
Kelley Pruett Trust	956
Stacy Pruett Trust	966
Louis B. Souza	915
Total	6,279

Each of these "separate farms" reports the same address to USDA. Six of them made an irrevocable election, as landholders, to be subject to the pricing provisions of RRA. The grouping of their



respective sizes at or below 960 acres was not an accident. In fact, of the 6,279 acres being farmed only 63 acres were subject to full-cost pricing.

The land being farmed by these entities is all located in western Fresno County. As shown in Figure 1, the land farmed by these entities fits together like pieces of a jigsaw puzzle.

A search of records at the WWD offices shows that each of the seven entities is a "separate" water user but all report the same address, telephone number and name of contact person. A telephone call placed to that number resulted in the greeting "Hello, Vaquero Farms". Vaquero Farms, Inc., a California corporation, reported farming all of the land now farmed by these entities just prior to the passage of RRA.

Corporate records reveal that Ann Costa and Louis Souza are sister and brother, and that they, various family trusts, and Larry Enos are the sole stockholders of Vaquero Farms, Inc.<sup>9</sup> Further, Souza or Costa are trustee of each of the trusts identified in Table 4 above. It can hardly be an accident that each of these seven farms was formed at same time subsequent to the passage of RRA and that they have managed to arrange to have just 63 acres, out of the 6,279 acres involved, subject to full-cost pricing.

Further evidence regarding the nature of the relationship among these "farms" is provided by documents filed by them in connection with their bank operating loan.<sup>10</sup> All of the documents list the debtor as "Vaquero Farms, Inc." while listing as additional debtors the various "farms" described above. Thus, while USDA and WWD records suggest seven "independent farms",

their bankers are not so easily fooled. The banks realize that it is a single operation conducted by Vaquero Farms, Inc., and insist that their credit records reflect that fact. Copies of these documents are shown as Figures 2-8.

Finally, the directors and officers of Vaquero Farms, Inc., are Louis B. Souza, President; Larry J. Enos, Vice-President; Tony L. Costa, Vice-President; Ann P. Costa, Chief Financial Officer; and James W. Hannum (trustee of another family trust).<sup>11</sup>

While each of the entities is regarded as a "qualified recipient" of tax-payer subsidized water by the Bureau of Reclamation, they form a single farming unit as they did before the passage of RRA.

b. The Allen Ranch

A representative example of the kind of changes that are now restructuring farms in the Westlands Water District is the case of The Allen Ranch, a California corporation. Let me quote to you the explanation offered for the proposed farm reorganization at the Allen Ranch operation. In a letter to USDA dated March 23, 1987, Mr. Bob Viets, the ranch manager states,<sup>12</sup>

"Due to the impending requirements of the Reclamation Law, The Allen Ranch and The Allen Ranch Partnership has had to reorganize and formulate six new farming entities. These six new entities are to be evolved from the two Allen farm identification numbers, 709 and 618. Listed below are the following new entities

- 1.) Pleasant Valley Farms (Partnership)
- 2.) Allen Land & Cattle Co (Partnership)
- 3.) Turk Station Farms (Partnership)
- 4.) Stanley Station Farms (Partnership)
- 5.) Dorothy M. Allen Ranch (Sole Proprietorship)
- 6.) Buster Allen, Inc. (Corporation)"

We summarize the overall findings regarding The Allen Ranch in

Table 5 below. The situation is a little complex in that a major portion of The Allen Ranch is located within the Westlands Water District but involves land that is not irrigated with project water, a decision made by the landowners (Southern Pacific and Chevron). However, some 3,113 acres of the total operation are irrigated with Federally subsidized water. Thus, to deal with both the 960 acre limit as well as the "hammer clause" of RRA it is necessary for the farm operation to have no more than 160 acres leased from each landowner in each of the six new entities as well as keep the total amount of land irrigated by project water in each entity under 960 acres.

