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On April 2, 2015, I, Warden Monty Cervelli, California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW), received two separate reports of a suction dredge being operated on the Klamath River west of Happy Camp. On 04/03/15, Warden Dan Beck, CDFW and I, responded to the area. Upon arrival we saw Derek EIMER operating a suction dredge system on the far side of the river. EIMER told me he was using a pump, hose and suction nozzle to "suck" material into a container for later analysis. EIMER was clearly operating an unpermitted suction dredge in violation of section 5653.1(b) of the Fish and Game. The hose and nozzle were seized as evidence.									
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Name Witness #1 (First, Middle, Last) John Rose (New 49ers Prospecting Associa	tion)		Sex [x] M []F	Date of Birth	MM/DD/YY	Identificat	ion Number
Witness Address (Street, Apt., City, State, Z 27 Davis Road, Happy Camp, CA 96039	lip Code)					Home Pho 530-493-2	
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- 1 On April 2, 2015, I, Warden Monty Cervelli, California Department of Fish & Wildlife (CDFW), received two
- 2 separate citizen reports of a suction dredge being operated in the Klamath River, near State Highway 96 milepost
- 3 marker 34.78; upstream of the Wingate Bar river access. 4
- 5 The use of an unpermitted suction dredge is currently prohibited under California Fish and Game Code Section 6 5653.1: 7
- 5653.1. Vacuum or Suction Dredge Equipment Prohibited; Environmental Impact Review
- (a) The issuance of permits to operate vacuum or suction dredge equipment is a project pursuant to the California Environmental 10 Quality Act (Division 13 (commencing with Section 21000) of the Public Resources Code) and permits may only be issued, and vacuum or suction dredge mining may only occur as authorized by any existing permit, if the department has caused to be prepared, and certified the completion of, an environmental impact report for the project pursuant to the court order and consent judgment entered in the case of 13 Karuk Tribe of California et al. v. California Department of Fish and Game et al., Alameda County Superior Court Case No. RG 14 05211597. 15
- 16 (b) Notwithstanding Section 5653, the use of any vacuum or suction dredge equipment in any river, stream, or lake of this state is 17 prohibited until the director certifies to the Secretary of State that all of the following have occurred:
- (1) The department has completed the environmental review of its existing suction dredge mining regulations, as ordered by the court in the case of Karuk Tribe of California et al., v. California Department of Fish and Game et al., Alameda County Superior Court Case 19 No. RG 05211597.
- (2) The department has transmitted for filing with the Secretary of State pursuant to Section 11343 of the Government Code, a 21 certified copy of new regulations adopted, as necessary, pursuant to Chapter 3.5 (commencing with Section 11340) of Part 1 of Division 23 3 of Title 2 of the Government Code. 24
 - (3) The new regulations described in paragraph (2) are operative
 - (4) The new regulations described in paragraph (2) fully mitigate all identified significant environmental impacts.
- 26 (5) A fee structure is in place that will fully cover all costs to the department related to the administration of the program.
- 28 (c)(I) To facilitate its compliance with subdivision (b), the department shall consult with other agencies as it determines to be necessary, including, but not limited to, the State Water Resources Control Board, the State Department of Public Health, and the Native 30 American Heritage Commission, and, on or before April 1, 2013, shall prepare and submit to the Legislature a report with 31 recommendations on statutory changes or authorizations that, in the determination of the department, are necessary to develop the

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- 32 suction dredge regulations required by paragraph (2) of subdivision (b), including, but not limited to, recommendations relating to the 33 mitigation of all identified significant environmental impacts and a fee structure that will fully cover all program costs.
- (2) The requirement for submitting a report imposed under this subdivision is inoperative on January 1, 2017, pursuant to Section 35 10231.5 of the Government Code.
- (3) The report submitted to the Legislature pursuant to this subdivision shall be submitted in accordance with Section 9795 of the 36 37 Government Code.
- 38 (d) The Legislature finds and declares that this section, as added during the 2009-10 Regular Session, applies solely to vacuum and 39 suction dredging activities conducted for instream mining purposes. This section does not expand or provide new authority for the 40 department to close or regulate suction dredging conducted for regular maintenance of energy or water supply management 41 infrastructure, flood control, or navigational purposes governed by other state or federal law. 42
 - (e) This section does not prohibit or restrict nonmotorized recreational mining activities, including panning for gold.
- 45 A suction dredge is defined in section 228 of Title 14 of the California Code of Regulations:

47 Title 14 § 228, Suction Dredging.

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48 The Department has adopted this Section and Section 228.5 pursuant to Fish and Game Code Section 5653.9, and to make specific and 49 otherwise implement Fish and Game Code Section 5653, specifically. Pursuant to that authority, the Department finds that suction 50 dredging subject to and consistent with the requirements of Sections 228 and 228.5 will not be deleterious to fish. 51

52 (a) Suction dredging. For purposes of this Section and Section 228.5, the use of any vacuum or suction dredge equipment (i.e. suction 53 dredging) is defined as the use of a suction system to vacuum material from a river, stream or lake for the extraction of minerals. These

54 regulations do not apply to, prohibit or restrict nonmotorized recreational mining activities, including panning for gold. 55

57 On April 03, 2015, Warden Dan Beck, CDFW, and I responded to the area in full uniform driving marked CDFW 58 patrol vehicles. We arrived at the location at approx. 1230 hours. I saw a silver Dodge Ram pickup bearing 59 Oregon license plate 493GEP parked on the eastbound shoulder of Highway 96. I recognized the vehicle as 60 belonging Daniel Collins. Collins' vehicle was unoccupied. There was a blue colored sport utility vehicle (SUV) 61 also parked in the area with one occupant. The occupant was later identified as John Rose with the New 49ers.

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Warden Beck and I parked our patrol vehicles in a nearby turnout on the south side of Highway 96 between the highway and the river. When I exited my vehicle I saw two men that I recognized from prior contacts as Derek EIMER and Daniel Collins. EIMER and Collins were standing near a small boat on the far side of the river. A short distance downstream from where the men were standing was a small pump on floats tied against the shoreline. Warden Beck and I both got our binoculars and looked at the pump. There was a hose attached to what appeared to be the water suction valve on the pump. There was a small suction dredge nozzle attached to the end of the hose. It appeared that there was no venturi system and that the hose and nuzzle were being used to suck material directly into the pump.

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While Warden Beck and I were looking at the pump system through our binoculars, Rose contacted us at the turnout. Warden Beck and I were standing in plain view and it was clear that both Collins and EIMER saw us looking at the suction system. EIMER began walking downstream in the direction of the pump. While EIMER was walking to the pump he looked at us and waved. When EIMER got to the pump he started it up. Water began flowing into the pump from the nozzle that was lying in the water. The water was going into a container sitting near the pump. EIMER went to the nozzle, got down on his knees, and picked it up. EIMER held the suction nozzle in one hand and began using his other hand to dig in the sand. EIMER was using the nozzle to suck material directly through the pump into the container. I could see muddy water being sucked up into the pump and discharged into the container.

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83 I asked Rose if he knew what kind of system it was that EIMER was using. Rose said that's a "dredge". He 84 described the pump as a "trash" pump that is used to suck material directly through the pump. Rose said that the 85 system is typically used to sample locations in preparation for the use of a larger dredge.

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87 We watched EIMER operate the dredge for approximately 5 minutes. EIMER then put the nozzle down in the water and turned off the pump. EIMER walked back to where the boat and Collins were located upstream of the

89 dredge. The two men got in the boat and began rowing back over across the river.

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91 Warden Beck and I returned to our vehicles and drove over to where the Dodge pickup was parked. We 92 contacted EIMER and Collins at the rear of Collins' pickup. Rose also joined us at the back of the truck. Warden 93 Beck and I began a consensual conversation with both EIMER and Collins. The conversation was digitally 94 recorded.

