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## Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

17 January 2014

Mr. Parry Klassen  
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### **APPROVAL OF REVISIONS TO THE EAST SAN JOAQUIN WATER QUALITY COALITION'S FARM EVALUATION TEMPLATE**

Thank you for submitting the revised East San Joaquin Water Quality Coalition's (Coalition) Farm Evaluation Survey, accompanying cover letter, and instructions for Coalition members (Members) on 17 January 2014. The Farm Evaluation Survey is being provided by the Coalition to satisfy requirements in the Waste Discharge Requirements General Order R5-2012-0116-R1 for Growers within the Eastern San Joaquin River Watershed (Order).

The Coalition's 17 January 2014 Farm Evaluation Survey is based on the template approved by me on 9 December 2013 and includes minor modifications. Based on Central Valley Water Board staff review of the revised Farm Evaluation Survey template and the requirements of the Order, I approve the revised Farm Evaluation Survey template in accordance with Section VIII.C.1.a. (Farm Evaluation Template Group Option).

We appreciate all of your efforts to develop a Farm Evaluation Template that provides valuable information and can be completed in a cost effective manner. If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Joe Karkoski at (916) 464-4668 or by email at [Joe.Karkoski@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:Joe.Karkoski@waterboards.ca.gov).

*Signed by Kenneth D Landau, for*

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