Development of Sediment Quality Objectives for California Bays and Estuaries Scientific Steering Committee Meeting February 28- March 2, 2006

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AGENDA

Tuesday February 28

Morning session: 8:30-12:00

Introduction and meeting objectives (Steve Bay)

Development of toxicity indicators (Steve Bay)

Development of benthic community indicators (Ananda Ranasinghe) **Lunch will be provided (\$5.00 charge)**

Afternoon session: 1:00-5:00

Development of chemistry indicators (Steve Bay)

Wednesday, March 1

Morning session: 8:30-12:00

Multiple line of evidence approach (Steve Weisberg)

Indirect effects approach (Ben Greenfield)

Lunch will be provided (\$5.00 charge)

Afternoon session: 1:00-5:00

Plans for development and release of SQO policy (Chris Beegan)

Advisory committee comments and issues of concern (Brock Bernstein)

Thursday, March 2

Morning session: 9:00-12:00

Closed session for discussion among SSC members

Afternoon session: 2:00-4:00

Initial summary of SSC comments

Action items and future meeting schedule

Adjourn Meeting