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96 EIMER produced a laminated copy of an excerpt from the San Bernardino Superior Court Judge Ochoa's recent 97 ruling regarding suction dredging. I asked EIMER what kind of system he was running, EIMER said I guess you 98 can call it a "dredge", "for all intensive purposes it's a suction device." EIMER said that four judges have sided 99 for the miners regarding suction dredging and that he has to make a living. I explained to the men that I was 100 aware of the current litigation regarding suction dredging. I also explained to them that as of this date there has 101 been no order rescinding the current prohibition of suction dredging and that suction dredging is still against the 102 law. I explained to the men that this issue has been addressed by our superiors at CDFW and that we will be 103 enforcing the law. Warden Beck told EIMER that we would be seizing his suction nozzle and hose as evidence. 104 EIMER said that he would not go across the river to get it for us and that if we don't take it, he would be back 105 tomorrow to use it.

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107 I asked EIMER to explain the system he was using. EIMER said he was "sucking" up material into a container for 108 later analysis for gold with a pan. He was "prospecting" small samples for later analysis. EIMER said he made a 109 big gold strike in the area a couple years ago. EIMER felt that he had "granted rights" to use a suction dredge and 110 that several judges have agreed that miners have "granted rights". EIMER said that if I write him a citation he 111 would not sign it and that he wanted to see a judge. I explained to EIMER that I would be seizing the nozzle and 112 hose, and filing a formal complaint with the Siskiyou County District Attorney's Office.

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114 During the course of our conversation, EIMER said that he was upset that the other property of his we had taken 115 near Dragon's Tooth rapid, as evidence, had not been returned. EIMER was referring to the suction nozzle,

116 venturi, and regulator that I had seized in the area of Dragon's Tooth rapid on August 31, 2014. I explained to the

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- men that the statute of limitations is one year and that we have that amount of time to complete an investigation and file charges in a misdemeanor case. EIMER asked if he could get another property receipt for the items taken at Dragon's Tooth. EIMER said that when he got the receipt I left at the unoccupied camp, he put it in his pocket and jumped in the river. Collins, who had refused to speak with me regarding the Dragon's Tooth dredge operation, when I attempted to interview the two men regarding the case in September of 2014, said that the suction nozzle that we had taken at that time cost \$500.00.
- EIMER and Collins told Warden Beck that we could use their boat to cross the river to get the nozzle. Warden
 Beck made an attempt to cross the river using their boat, it was clearly not safe and the attempt was terminated.
 The water current in the Klamath River is very strong and directly downstream from the location of the dredge are
 several large rapids, surrounded by large rocks.
- 129 I told EIMER that the suction nozzle and hose would still be seized as evidence and "seized in place," at this 130 time. I explained that Warden Beck and I would return tomorrow with a kayak to retrieve the hose and nozzle. I 131 clarified with EIMER that he knew he was not to remove the evidence. I gave EIMER a CDFW property receipt 132 for the suction nozzle and hose. EIMER said that he was going to go back home and put something else together 133 and that he would be back tomorrow or the next day to continue dredging. Warden Beck and I then left the scene. 134
- On April 04, 2015, at approximately 1530 hours, Warden Beck and I returned to the scene. The equipment was still visible on the far side of the river. Warden Beck utilized a CDFW inflatable kayak to cross the river. Warden Beck crossed the river and checked the suction system (refer to supplemental report by Warden Beck). Warden Beck seized the hose and suction nozzle and returned to the near side of the river. I took custody of the hose and nozzle.
- 141 After returning to Yreka, the hose and nozzle were booked into evidence at the Yreka CDFW Office. I measured and photographed the nozzle and hose. The nozzle had a 2 inch diameter suction end. The hose had an approximate 2 ½ inch diameter.

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- 145 Based on my observations, EIMER's statement, and the evidence collected at the scene; EIMER was clearly
- 146 operating a suction dredge as defined in section 228 of Title 14 of the California Code of Regulation and in
- 147 violation of section 5653.1(b) of the California Fish and Game Code.

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149 This case will be forwarded to the Siskiyou County District Attorney's Office.

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On 4/03/2015 at approximately 12:45 hours, I assisted Wildlife Officer Monty Cervelli with contacting 2 miners at a mining claim on the Klamath River southwest of Happy Camp along Highway 96 near mile 3 marker 34.84. While there I saw a miner later identified as Derek Douglas Eimer, using suction dredge 4 equipment across the river on the south bank of the Klamath River. During the contact, I attempted to cross 5 the river in the same flat bottom john boat that I had seen Mr. Eimer and his mining partner Daniel James 6 Collins use to cross the river. I quickly determined that it was not a safe method of crossing the river and 7 ended the attempt. Warden Cervelli explained to Mr. Eimer that the suction dredge equipment would be seized in place and that we would return the next day to retrieve the suction hose and nozzle.

9 10 On 04/04/2015 at approximately 15:30 hours, Wildlife Officer Monty Cervelli and I returned to the same 11 mining area as the prior day. The suction dredge mining equipment that we had seen Mr. Eimer operating the 12 day before was still in the same location. By using a Department of Fish and Wildlife kayak, I was able to 13 safely cross the Klamath River and inspect the suction dredge equipment that Mr. Eimer had been using. The 14 equipment consisted of pontoons with a blue and white motor attached on top. There was a suction hose 15 attached to the left side of the motor that went into the river and was on rocks in the river. There was a 16 suction nozzle attached to the end of the hose. Near the nozzle were two locations in the placer gravel that 17 showed signs of suction dredging activity. There was also a black colored bucket with placer gravel material 18 in it between the pontoons that the motor was resting on. There was a screen over the bucket. Using my

19 hands, I disconnected the suction hose, with the suction nozzle still attached to it, from the motor and seized 20 it as evidence. I placed it in the kayak and then crossed river and gave the suction hose and nozzle to Wildlife

