

EXHIBIT LWL-9

CALIFORNIA CODES
WATER CODE
SECTION 31020-31035.1

31020. A district may do any act necessary to furnish sufficient **water** in the district for any present or future beneficial use.

31021. A district may store **water** for the benefit of the district, conserve **water** for future use, and appropriate, acquire, and conserve **water** and **water** rights for any useful purpose.

31022. A district may operate **water** rights, works, property, rights, and privileges useful or necessary to convey, supply, store, or make use of **water** for any purpose authorized by this division.

31023. A district may sell **water** or the use thereof for any useful purpose and whenever there is a surplus, dispose of the surplus to municipalities, public agencies, or consumers located without the district.

31024. A district may establish rules and regulations for the sale, distribution, and use of **water** and may therein provide that **water** shall not be furnished to persons against whom there are delinquent **water** rates.

31025. The district shall fix and through the general manager collect the **water** rates.

31026. A district shall have the power to restrict the use of district **water** during any emergency caused by drought, or other threatened or existing **water** shortage, and to prohibit the wastage of district **water** or the use of district **water** during such periods, for any purpose other than household uses or such other restricted uses as may be determined to be necessary by the district and may prohibit use of such **water** during such periods for specific uses which the district may from time to time find to be nonessential.

31027. (a) A district may prescribe and define by ordinance the restrictions, prohibitions, and exclusions. Every such ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately upon adoption, but shall be published once in full in a newspaper of general circulation, printed, published and circulated in the district within 10 days after adoption, or if there be no such newspaper it shall be posted within 10 days after adoption in three public places within the district.

(b) The publication of ordinances, as required by subdivision (a), may be satisfied by either of the following actions:

(1) The district may publish a summary of a proposed ordinance or proposed amendment to an existing ordinance. The summary shall be prepared by an official designated by the board. A summary shall be published and a certified copy of the full text of the proposed ordinance or proposed amendment shall be posted in the office of the