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Mr. Steve Ritchie, Acting Executive Director
CalFed Bay-Delta Program
1416 Ninth Street, Suite 1155
Sacramento, CA. 95814
Re: Final Programmatic EIS/EIR

Dear Mr. Ritchie,

Cal-Fed must move aggressively to develop new water storage to provide an adequate yield. There are millions of acre feet of water that can be captured an used on our prime farmland. Please consider more water storage, such as more dams or increasing storage of existing dams. Because of these impacts on the environment we need more time to evaluate the new environment report.

Sincerely,

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Cc: Senator Dianne Feinstein
Senator Barbara Boxer
Representative Richard Pombo
Governor Gray Davis
Senator Patrick Johnston
Assemblyman Mike Machado
San Joaquin County Board of Supervisors

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