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In his new capacity with CALFED and the USGS, Dr. Moore will help identify the state of scientific knowledge on topics important to the Program and advise the Authority on strategies for addressing critical science issues. He is also expected to develop and advise on performance measures to evaluate various program actions and to help CALFED implement adaptive management, monitoring and scientific investigation to reduce uncertainties in Bay-Delta science.

“The lead scientist provides an important link among stakeholders, Bay-Delta agencies and the scientific community,” Wright said. “We look forward to working with Dr. Moore to identify critical issues, develop solutions and follow through on sound strategies to improve our understanding of the Bay-Delta and its watersheds.”

While in this position, Dr. Moore will be employed by the USGS.

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The CALFED Bay-Delta Program is a cooperative effort of more than 20 state and federal agencies working with local communities to improve the quality and reliability of California's water supplies and revive the San Francisco Bay-Delta ecosystem. The CALFED plan is the largest, most comprehensive water management effort in the nation.