

October 20, 2006

TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES:

On June 1 and 2, 2006, the Department held a public hearing to consider amendments to the Stabilization and Marketing Plans for Market Milk (Plans).

CDFA stayed its decision pending an Initial Study under CEQA. Today, October 20, 2006, CDFA posted its response to comments received as a result of that study. The study is complete and the negative declaration adopted. The stay, therefore, expires October 31, 2006 and the amendments will become effective on November 1, 2006.

Sincerely,

Original signed by

A.J. Yates Undersecretary