Table 5

Legal Entities of The Allen Ranch  
1987 Farming Operations

<u>Name</u>	<u>Total Cropland</u>	<u>WWD Land-Project Water</u>
Buster Allen Inc.	3,358 acres	190 acres
D.M.A. Ranch	1,381	401
Pleasant Valley Farms	1,319	671
Allen Land & Cattle Co	995	676
Turk Station Farms	1,388	720
Stanley Station Farms	1,084	455
Total	9,524	3,113

The current Water User Directory of the Westlands Water District lists the same address, the same phone number and the same contact person for each of the six entities.<sup>13</sup> No effort is made to hide the fact that the six legal entities are actually operated by The Allen Ranch.

The names of the partners of the four partnerships among the six entities are shown in the Fictitious Business Name statement on file with the Fresno County Clerk.<sup>14</sup> See Figure 9 attached. In all cases the four partners are identical.

c. Other examples in the WWD.

As indicated previously, the Fresno County ASCS office has been overwhelmed with proposed divisions of large-scale farms as a result of the desire to achieve legal entities that are within the 960 acre limit. Table 6 summarizes a few of these.

Table 6

Divisions of Large WWD Farms, Fresno USDA

<u>Parent Farm</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Number of Entities</u>	<u>Reason</u>
Cinco Farms, Inc	7,022	13	"960 Law"
John F. Bennett	4,574	5	"960"
Britz Inc	17,456	8	"960 Law"
Carvalho	1,587	2	"Bureau Law"
Errotabere	3,087	2	"960"
Five Points Ranch	4,655	4	"960"
B E Giovannetti	1,857	2	"960"
Gragnani	12,472	5	"960"
Pacific Farms Co	6,445	9	"Division"
Cantua Farms	7,909	8	"960"
Coit Ranch	1,883	3	"960 Law"
Brughelli Farms	1,838	4	"960"
Jim Lowe Inc	4,647	5	"960 Law"

Source: USDA Form ASCS-155, Data For Farm Reconstitution, Fresno County ASCS of USDA.

In the examples cited above some 75,432 acres have been divided into 70 legal entities.

4. Unless Congress acts to correct this situation the vast majority of land being operated in units exceeding 960 acres will escape payment of full-cost rates.

According to Westlands Water District records, just 68,100 acres of WWD land are now subject to full-cost water rates under terms of the RRA. <sup>15</sup> We found in 1985 that 434,426 acres of WWD land was in farms exceeding 960 acres. If the 1985 farm structure had remained intact then about 261,811 acres would now be required to pay full-cost. However, as a result of the farm restructurings illustrated above, there are now 282 "new farms"

in the WWD bringing the average amount of land receiving project water to an amount just under 960 acres.<sup>16</sup> As a consequence, just 26% of the land that would otherwise be required to pay full-cost (68,100/261,811) is now required to do so.

The farm operators of the Westlands have been rather frank in their attitude concerning this matter. In a newspaper interview one WWD farm operator, Steve Lowe, described his plans.

"It had been one farm with all the earnings coming into one pot," said Lowe. "Now each of the five farms will have its pot."

