EXHIBIT 4

TO
MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT OF MOTION IN LIMINE TO ESTABLISH THE UNITED STATES’ LEGAL ENTITLEMENT TO A FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHT AND TO LIMIT THE SCOPE OF EVIDENCE NECESSARY AT TRIAL

Civil No. 05-cv-49053
Honorable Henry E. Stubbs,
House of Representatives,
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Stubbs:

Acknowledging the receipt of your letter of June 29, 1935, with reference to H.R. 8050 - 74th Congress, a bill to authorize the acquisition of private land and rights within the boundaries of the area reserved for a bombing range in San Bernardino and Kern Counties, California, permit me to advise you that a report, copy included, has been made to the Chairman, Committee on Military Affairs of the House.

In accordance with your request, I also enclose four copies of a map showing the area reserved by Executive Order No. 6583, dated February 6, 1934, and the location of the privately owned lands. The reserved area contains 81,996.19 acres of land, of which 38,994.34 acres are affected by private rights. In order to make full use of the project it is deemed necessary that all private rights be acquired by the Government, with the exception of the right-of-way of the Southern Pacific Power Company across sections 6, 8, 17, 20 and 29, Township 10 North, Range 6 West.

Your interest in the National Defense is greatly appreciated by the War Department.

Sincerely yours,

(Signed) Geo. M. Daugherty
Secretary of War.

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#1 Incl. Rep. on H.R. 8050
#2 Map - in quad.

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