

1 **Diversion** - The removal of water from its natural source by means of a dam, ditch,
2 canal, flume, bypass, pipeline, conduit, well, pump, or other act of man, that
3 results in a decrease in the amount of water in the source at the point of such
4 removal.

5 **Existing Flow** - Annual, monthly and daily flows which exist as of the effective date
6 of this Agreement, which reflect historical diversions and depletions associated
7 with existing perfected water rights and approved applications (except for Water
8 Right No. 81-355, A29398 on Crystal Creek), as determined from available stream
9 gage records and accepted hydrologic methods.

10 **Ground Water** - Water beneath the surface of the earth in pores, crevices, and
11 spaces in rock and soil, under saturated conditions and in sufficient quantities to
12 supply water to wells, springs, seeps, rivers, streams, creeks, and natural lakes.

13 **New** - After January 1, 1996.

14 **Reservoir** - A man-made impoundment for storing water from which water may be
15 withdrawn for beneficial purposes. Impoundments constructed solely for flood
16 control or sediment retention are specifically excluded.