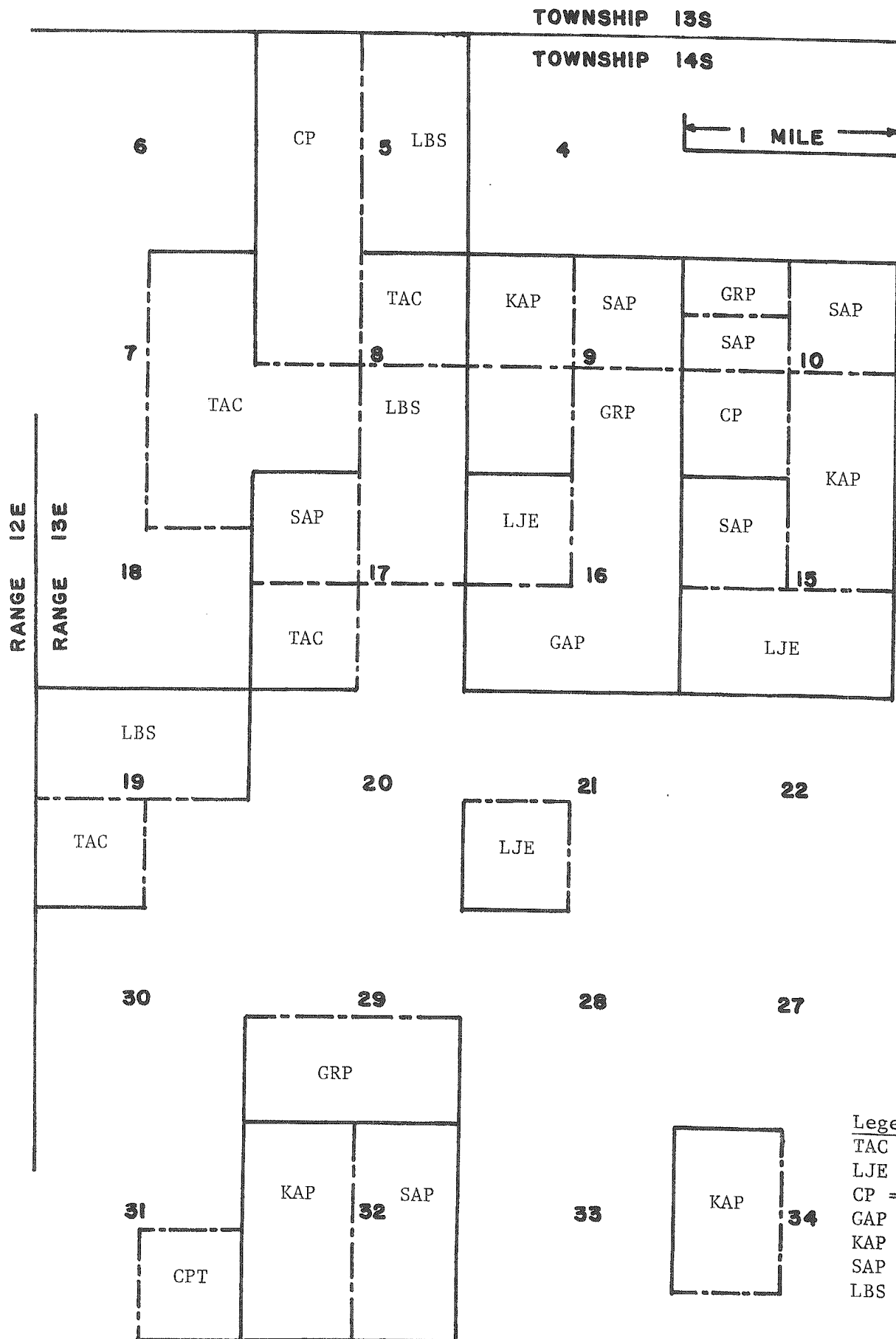
Not everything will be separate, however. The Lowes also plan to set up a joint 'farm management' company to own and run the large equipment that tills the soil and harvests the cotton, tomatoes and other crops." (17)

Thus, the issue before you is a simple one. Is it appropriate for these large-scale farm businesses to simply harvest a crop of paper farms and continue business as usual, or should they be required to pay full-cost for water used to irrigate their huge farms? It is clear that they have the legal expertise to create as many "paper farms" as needed to stay within the limits of the RRA. But this is not the intent of the law. The public and their representatives should not accept it.

