TO ALL INTERESTED AND AFFECTED PARTIES

This is to provide notice that the proposed regulatory actions relative to “Mammal Hunting Regulations” in section 362, 364, 364.1 and 708.6, identified in Title 14, California Code of Regulations, which appeared in the California Regulatory Notice Register on January 11, 2019, may be continued to the Commission’s teleconference meeting on May 16, 2019.

The purpose of the continuation is to allow for additional public review of associated California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) documents for bighorn sheep and elk (SCH #s 2018112036 and 2018112037) as filed with the State Clearinghouse on February 19, 2019. Please note that information in the original notice remain the same, including regulatory text, associated documents and noticed dates of the public hearings related to this matter.

At the Commission’s April 17, 2019 meeting in Santa Monica, staff will recommend continuing public review of the CEQA documents for bighorn sheep and elk.

NOTICE IS NOW GIVEN that, if the staff recommendation to continue public review of the CEQA documents for bighorn sheep and elk is approved, any person interested may present statements, orally or in writing, relevant to the proposed regulatory actions at the Commission’s teleconference hearing on Thursday, May 16, 2019, at 8:00 a.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard, in the Commission’s conference room, 1416 Ninth Street, Room 1320, Sacramento, California or at one of three California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) offices: Arcata Field Office, 5341 Ericson Way, Arcata, CA 95521, CDFW Fairfield Regional Office, 2825 Cordelia Road, Suite 100, Fairfield, CA 94534, and CDFW San Diego Regional Office, 3883 Ruffin Road, San Diego, CA 92123.

Written comments are requested before the April 17, 2019 meeting; however, to be considered during preparation of the adoption hearing materials, comments should be submitted no later than May 3, 2019, at the address given below, or by email to FGC@fgc.ca.gov. Any written comments mailed or emailed to the Commission office must be received before 12:00 noon on May 10, 2019 after which any comments must be received at the May 16, 2019 teleconference hearing. If you would like copies of any modifications to this proposal, please include your name and mailing address in your correspondence. Mailed comments should be addressed to California Fish and Game Commission, PO Box 944209, Sacramento, CA 94244-2090.

Sincerely,

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