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Cal-Fed
Bay Delta Program
Attention: Mr. Rick Breitenbach
1416 Ninth Street, Suite 1155
Sacramento CA 95814

Re: Comments on Phase II
Interim Report

Dear Mr. Breitenbach:

I am a member of the California Striped Bass Association. Cal-Fed must more strongly emphasize water conservation by agricultural users since 80% of the state's water is consumed by agriculture. At the same time, all water users should pay the true cost of water if conservation is to be effectively implemented.

I am opposed to Cal-Fed Alternative 3, the peripheral canal proposal. California taxpayers will not support a multi-billion dollar project whose adverse environmental impacts cannot be anticipated even after expensive scientific studies.

I favor Alternative 1, if it also incorporates pumping management to avoid the further destruction of Delta fish populations.

Sincerely,

William E. Stawson

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