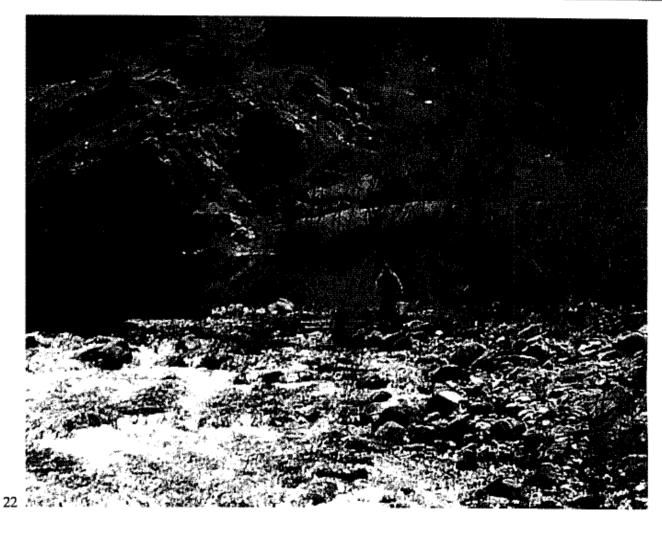
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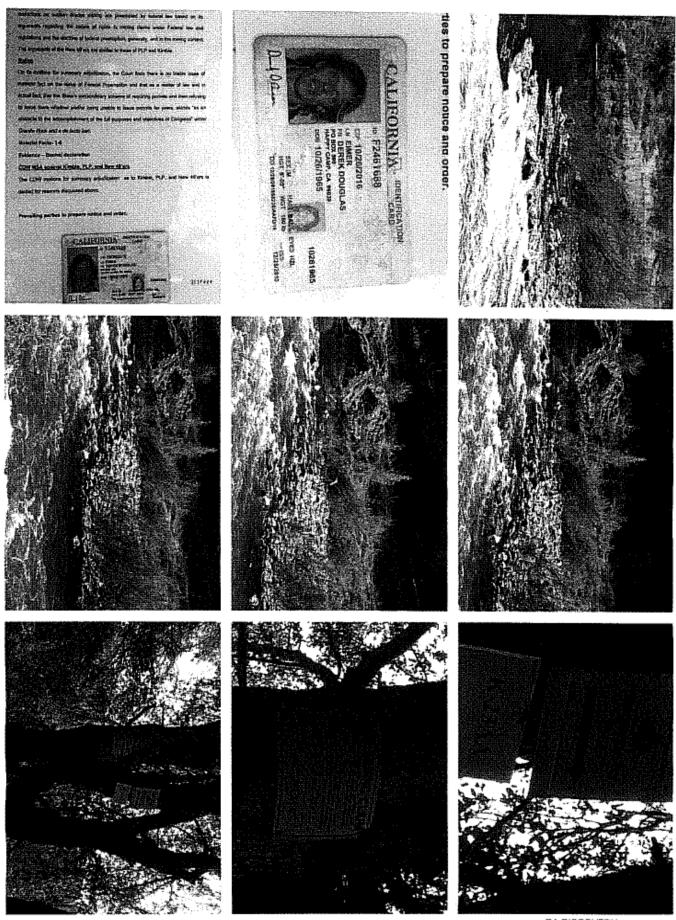
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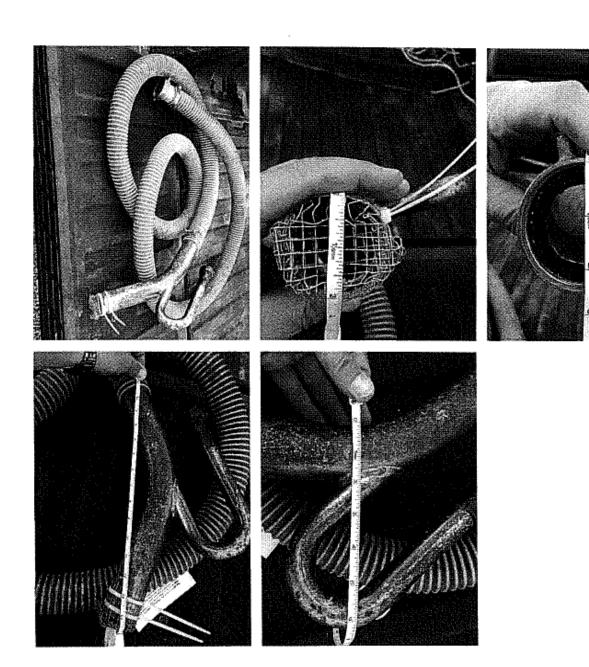
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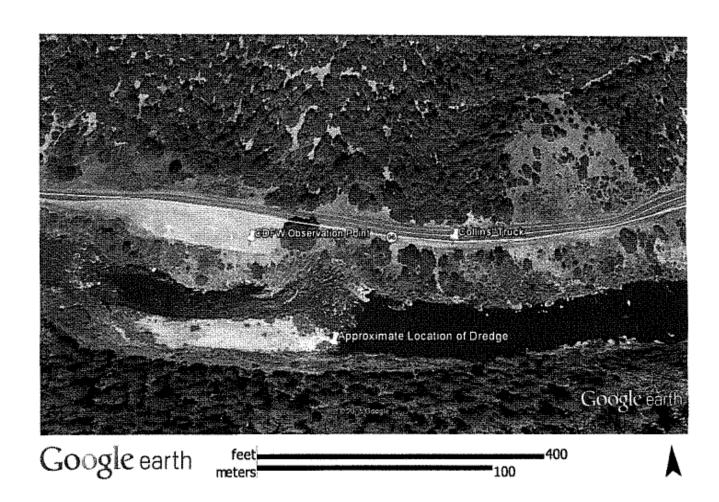


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- 1 On August 22, 2014, I, Warden Monty Cervelli, California Department of Fish & Wildlife (CDFW) was
- 2 contacted by a confidential citizen informant (CI). The CI told me that two miners identified as Derek EIMER
- 3 and Daniel COLLINS were bragging about recovering large amounts of gold from the Klamath River near Happy
- 4 Camp. The CI believed the two men were mining illegally, using suction dredges. The CI said the two men were
- 5 mining in a remote area of the Klamath River near the Dragon's Tooth Rapid. The mining location had to be
- 6 accessed on foot by walking along a rugged area of the river's edge. The CI believed the men may be concealing
- 7 their dredging activity by leaving their dredging equipment hidden underwater. The men were also using quick
- 8 connect/disconnect type fittings to attach/detach the dredging equipment (nozzle/venturi) underwater. This way
- 9 the men could drop the equipment quickly underwater should they be contacted by law enforcement. The CI also
- 10 believed the two men may be aggressive and/or non-cooperative if contacted by law enforcement.

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- 12 On August 26, 2014, I received a report from the Karuk Tribe regarding possible illegal mining activity near the
- 13 Dragon's Tooth Rapid. Tribal employees working along the river had come across a camp below the rapid. They
- 14 saw three pumps on floats in the river, hoses, buckets, dive gear, and other indicia of mining activity. They took
- 15 several photographs of the location and mining operation as they went by. There was no one visible at the camp
- 16 or working in the water at the time.

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- 19 The use of an unpermitted suction dredge is currently prohibited under California Fish and Game Code Section 20 5653.1:
- 22 5653.1. Vacuum or Suction Dredge Equipment Prohibited; Environmental Impact Review 23
- 24 (a) The issuance of permits to operate vacuum or suction dredge equipment is a project pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (Division 13 (commencing with Section 21000) of the Public Resources Code) and permits may only be issued, and vacuum or suction dredge mining may only occur as authorized by any existing permit, if the department has caused to be prepared, and certified the completion of, an environmental impact report for the project pursuant to the court order and consent judgment entered in the case of 28 Karuk Tribe of California et al. v. California Department of Fish and Game et al., Alameda County Superior Court Case No. RG 29 05211597.
 - (b) Notwithstanding Section 5653, the use of any vacuum or suction dredge equipment in any river, stream, or lake of this state is prohibited until the director certifies to the Secretary of State that all of the following have occurred:
- (1) The department has completed the environmental review of its existing suction dredge mining regulations, as ordered by the court 34 in the case of Karuk Tribe of California et al. v. California Department of Fish and Game et al., Alameda County Superior Court Case 35 No. RG 05211597.
- 36 (2) The department has transmitted for filing with the Secretary of State pursuant to Section 11343 of the Government Code, a 37 certified copy of new regulations adopted, as necessary, pursuant to Chapter 3.5 (commencing with Section 11340) of Part 1 of Division 38 3 of Title 2 of the Government Code.
 - (3) The new regulations described in paragraph (2) are operative
 - (4) The new regulations described in paragraph (2) fully mitigate all identified significant environmental impacts.
 - (5) A fee structure is in place that will fully cover all costs to the department related to the administration of the program.
- (c)(1) To facilitate its compliance with subdivision (b), the department shall consult with other agencies as it determines to be 44 necessary, including, but not limited to, the State Water Resources Control Board, the State Department of Public Health, and the Native 45 American Heritage Commission, and, on or before April 1, 2013, shall prepare and submit to the Legislature a report with 46 recommendations on statutory changes or authorizations that, in the determination of the department, are necessary to develop the 47 suction dredge regulations required by paragraph (2) of subdivision (b), including, but not limited to, recommendations relating to the 48 mitigation of all identified significant environmental impacts and a fee structure that will fully cover all program costs.
- (2) The requirement for submitting a report imposed under this subdivision is inoperative on January 1, 2017, pursuant to Section 50 10231.5 of the Government Code.

