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Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2014 7:56 PM

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Thank you Ron. I have no objection.

Sent from my iPad

On Apr 2, 2014, at 5:38 PM, "MILLIGAN, RONALD" <rmilligan@usbr.gov> wrote:

Tom,

Consistent with discussion at today's RTDOT, please accept this notice from the Project agencies.

Thanks,

Ron

Notice to Executive Director, State Water Resources Control Board

Through the RTDOT process, the Project agencies have reached consensus with US Fish and Wildlife Service, National Marine Fishery Service and the California Department of Fish and Wildlife to flex the Delta Export/Inflow Ratio (E/I ratio). Effective today, and continuing through the month of April, the Projects will be working with a 35% E/I Ratio using an averaging period of three days. This action is pursuant to the following:

Flex E/I Ratio: Footnote 21 to the 2006 Water Quality Control Plan and footnote 20 to Decision-1641 allow the percent Delta inflow diverted to vary either up or down. Variations may be authorized if agreed to by the US Fish and Wildlife Service, the National Marine Fisheries Service and the Department of Fish and Wildlife. Any variations will be effective immediately upon notice to the Executive Director of the SWRCB. If the Executive Director of the SWRCB does not object to the variations within 10 days, the variations will remain in effect. (2006 WQCP, p. 17; D-1641, p. 187.)

On Wed, Apr 2, 2014 at 10:34 AM, Leahigh, John@DWR <John.Leahigh@water.ca.gov>

wrote:

Russ,

I'd like to add a brief discussion regarding fishery concurrence on varying the averaging period for the D-1641 Delta E/I ratio (similar to what was approved in March) to be affective tomorrow, April 3.

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From: Stein, Russell@DWR

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Good morning everyone,

Attached is an agenda for the RTDOT meeting this afternoon at 4:00 pm. Call in 916 651 5290 or Room 1142 Resources Building.

Russ