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Figure 1 - VAQUERO FARMS



**Legend**  
TAC = Tony & Ann Costa  
LJE = Larry J. Enos  
CP = Cindy Pruett Tr.  
GAP = Greg Pruett Tr.  
KAP = Lelley Pruett Tr.  
SAP = Stacy Pruett Tr.  
LBS = Louis B. Souza

Figure 2

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1. DEBTOR (LAST NAME FIRST—IF AN INDIVIDUAL) <b>VAQUERO FARMS, INC.</b>		1A SOCIAL SECURITY OR FEDERAL TAX NO <b>94-1661546</b>	
1B. MAILING ADDRESS <b>121 E. 11th Street</b>		1C. CITY, STATE <b>Tracy, CA</b>	1D. ZIP CODE <b>95376</b>
2. ADDITIONAL DEBTOR (IF ANY) (LAST NAME FIRST—IF AN INDIVIDUAL) <b>ENOS: LARRY J.</b>		2A SOCIAL SECURITY OR FEDERAL TAX NO <b>564-72-1625</b>	
2B. MAILING ADDRESS <b>121 E. 11th Street</b>		2C. CITY, STATE <b>Tracy, CA</b>	2D. ZIP CODE <b>95376</b>
3. DEBTOR'S TRADE NAMES OR STYLES (IF ANY)		3A. FEDERAL TAX NUMBER	
4. SECURED PARTY NAME <b>Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.</b> MAILING ADDRESS <b>P. O. Box 949</b> CITY <b>Modesto</b> STATE <b>CA</b> ZIP CODE <b>95353</b>		4A SOCIAL SECURITY OR FEDERAL TAX NO OR BANK TRANSIT AND A.O.A. NO <b>WFB 250</b>	
5. ASSIGNEE OF SECURED PARTY (IF ANY) NAME MAILING ADDRESS CITY STATE ZIP CODE		5A SOCIAL SECURITY OR FEDERAL TAX NO OR BANK TRANSIT AND A.O.A. NO	

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7. CHECK IF APPLICABLE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	7A. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PRODUCTS OF COLLATERAL ARE ALSO COVERED	7B. DEBTOR(S) SIGNATURE NOT REQUIRED IN ACCORDANCE WITH INSTRUCTION 8 (2) ITEM: <input type="checkbox"/> (1) <input type="checkbox"/> (2) <input type="checkbox"/> (3) <input type="checkbox"/> (4)
8. CHECK IF APPLICABLE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	DEBTOR IS A "TRANSMITTING UTILITY" IN ACCORDANCE WITH UCC § 9106 (1) (a)	

9. SIGNATURE(S) OF DEBTOR(S) DATE: <b>1/23/85</b> <b>Larry J. Enos</b> President <b>VAQUERO FARMS, INC.</b> <b>LARRY J. ENOS</b> TYPE OR PRINT NAME(S) OF DEBTOR(S) <b>Larry Scheidt, VP</b> SIGNATURE(S) OF SECURED PARTY(IES) <b>WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A.</b> TYPE OR PRINT NAME(S) OF SECURED PARTY(IES)	10. THIS SPACE FOR USE OF FILING OFFICER (DATE, TIME, FILE NUMBER AND FILING OFFICER)  1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0  RECORDED AT REQUEST OF  AT <b>16 MIN PAST 32</b> P. <b>JAN 31 1985</b> FRESNO COUNTY CALIFORNIA GALEN LARSON, County Recorder <i>Deputy Recorder</i> BY DEPUTY RECORDER <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">FEE 5</span>
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11. Return copy to:	
NAME	
ADDRESS	<b>Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.</b>
CITY	<b>P. O. Box 949</b>
STATE	<b>Modesto, CA 95353</b>
ZIP CODE	