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- 51 (3) The report submitted to the Legislature pursuant to this subdivision shall be submitted in accordance with Section 9795 of the 52 Government Code.
- (d) The Legislature finds and declares that this section, as added during the 2009-10 Regular Session, applies solely to vacuum and suction dredging activities conducted for instream mining purposes. This section does not expand or provide new authority for the department to close or regulate suction dredging conducted for regular maintenance of energy or water supply management infrastructure, flood control, or navigational purposes governed by other state or federal law.
 - (e) This section does not prohibit or restrict nonmotorized recreational mining activities, including panning for gold.
- 60 A suction dredge is defined in section 228 of Title 14 of the California Code of Regulations:
- 62 Title 14 § 228. Suction Dredging.
- The Department has adopted this Section and Section 228.5 pursuant to Fish and Game Code Section 5653.9, and to make specific and otherwise implement Fish and Game Code Section 5653, specifically. Pursuant to that authority, the Department finds that suction dredging subject to and consistent with the requirements of Sections 228 and 228.5 will not be deleterious to fish.
- 68 (a) Suction dredging. For purposes of this Section and Section 228.5, the use of any vacuum or suction dredge equipment (i.e. suction 69 dredging) is defined as the use of a suction system to vacuum material from a river, stream or lake for the extraction of minerals. These regulations do not apply to, prohibit or restrict nonmotorized recreational mining activities, including panning for gold.
- 72 Based on the information stated above Lt. McDonald and I met and discussed how to approach the situation. We
- 73 reviewed the various photographs and maps of the area and came up with an operational plan to check the mining
- 74 operation.

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- 76 On August 31, 2014 at approximately 0800 hours, Lt. Steve McDonald, Warden Dan Beck, Warden Rich
- 77 Wharton, Warden Chad Edwards and I met at the Yreka CDFW Officer for a preoperational briefing. Warden

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- 78 Wharton was assigned to dive the location if deemed necessary during the inspection of the mining operation.
- 80 After the briefing we drove to the location in marked CDFW patrol vehicles. We arrived at the access point at
- 81 approximately 1200 hours. The access point was a dirt road off of Highway 96 that ended in a clearing above the
- 82 river. We were joined at that location by United States Forest Service (USFS) Law Enforcement Officer (LEO)
- 83 Jason Rasmussen. LEO Rasmussen and an additional USFS LEO agreed to stay in the parking area with our
- 84 vehicles in case someone should arrive behind our group and to provide additional support if needed. From the
- 85 parking area there was a steep trail down to the river. We exited our vehicles, geared up and began walking down
- 86 the hill to the river. Just below the clearing we found a white van (OR H990433) parked in the trees and a small
- 87 camp. There was no one at the vehicle/camp.
- 89 We continued on the trail to the river. Near where the trail met the river's edge we found a pump on floats along
- 90 with some mining equipment and dive gear. The pump was on blue plastic floats and covered with a green
- 91 camouflage tarp. The pump was tied up to the river's edge with commercial crabbing rope. There were several
- 92 large diameter hoses attached to the pump, going out into the river.
- 94 We continued past the first pump, heading downstream toward the target location. While heading down river I
- 95 saw an individual (later identified as George Knight CLARK) mining along the river's edge. Warden Edwards

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- 96 and I broke off from the group and contacted CLARK. CLARK was cooperative and allowed me to inspect his
- 97 mining operation. CLARK was using a gravity fed sluice device and was in compliance with the regulations.
- 98 CLARK said he was camping in the area and identified the white van we had checked on the way down to the
- 99 river as his. I told CLARK that I may need to speak with him later. CLARK said the pump we had found near
- 100 where the trail met the river was not his. Warden Edwards and I continued downstream and rejoined the group as
- 101 they arrived at the target location.

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- 103 When we arrived at the mining operation below the Dragon's Tooth Rapid we found a small camp in the trees
- 104 above the site. There was garbage scattered around the campsite. There were several wetsuits hung up in a tree,
- 105 boots, duct tape, hoses and other items consistent with suction dredging activity scattered around the camp. There
- 106 were three tents set up on a sandy area along the river downstream of the pumps. There were three pumps set up
- 107 on floats in the river. The pumps were secured with ropes and/or anchored, to keep from floating down the river.
- 108 There was dive equipment including regulators and dive weights on the shore.

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- 110 After checking the area and determining that there was no one at the site. Lt. McDonald, Warden Wharton and I,
- 111 went back to the first pump we had found near where the trail met the river.

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113 Warden Wharton entered the water and began checking the hoses that led out into the water. Warden Wharton

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located a large piece of corrugated plastic pipe (approximately 5 foot long with a 12 inch diameter) that was designed to be used as a gold recovery device (sluice); the gold recovery device was inline and attached by hoses to a venturi mechanism and a suction nozzle which when powered by the pump completed the suction dredge system. We checked the system and found the pump was operational. This was a suction dredge as defined by section 228 of Title 14 of California Code of Regulations and a violation of current regulations prohibiting there use.

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121 After photographing the dredge at the first site we returned downstream to the target location below Dragon's 122 Tooth Rapid.

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- 124 We began by inspecting the first pump which was located at the upper most location on the river.
- 125 The pump was on green plastic floats and tied to the shore. The pump was positioned next to the shore.
- 126 There was a metal sluice box standing on the bank nearby. There were several 5 gallon buckets containing
- 127 material from the river also nearby. There were several hoses leading off the pump into the water. The pump
- 128 was equipped with an air supply reservoir and an air hose to supply air to a diver with a dive regulator. There
- 129 were dive weights and other dive related equipment on the shore near the pump.

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131 Warden Wharton entered the water to inspect the equipment. Warden Wharton dove under the water and

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followed the main hose leading from the pump into the river. The line went out towards the middle of the river in deep water with a swift current. Warden Wharton was using only a snorkel and fins to attempt to inspect the operation and was having a difficult time negotiating the currents. Warden Wharton began pulling the hose in. The equipment on the end of the line was heavy and tough to retrieve. Warden Wharton located a 5 inch venturi device and a 5 inch suction dredge nozzle at the end of the hose. Warden Beck assisted from the shore as Warden

137 Wharton retrieved the equipment from the river. There was no inline gold collection device.

139 We inspected the first pump. The first pump was a Honda model GX270-270 pump with a serial number of 140 GCAB-1576881. The pump was operational. The pump with the attached venturi and suction nozzle created a 141 suction dredge system as defined by section 228 of Title 14 of California Code of Regulations and was prohibited

142 under the current regulations.

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After securing the venturi and suction nozzle off the first pump; Warden Wharton went back into the river to check the hoses attached to the second pump. Warden Wharton followed the main suction hose into the river and was unable to reach the end due to the depth of the water and the swift currents. Warden Wharton attempted to pull the hose in. Whatever was on the end of the hose was very heavy. As Warden Wharton attempted to pull the

149 hose and attempted to locate what had been disconnected from the end but was unable to find it in the deep water.

148 hose in, the equipment on the end came loose disconnecting in the deep water. Warden Wharton retrieved the

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- 151 Warden Wharton checked the third pump and found nothing connected to the end of the suction hose.
- 152 After photographing and documenting the evidence that Warden Wharton had found, I went back and checked for
- 153 evidence in the camp. I took an empty plastic drink bottle, an aluminum can, two cigarette packages and used
- 154 duct tape for possible fingerprint evidence.

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- 156 The entire scene was photographed and I also seized the 5 inch suction nozzle, the 5 inch venturi, and a diving
- 157 regulator with the attached hose.

