

CAUSE NO. 2016-DWR-0112

STATE WATER RESOURCES	§	BEFORE THE STATE
DEPARTMENT,	§	
Claimant	§	
	§	
v.	§	OFFICE OF
	§	
CHEM-STAT, A DIVISION OF	§	
POLYCHEM ORGANICS, INC.	§	
Respondent	§	ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

ORDER NO. 3
ORDER GRANTING CLAIMANT’S FIRST MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE

On November 2, 2016, staff of the State Water Resources Department (Staff), filed its First Motion for Continuance of the hearing on the merits. The basis of the motion was that Staff’s lead attorney, Adam Larkin, is withdrawing as counsel to retire to the hills of Vermont. Mr. Larkin has served the interests of the State with dignity, and the administrative law judge (ALJ) will be sorry to see him go. Carl Sandburg once wrote that “a hearse horse snickers hauling a lawyer’s bones.” This old work horse will not snicker at Mr. Larkin’s departure.

The motion is granted.

Dated: November 4, 2016

Administrative Law Judge