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Dear Messrs. Bryson and Rosenberg:

Thank you for your letter of February 10, 1997 inviting me to attend a February 28 meeting of the principals from the CBR, CFBB, CCOC and CMA to discuss the Model Water Transfer Act.

As I explained to Bill Hauck, I will be unable to attend this meeting because I will be in Washington, D.C. the week of February 25-28 to brief federal legislators and agency heads on the progress of the CALFED Bay-Delta Program.

I am disappointed that scheduling conflicts prevent me from attending the February 28 meeting, however, I would like to attend future meetings that may be held. If there are any minutes or materials generated from this meeting, I would appreciate receiving a copy.

Thank you again for the courtesy of the invitation. I look forward to working with you in the future on this important issue.

Sincerely,

Lester A. Snow  
Executive Director

CALFED Agencies

California

- 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
- Department of Commerce
- National Marine Fisheries Service