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Figure 5

FRESNO COUNTY RECORDERS OFFICE

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1B. MAILING ADDRESS <b>121 E. 11th Street</b>		1C. CITY, STATE <b>Tracy, CA</b>	
2. ADDITIONAL DEBTOR (IF ANY) (LAST NAME FIRST—IF AN INDIVIDUAL) <b>STACEY ANN PRUETT TRUST</b>		2A. SOCIAL SECURITY OR FEDERAL TAX NO. <b>68-6003421</b>	
2B. MAILING ADDRESS <b>121 E. 11th Street</b>		2C. CITY, STATE <b>Tracy, CA</b>	
3. DEBTOR'S TRADE NAMES OR STYLES (IF ANY)		3A. FEDERAL TAX NUMBER	
4. SECURED PARTY NAME: <b>Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.</b> MAILING ADDRESS: <b>P. O. Box 949</b> CITY: <b>Modesto</b> STATE: <b>CA</b> ZIP CODE: <b>95353</b>		4A. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. FEDERAL TAX NO. OR BASE TRUSTY AND S & S NO. <b>WFB 250</b>	
5. ADDRESSEE OF SECURED PARTY (IF ANY) NAME: MAILING ADDRESS: CITY: STATE: ZIP CODE:		5A. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. FEDERAL TAX NO. OR BASE TRUSTY AND S & S NO.	

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7. CHECK IF APPLICABLE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	7A. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PRODUCTS OF COLLATERAL ARE ALSO COVERED	7B. DEBTOR(S) SIGNATURE NOT REQUIRED IN ACCORDANCE WITH INSTRUCTION 5 (3) ITEM: <input type="checkbox"/> (1) <input type="checkbox"/> (2) <input type="checkbox"/> (3) <input type="checkbox"/> (4)
8. CHECK IF APPLICABLE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> DEBTOR IS A "TRANSMITTING UTILITY" IN ACCORDANCE WITH UCC § 9106 (1) (a)	

9. SIGNATURE(S) OF DEBTOR(S) <i>[Signature]</i> * <i>[Signature]</i> DATE: <b>1/23/85</b> <b>x Anna P. Costa, Trustee</b>		10. THIS SPACE FOR USE OF FILING OFFICER (DATE, TIME, FILE NUMBER AND FILING OFFICER)  1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0 RECORDED AT REQUEST OF  AT <u>16</u> MIN PAST <u>32</u> P. <b>JAN 31 1985</b> FRESNO COUNTY CALIFORNIA GALEN LARSON, County Recorder <i>[Signature]</i> BY DEPUTY RECORDER
TYPE OR PRINT NAME(S) OF DEBTOR(S) <b>VAQUERO FARMS, INC. STACEY ANN PRUETT TRUST</b>		
SIGNATURE(S) OF SECURED PARTY(IES) <i>[Signature]</i> <b>Larry Scheidt, VP</b>		
TYPE OR PRINT NAME(S) OF SECURED PARTY(IES) <b>WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A.</b>		
11. Return copy to: NAME: ADDRESS: <b>Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.</b> CITY: <b>P. O. Box 949</b> STATE: <b>Modesto, CA</b> ZIP CODE: <b>95353</b>		

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1B. MAILING ADDRESS <b>121 E. 11th Street</b>		1C. CITY, STATE <b>Tracy, CA</b>	1D ZIP CODE <b>95376</b>
2. ADDITIONAL DEBTOR (IF ANY) (LAST NAME FIRST—IF AN INDIVIDUAL) <b>KELLY ANN PRUETT TRUST</b>		2A SOCIAL SECURITY OR FEDERAL TAX NO <b>94-6514163</b>	
2B. MAILING ADDRESS <b>121 E. 11th Street</b>		2C CITY, STATE <b>Tracy, CA</b>	2D ZIP CODE <b>95376</b>
3. DEBTOR'S TRADE NAMES OR STYLES (IF ANY)		3A FEDERAL TAX NUMBER	
4. SECURED PARTY NAME <b>Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.</b> MAILING ADDRESS <b>P. O. Box 949</b> CITY <b>Modesto</b> STATE <b>CA</b> ZIP CODE <b>95353</b>		4A SOCIAL SECURITY OR FEDERAL TAX NO OR DATA TRANSMITTED AND A D A NO <b>WFB 250</b>	
5. ASSIGNEE OF SECURED PARTY (IF ANY) NAME MAILING ADDRESS CITY STATE ZIP CODE		5A SOCIAL SECURITY OR FEDERAL TAX NO OR DATA TRANSMITTED AND A D A NO	

