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**U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
California/Nevada Operations Office
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Dear Interested Party:

Subject: *DRAFT* Revised Decision on Implementation of Section 3406(b)(2) of the Central Valley Project Improvement Act

The U.S. Department of the Interior, through the Bureau of Reclamation and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, has prepared a draft-revised decision regarding implementation of Section 3406(b)(2) of the Central Valley Project Improvement Act.

The draft-revised decision is available for a 30-day public comment period. All comments will be considered before adopting a final revised decision. The comment period will close Tuesday, January 21, 2003, or 30 days after notice in the Federal Register, whichever is later. Submit your comments by that date to any of the following:

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A public workshop is scheduled to review the draft-revised decision. The workshop will begin at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, January 8, 2003, at the Best Western Expo Inn, located at 1413 Howe Avenue, in Sacramento.

Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Kirk C. Rodgers.

Kirk C. Rodgers
Regional Director
Bureau of Reclamation

Handwritten signature of Steve Thompson.

Steve Thompson
Manager, California-Nevada Operations
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