PUBLIC NOTICE OF COMPLETION
SUPPLEMENTAL ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT

DATE: May 14, 2008

Project Title: Charles Van Der Kooi Dairy. District Reference Number: C-1053434

Project Location: 13695 West Elkhorn Avenue, between Howard and Madera Avenue, Fresno County

Description of Project: The project proponent, Charles Van Der Kooi, has applied to the San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District (SJVAPCD) for a permit for the establishment and operation of a 3,200 Holstein milk cow dairy. This milk cow herd will be supported by 480 dry cows, 2,060 heifers and 380 calves. Utilizing California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region conversion factors, Holstein cow animals on the dairy site at full development will constitute 6,646 animal units.

The San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District (District), serving as Lead Agency, has completed a Supplemental Environmental Impact Report (EIR) for the Van Der Kooi dairy project. The Draft EIR was circulated from November 14, 2006, through December 29, 2006. Pursuant to California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) §15088, the District evaluated all comments that were received for the Draft EIR and prepared written responses which can be found in Section 4 of the Final EIR. The District finalized the EIR in November 2007.

Recent concerns over global warming have identified greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions and their contribution to global climate change (GCC) as environmental effects to be considered under CEQA. The District has determined that the existing Final EIR adequately address all other project related environmental impacts. This Supplemental EIR has been prepared to revise Chapter Three of the Final EIR to include a discussion of the project's operational greenhouse gas emissions and possible impact on air quality and global climate change.

The Supplemental EIR is being circulated for comment in accordance with CEQA Guidelines §15163(b) and (d). The scope of comments which will be considered by the District is limited to comments on the Supplemental EIR.

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Anyone interested in this matter is invited to comment on the document by written response on or before 5:00 P.M July 3, 2008.