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8. CHECK IF APPLICABLE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> DEBTOR IS A "TRANSMITTING UTILITY" IN ACCORDANCE WITH UCC § 9105 (1) (a)	
9. SIGNATURE(S) OF DEBTOR(S) <i>[Signature]</i> <b>James A. Souza, President</b> <i>[Signature]</i> <b>Ann P. Costa, Trustee</b> DATE: <b>1/23/85</b>		10. THIS SPACE FOR USE OF FILING OFFICER (DATE, TIME, FILE NUMBER AND FILING OFFICER) RECORDED AT REQUEST OF AT <b>16 MIN PAST 3 P M</b> <b>JAN 31 1985</b> PRESNO COUNTY CALIFORNIA GALEN LARSON, County Recorder <i>[Signature]</i> BY DEPUTY RECORDER
TYPE OR PRINT NAME(S) OF DEBTOR(S) <b>VAQUERO FARMS, INC.</b> <b>KELLY ANN PRUETT TRUST</b>		1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0
SIGNATURE(S) OF SECURED PARTY(IES) <i>[Signature]</i> <b>Larry Scheidt, VP</b>		
TYPE OR PRINT NAME(S) OF SECURED PARTY(IES) <b>WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A.</b>		
11. Return copy to: NAME ADDRESS CITY STATE ZIP CODE <b>Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.</b> <b>P. O. Box 949</b> <b>Modesto, CA 95353</b>		
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2. ADDITIONAL DEBTOR (IF ANY) (LAST NAME FIRST—IF AN INDIVIDUAL) <b>GREGORY ROBERT PRUETT TRUST</b>		2A SOCIAL SECURITY OR FEDERAL TAX NO <b>94-6514162</b>	
2B. MAILING ADDRESS <b>121 E. 11th Street</b>		2C CITY, STATE <b>Tracy, CA</b>	2D ZIP CODE <b>95376</b>
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4. SECURED PARTY NAME <b>Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.</b> MAILING ADDRESS <b>P. O. Box 949</b> CITY <b>Modesto</b> STATE <b>CA</b> ZIP CODE <b>95353</b>		4A SOCIAL SECURITY NO FEDERAL TAX NO OR BANK TRANSIT AND A B A NO <b>WFB 250</b>	
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8. CHECK IF APPLICABLE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> DEBTOR IS A "TRANSMITTING UTILITY" IN ACCORDANCE WITH UCC § 9108 (1) (D)	

SIGNATURE OF DEBTOR(S) <i>[Signature]</i> <b>Ann P. Costa, Trustee</b> <b>VAQUERO FARMS, INC.</b> <b>GREGORY ROBERT PRUETT TRUST</b> TYPE OR PRINT NAME(S) OF DEBTOR(S)		10. THIS SPACE FOR USE OF FILING OFFICER (DATE, TIME, FILE NUMBER AND FILING OFFICER)  RECORDED AT REQUEST OF  AT 16 MIN PAST 32 JAN 31 1985 FRESNO COUNTY, CALIFORNIA GALEN LARSON, County Recorder <i>[Signature]</i> BY DEPUTY RECORDER FEE 7
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WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A. TYPE OR PRINT NAME(S) OF SECURED PARTY(IES)		
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9. SIGNATURE OF DEBTOR(S) DATE: 1/23/85 <i>[Signature]</i> TONY L. COSTA X ANN P. COSTA VAQUERO FARMS, INC. TONY L. COSTA ANN P. COSTA		10. THIS SPACE FOR USE OF FILING OFFICER (DATE, TIME, FILE NUMBER AND FILING OFFICER)  RECORDED AT REQUEST OF  AT 16 MIN PAST 3P M. JAN 31 1985 FRESNO COUNTY CALIF. CH. CL. GALEN LARSON, County Recorder <i>[Signature]</i> BY DEPUTY RECORDER
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Sally M. Ladd, Paralegal  
BAKER, MANOCK & JENSEN  
5260 North Palm Avenue  
Fresno, California 93704

FEB 26 1987

By *Ernestine R. Morales*  
DEPUTY

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## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

☒ NEW FILING☐ RENEWAL

FILE NO. 87-37758

INSTRUCTIONS  
DO NOT PUBLISH INSTRUCTIONS

THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS:

• Insert the fictitious business name(s) and the street address of the principal place of business in California.

