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SUBJECT: Uncontested Waste Discharge Requirements for Confined Animal Facilities

REPORT: Following are proposed waste discharge requirements for a confined animal facility. All agencies and the discharger concur or have offered no comments.

Greenwood Dairy, Glenn County

Daniel Vander Dussen currently operates a milk cow dairy on 939 acres in Glenn County, southeast of the city of Orland. It is proposed that the dairy be expanded from its current herd size of 3350 animals. The maximum herd size at the expanded dairy is 4100: 3500 milking cows, 550 dry cows, and 50 spring heifers. The dairy includes a milking parlor, freestall barns, feed storage areas, wastewater storage lagoons and storm water detention basins. Wastewater is land-applied to 680 of the 939 acres for agricultural production. Solid manure is used onsite as bedding.

A Report of Waste Discharge dated August 2007 was submitted for the proposed dairy expansion. A Nutrient Management Plan and a Waste Management Plan dated April 2008 were provided. A Conditional Use Permit and Mitigated Negative Declaration was prepared for the project and was certified by the Glenn County Planning Commission on 19 December 2007.

RECOMMENDATION: Adopt the proposed waste discharge requirements.

Mgmt. Review _____

Legal Review _____

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