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Marine Life Protection Act Initiative  
c/o California Natural Resources Agency  
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Subject: North Coast Regional Stakeholders Group Nominations

To the Nominating Committee,

I am submitting my name for participation in The California Marine Life Protection Act 's North Coast Regional Stakeholders Group. I would best represent non-consumptive ocean use by divers. Mark Cortright is also submitting his name for consideration for this position. He and I communicate often and are interested in sharing the duties associated with this nomination.

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I have been active in the Northern California diving community since the early 1970's. During my over 25 years of teaching scuba on the North Coast, I've certified over 1000 divers. I continue to dive recreationally and professionally all along the California coast.

I was chosen to represent non-consumptive ocean use by divers in the previous North Coast Regional Stakeholders Group. I still have contact with many of the participants in that Stakeholders group. I am committed to finishing the job we started.

I served as President of the Humboldt Skindivers for many years, and am an active current member. Through my work as a professional diver and scuba technician at a local dive shop, I have almost daily contact with many north-coast divers.

Feel free to contact me with any questions about my qualifications.

Thank you,



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