• If no place of business in California, insert the street address of the principal place of business outside of California.

• NOTE: only those businesses operated at the same address may be listed on one statement.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME(S): (Type or Print)

Pleasant Valley Farms  
Allen Land & Cattle Co.

Turk Station Farms

Stanley Station Farms

Street Address: (P.O. Box not acceptable)

24500 Phelps Avenue

City:

Coalinga

State:

CA

Zip Code

93210

• If an individual, insert full name and residence address.

• If a partnership or other association of persons, insert full name and residence address of each general partner.

• If a business trust, insert full name and residence address of each trustee.

• If a corporation, insert the name of the corporation as set out in the articles of incorporation and the state of incorporation.

• Attach additional pages if necessary.

FULL NAME OF REGISTRANT: (Type or Print)

Ronald S. and Virginia L. Allen

Residence Address: (P.O. Box not acceptable)

East 1022 26th Avenue

City:

Spokane

State:

WA

Zip Code

99203

FULL NAME OF REGISTRANT: (Type or Print)

James S. and Karen Allen

Residence Address: (P.O. Box not acceptable)

24600 Phelps Avenue

City:

Coalinga

State:

CA

Zip Code

93210

FULL NAME OF REGISTRANT: (Type or Print)

Ross M. Allen

Residence Address: (P.O. Box not acceptable)

1160 Lakeville Circle

City:

Petaluma

State:

CA

Zip Code

94952

• Enter Date

• Check "Not Applicable" if registrant has not commenced to transact business at time of filing.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the Fictitious Business Name listed above.

☐ NOT APPLICABLE☒ on (Date): February 1, 1987

• Check statement which best describes the nature of the business(es).

• NOTE: Check **ONE** only.

THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY:

☐ An Individual☒ A General Partnership☐ A Limited Partnership☐ A Corporation☐ An Unincorporated Association other than a partnership☐ A Business Trust☐ Copartners

☐ Husband and Wife  
☐ Joint Venture  
☐ Other (Specify):

• Do not check this box unless filing as a trustee, guardian, conservator, executor, administrator, assignee or purchaser. See all special instructions on reverse side before checking this box.

[DO NOT PUBLISH THIS ITEM UNLESS BOX IS CHECKED.]

☐ THIS STATEMENT HAS BEEN EXECUTED PURSUANT TO SECTION 17919 OF THE BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS CODE.

• If an individual, must be signed by individual.

• If a partnership or other association of persons, must be signed by a general partner.

• If a business trust, must be signed by a trustee.

• If a corporation, must be signed by an officer. State Title of Officer.

Type or Print Signature:

James S. Allen

Signed:

*James S. Allen*

TITLE: (For other than individual)

General Partner

• This item for use of the County Clerk Only. DO NOT INSERT DATE.

THIS STATEMENT FILED WITH THE FRESNO COUNTY CLERK ON FEBRUARY 26, 1987  
GALEN LARSON, COUNTY CLERK

By *Ernestine R. Morales*  
ERNESTINE R. MORALES

**NOTICE:** THIS STATEMENT EXPIRES ON:  
12-31-1992

A NEW STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THE EXPIRATION DATE. NO FURTHER NOTICE OF EXPIRATION WILL BE GIVEN.

[SEAL]

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**CERTIFICATION**

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct copy of the original on file in my office.  
GALEN LARSON, COUNTY CLERK

Dated: Fresno, California .....By .....

Deputy

FULL NAME OF REGISTRANT:

Jennifer A. Bailey

RESIDENCE ADDRESS:

31611 Pennyroyal Lane  
Prather, California 93651