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- 159 I wrote out a property receipt for the evidence I seized. I did not have a duplicate property receipt with me. I left
- 160 the original single copy property receipt I had with me and took a digital photograph of the receipt for the case
- 161 (photo attached). I posted the property receipt in the unoccupied camp.

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- 163 After securing the evidence at the second location we took the evidence back to the first location and the first
- 164 dredge we had encountered. I seized the 4 ½ inch suction nozzle, a 5 inch venturi, and the 12 inch diameter by 5
- 165 foot long, corrugated, black plastic, under water sluice.

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167 I wrote out a property receipt for the evidence I seized a location number one. I did not have a duplicate property

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168 receipt with me. I left the original single copy property receipt I had with me. I took a digital photograph of the 169 receipt for the case (photo attached). I posted the property receipt at the location.

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- 171 After securing the evidence from both locations we began walking back up the trail to the vehicles. After placing
 172 the evidence in our vehicles we contacted George CLARK at his van. I asked CLARK if he knew who was
- 1/2 the evidence in our vehicles we contacted George CLARK at his vali. I asked CLARK it he knew who was
- 173 mining at the second location where the camp and three pumps were located. CLARK said three men were
- 174 working there and he believed their first names were Derek, Danny and Steve. The physical description he gave
- 175 was consistent with the information I had regarding Derek EIMER and Danny COLLINS. I had no information
- 176 regarding "Steve." CLARK said Steve spoke with an accent and he believed he may be from New Zealand.
- 177 CLARK said the first pump where the trail from the parking area met the river belonged to an older individual
- 178 whom he did not know. CLARK said he had only seen him once.

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180 After speaking with CLARK we left the area.

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- 182 On September 11, 2014, at approximately 1230 hours, Lt. Steve McDonald and I went to the Elk Creek
- 183 Campground in an attempt to locate Derek EIMER and Daniel COLLINS. We found the two men sitting at a
- 184 campsite. There was a large amount of disassembled mining equipment lying around the camp. I exited my
- 185 CDFW patrol vehicle and introduced myself as well as Lt. McDonald. I asked the men if they were Daniel

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186 COLLINS and Derek EIMER and they said that they were. I explained to COLLINS and EIMER that I was
187 following up on a mining investigation and that I wanted to talk to them about it. I told the men that I had located
188 a suction dredge in area where I was told they were mining. I asked the men for their identification. COLLINS
189 said he did not have his identification with him and that it was in his trailer. EIMER provided me with his
190 identification. COLLINS told me that he was not going to say anything to me about any mining issues and said
191 he would not talk without a lawyer. I told COLLINS that was fine and asked Lt. McDonald to go with COLLINS
192 to get his identification.

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I asked EIMER if he would be willing to speak to me. EIMER said that he thought he should have an attorney before answering any questions. I told him he was not in custody or under arrest and that it I was just trying to find out about the mining operation. I asked EIMER how long he had been mining near Dragon's Tooth rapid. EIMER said he had been there for three weeks. EIMER identified the camp at the second location with the three floating pumps as their operation. I asked EIMER how long he had been using a suction dredge at the location and EIMER said since about a week before we got there. EIMER said he blew a bunch of material around under water and needed a suction device to move the material from one place to another. He said he was using the suction device to move the material from one place to another. He said he was underwater collection device or sluice. I asked EIMER if the nozzle we took was his and he said it was. EIMER said he was the only one using a suction dredge at the location. EIMER said the others were blow mining. I asked EIMER about the

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204 third individual who was with them at the location. I asked if his name was Steve and EIMER said it was. I 205 asked EIMER Steve's last name and EIMER said he didn't know. I asked if he knew where Steve lived and he 206 said he wasn't sure, maybe the Bigfoot RV Park.

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Lt. McDonald returned to my location with COLLINS and COLLINS' identification. I contacted CDFW dispatch via radio and requested a wants and warrants check on both subjects. COLLINS became upset and began accusing me of violating his rights by running his name. I explained to COLLINS that I was investigating a criminal offense and he and EIMER were suspects; I was checking to make sure they had no outstanding warrants. COLLINS then began a lengthy discussion with me regarding the 4th Amendment of the United States Constitution.

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I explained to the men that the items I had seized were on public land and the mining operation was open to inspection by CDFW Officers; the seized items were being used in violation of the California Fish and Game Code. I told the men I would be continuing my investigation and filing a case with the Siskiyou County District Attorney's Office.

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220 I provided EIMER with my contact information. Lt. McDonald and I then left the location.

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22	3 contacted the manager. The man	ager	told me tha	t no one name	d "Ste	ve" was staying there.	The	manager said			
224 there were no gold miners that he knew off staying there and no one matching Steve's description.											
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22	26 Based on my observations, EIMER's statement, and the evidence collected at the scene; EIMER was operating a										

227 suction dredge as defined in section 228 of Title 14 of the California Code of Regulations, in violation of section

229230 This case will be forwarded to the Siskiyou County District Attorney's Office for prosecution.

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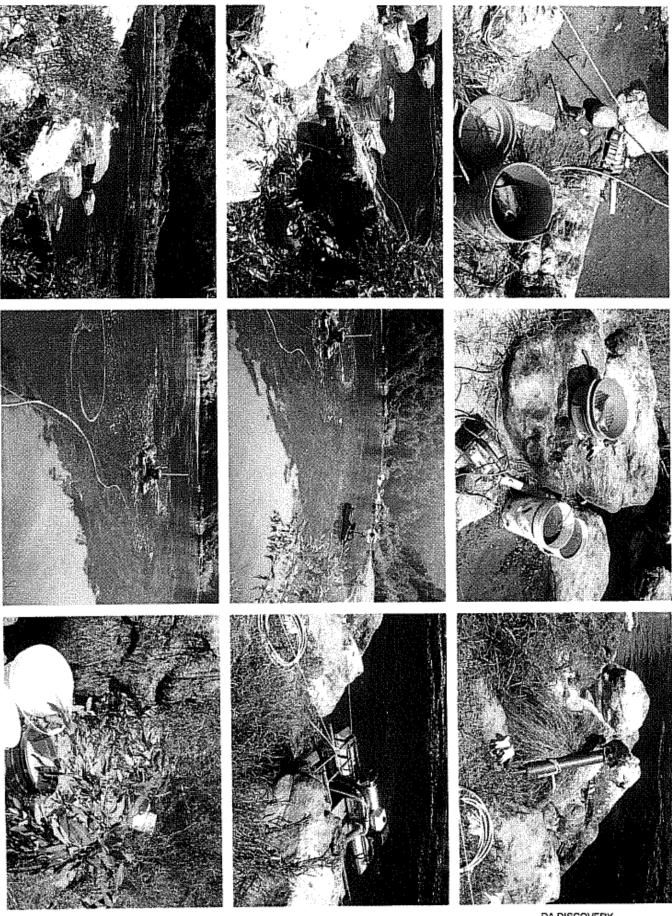
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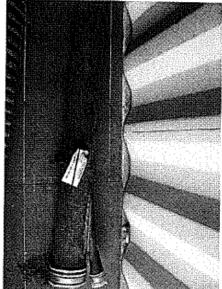
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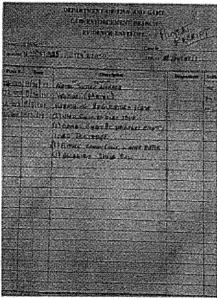
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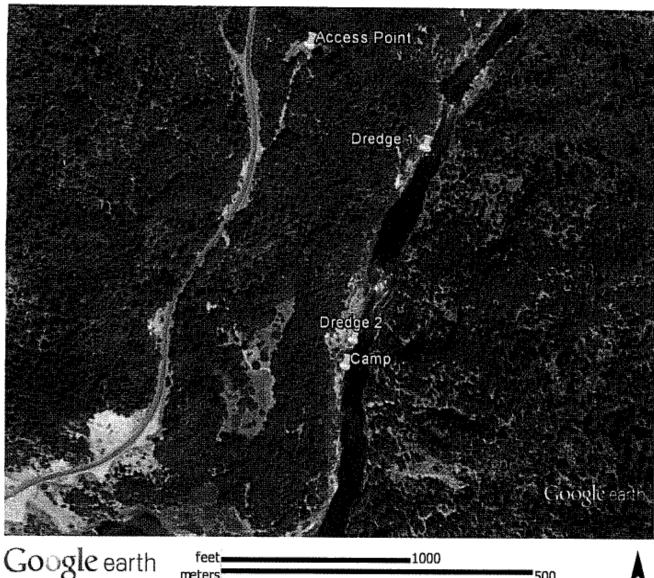








