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Subject: Proposed CAO for Arimol Group and Meadowbrook Cedar

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On behalf of the Lahontan Water Board Advisory Team, I am notifying the parties on this matter that the Advisory Team will take all comments under consideration and is expecting to issue a CAO upon return of Patty Kouyoumdjian, Executive Officer, which is anticipated to be the week of August 19, 2013, or sooner.

We are pleased that the parties have been meeting in good faith, and that the Dischargers have submitted plans and documents, which we take as indication of their commitment to restore the site. We anticipate that the wetland delineation will commence in a timely fashion, including the submittal of the final Surface Water Delineation Work Plan by August 9th. As in the proposed CAO, the CAO to be issued by Ms. Kouyoumdjian is expected to contain the same deadline of November 8, 2013, to complete the initial restoration activities. This means that in the absence of a formal CAO, the Dischargers are urged to continue working with the Water Board Prosecution Team on the plans and reports so the restoration can be completed on time. Thank you for your understanding in this matter.

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