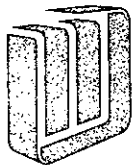


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March 5, 1992

(Executive Committee--Action)

Board of Directors (Water Problems Committee--Action)

From: General Manager

Subject: Metropolitan's Position on the Proper Role of Federal and State Authority in Regulating Streamflow Under the Clean Water Act

Report

At its meeting on March 5, 1992, the Special Committee on Legislation revised the recommendation in the General Manager's letter of February 12, 1992, on the above subject to read as shown below.

Recommendation

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE AND WATER PROBLEMS COMMITTEE FOR ACTION.

It is recommended that the General Manager be authorized to do all things necessary and appropriate to retain and strengthen the states' primary authority under the Clean Water Act to allocate and regulate quantities of water within their jurisdiction; and that he be urged to seek (1) the incorporation of the language of the Wallop Amendment (section 101(g)) into appropriate sections of the act, and (2) specific recognition of the importance of reclaimed water in the arid regions of the West and directing the Environmental Protection Agency to support the states in adopting water quality standards that would facilitate the use of reclaimed water.

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