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On May 1, 2015, at approximately 1100 hours, I, Warden Monty Cervelli, California Department of Fish & Wildlife (CDFW), saw Dyton GILLILAND and Stephen JONES operating a section dredge on the Klamath River downstream from the Dragon's Tooth rapid. I contacted both men. GILLILAND admitted to owning the suction dredge and operating the nozzle in violation of 5653.1(b) of CA Fish & Game Code. JONES was assisting GILLILAND with the mining activity underwater. Both men were attached to the suction dredge by air hoses while working underwater. GILLILAND was using a 5 inch suction nozzle in violation of 228(k)(1) of Title 14, CA Code of Regulations. There were four motors on the dredge with inadequate fuel containment systems in violation of 228(k)(4) of Title 14, CA Code of Regulations. GILLILAND refused to sign a citation and was taken into custody. JONES had no identification and was taken into custody for possession of a suction dredge within 100 yards of closed water, a violation of 5653(d) of CA Fish & Game Code. Both men were transported to Siskiyou County Jail. Upon further inspection of the dredge, a violation of section 228(k)(3) of Title 14 of the CA Fish & Game Code-oversized intake screen openings was also found.					r. tle					

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- 1 On May 1, 2015, at approximately 1000 hours, I, Warden Monty Cervelli, California Department of Fish &
- 2 Wildlife (CDFW), along with Lt. Steve McDonald, Lt. Jake Nicholas, Warden Dan Beck, Warden Chad
- 3 Edwards and Warden Brian Gallaher, CDFW, met at a location on the Klamath River near Dragon's Tooth
- 4 Rapid.

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- 6 We were following up on my prior contact with Dyton GILLILAND and Stephen JONES. On April 17, 2015, I
- 7 contacted Dyton GILLILAND and Stephen JONES on the Klamath River downstream from Dragon's Tooth
- 8 Rapid. I saw GILLILAND actively using a suction dredge at that time. JONES was assisting GILLILAND with
- 9 using the suction dredge. Both men were working underwater and attached to the dredge by air hoses from a
- 10 hookah system. GILLILAND admitted to operating the suction nozzle on the dredge. JONES stated he was
- 11 assisting GILLILAND by helping move material underwater. GILLILAND told me that he was going to continue
- 12 to actively use a suction dredge at the location in violation of California law and that he would not sign a citation.
- 13 I explained to GILLILAND that I would be filing a formal complaint against him for the violation.
- 14 GILLILAND's suction dredge is extremely large and located in a remote location along the river. We were
- 15 unable to seize the suction dredge on April 17, 2015 because of its extremely large size and the difficult access to
- 16 its remote location. It was clear from our observations of the suction dredge and its location that we were going to
- 17 need additional manpower and equipment to remove it from the river. GILLILAND told me he was going to
- 18 continue to operate the suction dredge in violation of the California Fish & Game Code. Refer to my incident
- 19 report from April 17, 2015 citation numbers AD2079331 and AD2079332.

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21 The use of an unpermitted suction dredge is currently prohibited under California Fish and Game Code Section

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24 5653.1. Vacuum or Suction Dredge Equipment Prohibited; Environmental Impact Review

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26 (a) The issuance of permits to operate vacuum or suction dredge equipment is a project pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (Division 13 (commencing with Section 21000) of the Public Resources Code) and permits may only be issued, and

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vacuum or suction dredge mining may only occur as authorized by any existing permit, if the department has caused to be prepared, and certified the completion of, an environmental impact report for the project pursuant to the court order and consent judgment entered in the case of Karuk Tribe of California et al. v. California Department of Fish and Game et al., Alameda County Superior Court Case No. RG 05211597.

- (b) Notwithstanding Section 5653, the use of any vacuum or suction dredge equipment in any river, stream, or lake of this state is prohibited until the director certifies to the Secretary of State that all of the following have occurred:
- (1) The department has completed the environmental review of its existing suction dredge mining regulations, as ordered by the court in the case of Karuk Tribe of California et al. v. California Department of Fish and Game et al., Alameda County Superior Court Case No. RG 05211597.
 (2) The department has transmitted for filing with the Secretary of State pursuant to Section 11343 of the Government Cade and County Superior Court Case
 - (2) The department has transmitted for filing with the Secretary of State pursuant to Section 11343 of the Government Code, a certified copy of new regulations adopted, as necessary, pursuant to Chapter 3.5 (commencing with Section 11340) of Part 1 of Division 3 of Title 2 of the Government Code.
 - (3) The new regulations described in paragraph (2) are operative
 - (4) The new regulations described in paragraph (2) fully mitigate all identified significant environmental impacts.
 - (5) A fee structure is in place that will fully cover all costs to the department related to the administration of the program.
 - (c)(1) To facilitate its compliance with subdivision (b), the department shall consult with other agencies as it determines to be necessary, including, but not limited to, the State Water Resources Control Board, the State Department of Public Health, and the Native American Heritage Commission, and, on or before April 1, 2013, shall prepare and submit to the Legislature a report with recommendations on statutory changes or authorizations that, in the determination of the department, are necessary to develop the suction dredge regulations required by paragraph (2) of subdivision (b), including, but not limited to, recommendations relating to the mitigation of all identified significant environmental impacts and a fee structure that will fully cover all program costs.
- 51 (2) The requirement for submitting a report imposed under this subdivision is inoperative on January 1, 2017, pursuant to Section 10231.5 of the Government Code.
- (3) The report submitted to the Legislature pursuant to this subdivision shall be submitted in accordance with Section 9795 of the
 Government Code.
 - (d) The Legislature finds and declares that this section, as added during the 2009-10 Regular Session, applies solely to vacuum and suction dredging activities conducted for instream mining purposes. This section does not expand or provide new authority for the department to close or regulate suction dredging conducted for regular maintenance of energy or water supply management

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59 infrastructure, flood control, or navigational purposes governed by other state or federal law.

(e) This section does not prohibit or restrict nonmotorized recreational mining activities, including panning for gold.

63 A suction dredge is defined in section 228 of Title 14 of the California Code of Regulations:

65 Title 14 § 228. Suction Dredging.

The Department has adopted this Section and Section 228.5 pursuant to Fish and Game Code Section 5653.9, and to make specific and otherwise implement Fish and Game Code Section 5653, specifically. Pursuant to that authority, the Department finds that suction dredging subject to and consistent with the requirements of Sections 228 and 228.5 will not be deleterious to fish.

(a) Suction dredging. For purposes of this Section and Section 228.5, the use of any vacuum or suction dredge equipment (i.e. suction dredging) is defined as the use of a suction system to vacuum material from a river, stream or lake for the extraction of minerals. These regulations do not apply to, prohibit or restrict nonmotorized recreational mining activities, including panning for gold.

