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Mr Steve Ritchie, Acting Executive Director
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Dear Mr Ritchie

I Am an Agricultural engineer from the State of Florida. I visit very frequently for business your Splendid State of California. I learned recently about CAL-FED plan to convert 230,000 acres of farmed land into wildlife habitat.

I do believe in Resource Conservation and wildlife protection. I am concern, however, about the Plan. What are the socio-economical impact of your studies? What will be the impact on these farmers and food production in the area? A simple economical fact is that price goes higher as supply decrease. There are so many other variables in this equation.

Please allow the concerned citizens the opportunity to review the plan.

Sincerely

Jean Patrice

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