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Mr. Spreck Rosekrans  
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Dear Mr. Rosekrans:

Thank you for agreeing to participate on a small panel to discuss with the Bay-Delta Advisory Council (BDAC) the CALFED Water Management Strategy and in particular, the Integrated Storage Investigation. This agenda item is scheduled from 9:00 am to 11:30 at the BDAC meeting on March 25, 1999 to be held at the Holiday Inn Select in Bakersfield. BDAC, a thirty-three member federally-chartered advisory committee, provides policy advice to the CALFED agencies on related Bay-Delta issues. Your insights will help further BDAC's understanding of these matters.

We expect this agenda item to begin between 9:00 and 9:15 am with a staff presentation and BDAC discussion on the Water Management Strategy and Integrated Storage Investigation. Responses to the Strategy and Investigation by the panel (you and Tom Clark) and BDAC members will follow. The CALFED Program is seeking BDAC concurrence on the presented concepts and approaches.

We are structuring the agenda item so that there will be ample time for interchange between the panel and BDAC members. We have set aside 15 minutes for initial comments from the panel and 45 minutes for responses and discussion. Therefore, we asked that you limit your initial comments to six to seven minutes. In addition, we will have an overhead projector and screens available for your use, if you wish. A copy of the packet, including the draft agenda, for the BDAC meeting is enclosed.

I will contact you in the next few days to discuss any questions or comments you may have.

Sincerely,  
*Eugenia Laychak*  
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Enclosure

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  
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

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