EXHIBIT 18-B

H. PERMIT FEE PAYMENT PLANS

- 1. Except as may be required by operation of law, or as approved by the Board of Directors on a case-by-case basis pursuant to this Rule, the District shall not authorize a payment plan for fees and charges due for the issuance of a Water Permit. This means that no Permit will be issued by the District unless all required fees and charges have first been paid in full to the District. In any circumstance where a Permit has been issued on less than full payment of all fees and charges due from that Parcel, that Permit shall immediately be Suspended and thereafter Revoked. Revocation of a Water Permit shall cause removal or limitation of water service to that Connection.
- 2. Notwithstanding any provision of this Rule, the Board, on a case-by-case basis, may authorize delayed payment for Projects which are solely undertaken by California Non-Profit Public Benefit Corporations provided each such plan shall ensure, by recorded deed restriction which includes the consent of each property owner, that all fees and charges due for the issuance of a Water Permit, together with deferred interest at the rate to be set by the Board, shall be paid in full in the event Project-ownership or occupancy is transferred to any entity other than a California Non-Profit Public Benefit Corporation. This provision is intended for use only in the presence of a substantial financial hardship to the Project proponent such that the development of the Project would be jeopardized by the present assessment of the full fees and charges due for the issuance of a Water Permit.

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