

Accord Extension



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Summary

The attached Bay-Delta Accord extension document and draft press release have been tentatively approved by the CALFED agencies. At the upcoming CALFED Policy Group meeting, we will discuss the strategy for announcing the Accord extension. Secretary Babbitt has expressed an interest in coming to California to participate in a signing event. We will discuss the location and potential dates of a future signing event.

Action Item

Minor changes may still be made to the press release prior to the announcement and signing event. Please provide any recommended changes to the press release prior to the CALFED Policy Group meeting on October 21, 1997 to Patrick Wright at (415) 744-1024 or Marc Luesebrink at (916) 653-5656.

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 The Resources Agency
 Department of Fish and Game
 Department of Water Resources
 California Environmental Protection Agency
 State Water Resources Control Board

Federal
 Environmental Protection Agency
 Department of the Interior
 Fish and Wildlife Service
 Bureau of Reclamation
 U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

Department of Agriculture
 Natural Resources Conservation Service
 Department of Commerce
 National Marine Fisheries Service