Based on GILLILAND's statement on April 17, 2015, that he was going to continue to operate the suction dredge in violation of California law and the fact that we were unable to seize the suction dredge at that time; I began a surveillance operation in the area. During the surveillance operation, additional CDFW resources were on hand to seize and remove the suction dredge when GILLILAND was observed operating it again in violation 5653.1(b) of the California Fish & Game Code.

82 On April 21, and 22, I returned to the location with additional resources and equipment to seize GILLILAND's suction dredge. GILLILAND's suction dredge was observed in the water on both days in violation of 5653(d) of the California Fish & Game Code, however GILLILAND was not at the location and the dredge was not operating. On April 22, 2015 I observed an individual who I later identified as David GUIDERO operating a smaller suction dredge slightly downstream from GILLILAND's operation. Refer to my incident report from

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87 April 22, 2015.

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89 On May 1, 2015, I returned to the location with additional resources in an attempt to locate GILLILAND and remove GILLILAND's suction dredge. We accessed the location from downstream of GILLILAND's mining operation through a piece of private property that allowed easier access to the river.

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At approximately 1100 hours, from an observation point above the Klamath River, utilizing binoculars, I saw GILLILAND and JONES in wetsuits near GILLILAND's suction dredge. The suction dredge was floating in the river tethered to the shore. David GUIDERO was also at the location speaking with GILLILAND. GUIDERO was dressed in regular clothes. GILLILAND started the motors on the suction dredge and entered the water. JONES also entered the water. Both men went under the water attached to the suction dredge by air hoses. I watched the operation with my binoculars. I could see bubbles coming to the surface indicating where the men were working underwater. The sluice box on the dredge began producing a plume of muddy water and debris. This indicated that they were actively using the suction system and processing material through the sluice box. Lt.

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103 GUIDERO was still in the area and it appeared that he had disassembled his suction dredge. GUIDERO was 104 packing pieces of his suction dredge upstream toward the public access point. It appeared that GUIDERO 105 eventually left the area.

101 McDonald and I both videoed the suction dredge in operation.

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We continued watching the mining activity. At approximately 1210 hours the motor to the dredge shut off and GILLILAND and JONES exited the water. The men had retrieved the suction hose and nozzle from the river. During my prior contact with GILLILAND on April 17, 2015, we were unable to remove the suction hose and nozzle. The suction hose and nozzle were located in deep water and were difficult to remove without diving equipment. GILLILAND agreed at that time to bring the suction nozzle to the surface so I could measure and photograph it, as long as I agreed not seize it. We did not have a CDFW diver available to assist with the removal

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of the suction hose and nozzle this date. Since GILLILAND appeared to be removing the equipment from the water, I decided to wait to make contact until they were done bringing the suction dredge equipment to the surface.

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All six of us moved down to the edge of the river and began walking toward the location of the suction dredge. As I was watching the two men working it appeared that they were in the process of packing their mining equipment up and were intending on moving the dredge downstream. Due to the large size and difficulty of moving the suction dredge system downstream, and GILLILAND's familiarity with navigating the suction dredge on the river, we decided to let the GILLILAND and JONES move the dredge downstream prior to making contact. Warden Gallaher and I stood by on the river's edge and watched as GILLILAND and JONES secured equipment onto the dredge. The other four wardens returned to our original observation point in anticipation that GILLILAND and JONES may be moving the suction dredge closer to that location.

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At approximately 1330 hours, GILLILAND began floating the dredge downstream toward our location. JONES walked along the river bank paralleling GILLILAND and the floating dredge. GILLILAND and JONES passed by Warden Gallaher and I. Lt. McDonald advised me that GILLILAND brought the dredge ashore on the edge of the river directly below our observation point. GILLILAND and JONES then began walking back upstream. At approximately 1400 hours, Warden Gallaher and I made contact with GILLILAND and JONES along the river. GILLILAND and I shook hands and I told him I was back to see if he was still using his suction dredge. GILLILAND said he was considering moving to a new location. I asked GILLILAND if we could return to where he had left his suction dredge. GILLILAND said that it was right around the corner. The four of us then walked the short distance downstream back to the suction dredge. I asked GILLILAND if he had been dredging today and he said "yes" and that he was on the nozzle. JONES was helping him but was not using the nozzle. GILLILAND said he was running the "same set up" as before. GILLILAND said he was considering pulling out because he was weighing the risk of having his equipment seized when the reward he was getting wasn't much gold. GILLILAND said that if he was on good gold he would be more inclined to risk the "confiscation" of his

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suction dredge. GILLILAND said he wasn't on that kind of gold. GILLILAND then said "on the other hand, if your here to arrest me, I am actively dredging." GILLILAND then said he didn't think that I had the legal right to arrest him. GILLILAND told me he felt that he was being harassed by CDFW. I explained to GILLILAND that the use of a suction dredge was still against the law. I asked GILLILAND if he would be willing to sign a citation and GILLILAND said he would not. GILLILAND said that he believed that it was "double jeopardy" for me to contact him again since I was filing a formal complaint against him for the earlier violation. I explained to GILLILAND that the contact I had with him two weeks ago was a separate violation. I explained to GILLILAND that today was a new violation. GILLILAND and I had a brief discussion regarding the current litigation regarding suction dredging and he related several of his opinions to me. I told GILLILAND that this was a new violation and if he refused to sign the citation, I would be taking him into custody, and he would be transported to Siskiyou County Jail.

151 I asked GILLILAND and JONES to walk up to our vehicles that were positioned on the hillside above our current 152 location. The other wardens were there watching my contact with GILLILAND. The four of us walked up the 153 hill and met with the other wardens. GILLILAND and JONES were seated at a picnic table in the shade and each 154 given a bottle of water.

156 I walked back to the suction dredge and inspected the components per 5653.3 of the California Fish & Game157 Code;158

5653.3. Any person required to possess a permit pursuant to Section 5653 shall present his or her dredging equipment for inspection upon request of a state or county fish and game warden.

During my inspection of GILLILAND's suction dredge I found additional violations of section 228(k) of Title 14
Of the California Code of Regulations:

165 § 228. Suction Dredging.

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- ed by subdivision (k)(1)(A), a constricting ring with an inside diameter not larger than four inches has been attached to the intake nozzle. This constricting ring must be of solid, one-piece construction with no openings other than the intake and openings not greater than one inch between the constricting ring and nozzle. It must be welded or otherwise permanently attached over the end of the intake nozzle. No quick-release devices are permitted.
- (E) Suction dredge intake nozzles up to eight inches in diameter may be permitted at the Department's discretion in accordance with subdivision (k)(1)(A) only on the following rivers:
- 185 1. American (Placer and El Dorado Counties);
 - 2. Cosumnes (Sacramento, Amador and El Dorado Counties):
- 187 3. Feather (Butte, Plumas and Yuba Counties);
 - 4. Klamath (Del Norte, Humboldt and Siskiyou Counties);
- 189 5. Merced (Mariposa and Merced Counties);
 - 6. Mokelumne (Amador, Calaveras and San Joaquin Counties);
- 191 7. Scott (Siskiyou County);
 - 8. Trinity (Trinity and Humboldt Counties); and
 - 9. Yuba (Sierra, Nevada and Yuba Counties).

(2) Hose Restriction. The inside diameter of the intake hose may not be more than two inches larger than the permitted intake nozzle size or constricting ring, whichever is smaller.

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(3) Pump Intake Screening. The intake for the suction dredge pump shall be covered with screening mesh. Screen mesh openings shall not exceed 3/32 inch (2.38 mm) for woven wire or perforated plate screens, or 0.0689 inch (1.75 mm) for profile wire screens, with a minimum 27% open area.

(4) Suction dredges must include a containment system under the motor and fuel tanks. The containment system must be sufficient in size to completely accommodate the full volume of all fuel, lubricants and chemicals without overtopping or leaking.

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During my inspection of GILLILAND's suction dredge; I found it had a 5 inch suction nozzle in violation of section 228(k)(1) requiring the suction nozzle have an inside diameter of no larger than 4 inches and section 228(k)(4) requiring that suction dredges have a containment system under the motor and fuel tanks. 209 GILLILAND's suction dredge had four motors having either no containment system or an inadequate containment system. I was unable to inspect the intake screen at this time because it was hard mounted beneath the dredge and would require some disassembly to inspect it. There was also a detached hose with a 4 inch suction nozzle lying on top of the suction dredge.

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214 After inspecting GILLILAND's suction dredge I returned the upper location where GILLILAND and JONES 215 were located.

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217 Both GILLILAND and JONES were wearing wetsuits. They requested that they be able to change before being 218 transported to jail. Lt. McDonald clarified with GILLIAND that there were no other items of value that needed to 219 be secured for safekeeping at their camp. Per GILLILAND and JONES' request, Lt. Nicholas and Warden 220 Edwards went back to GILLILAND's and JONES' campsite and retrieved dry clothes and shoes for the two men. 221

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223 GILLILAND was advised by Lt. McDonald that we would be seizing his suction dredge as evidence.

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225 I contacted JONES and asked about his identification. JONES said he did not have any identification with him 226 and that he had a passport back in Happy Camp.
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At 1445 hours, I told GILLILAND that he was in custody and not free to leave. I advised GILLILAND of his
 rights under Miranda from a CDFW Miranda advisement card. GILLILAND told me he understood his rights and
 invoked his right to remain silent. I did not ask GILLILAND any other questions regarding his activity.

At 1450 hours, I met with JONES. JONES told me again he was from Whales in the United Kingdom and has been in Happy Camp for two years on a visa. JONES said he did not know how long he was allowed to stay in the United States on the visa. JONES said that they were both attached to the suction dredge by the air hoses from the hookah system. I explained to JONES that since he was attached to the suction dredge he was in possession of a suction dredge in violation of section 5653(d) of the California Gish &Game Code:

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(a) The use of any vacuum or suction dredge equipment by any person in any river, stream, or lake of this state is prohibited, except as authorized under a permit issued to that person by the department in compliance with the regulations adopted pursuant to Section 5653.9. Before any person uses any vacuum or suction dredge equipment in any river, stream, or lake of this state, that person shall submit an application for a permit for a vacuum or suction dredge to the department, specifying the type and size of equipment to be used and other information as the department may require.

(b) Under the regulations adopted pursuant to Section 5653.9, the department shall designate waters or areas wherein vacuum or suction dredges may be used pursuant to a permit, waters or areas closed to those dredges, the maximum size of those dredges that may be used, and the time of year when those dredges may be used. If the department determines, pursuant to the regulations adopted pursuant to Section 5653.9, that the operation will not be deleterious to fish, it shall issue a permit to the applicant. If any person operates any equipment other than that authorized by the permit or conducts the operation in any waters or area or at any time that is not authorized by the permit, or if any person conducts the operation without securing the permit, that person is guilty of a misdemeanor.

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(c) The department shall issue a permit upon the payment, in the case of a resident, of a base fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25), as adjusted under Section 713, when an onsite investigation of the project size is not deemed necessary by the department, and a base fee of one hundred thirty dollars (\$130), as adjusted under Section 713, when the department deems that an onsite investigation is necessary. In the case of a nonresident, the base fee shall be one hundred dollars (\$100), as adjusted under Section 713, when an onsite investigation is not deemed necessary, and a base fee of two hundred twenty dollars (\$220), as adjusted under Section 713, when an onsite investigation is deemed necessary.

(d) It is unlawful to possess a vacuum or suction dredge in areas, or in or within 100 yards of waters, that are closed to the use

259 of vacuum or suction dredges.

261 I advised JONES of his rights under Miranda from a CDFW Miranda advisement card. JONES told me he 262 understood his rights and agreed to speak with me. I asked JONES what his involvement was with GILLILAND. 263 JONES said he helped GILLILAND and was an extra set of hands underwater. JONES said that GILLILAND 264 would operate the suction nozzle underwater and that he (JONES) would move rocks and other material around to 265 assist GILLILAND. JONES told me that they were operating the suction dredge today. JONES said that 266 GILLILAND was using the 5 inch suction nozzle.

267 268 I asked JONES if he would be willing to sign a citation and he said that he would have to consult with 269 GILLILAND. I told JONES that since he had no valid form of identification and because of a possible issue with 270 his visa and the legality of his stay in the United States, I would be taking him into custody for 5653(d) of the 271 California Fish & Game Code and transporting him to Siskiyou County Jail for fingerprinting to confirm his 272 identity.

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274 I filled out the jail booking forms and two citations that were unsigned by GILLILAND and JONES. I put a 275 general description of the property we were seizing in the evidence box on the citation for a property receipt for 276 GILLILAND. I explained to GILLILAND that I would be preparing an itemized property receipt for the 277 equipment that we seized. I told him that after I inventoried the equipment I would get him a copy of the property 278 receipt for his records. Items of non-evidentiary value would be taken for safekeeping since GILLILAND and

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279	JONES	were	being	taken	to jail	•

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- 281 GILLILAND and JONES changed clothes and were secured in handcuffs for officer safety and their safety during
- 282 transport. Warden Beck left our location with GILLILAND and JONES. Warden Beck took GILLILAND to his
- 283 vehicle which was parked at the public access, upstream from our current location so GILLILAND could retrieve
- 284 his wallet. Per GILLILAND's request, his truck was locked and left parked at the public access. Warden Beck
- 285 then transported the two men to Siskiyou County Jail.

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287 After GILLILAND and JONES were on their way to Siskiyou County Jail we began the lengthy and difficult 288 process of removing the suction dredge from the river.

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290 During the course of the removal of the suction dredge I examined the intake screening and found that the 291 openings in the screen were oversized in violation of section 228(k)(3) of Title 14 of the California Code of 292 Regulations.

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- 294 At approximately 2130 hours the suction dredge and related equipment was safely secured on a flatbed trailer.
- 295 The equipment was transported to the Yreka CDFW Office where it was placed in a locked hangar for processing 296 at approximately 2330 hours.

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298 On May 4, 2015, I removed the trailer from the locked hangar and completed the itemized property receipt (copy 299 attached). The evidence was tagged and secured in a locked storage facility at the CDFW Office in Yreka.

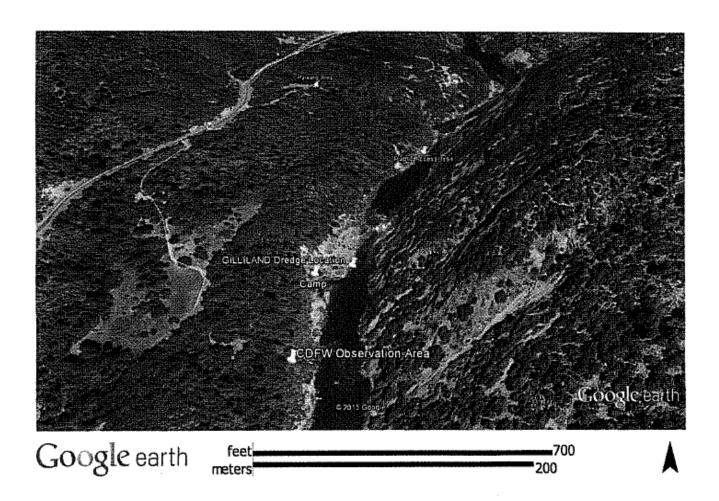
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301 This case will be forwarded to the Siskiyou County District Attorney's Office for prosecution.

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Case Synopsis On April 17, 2015, at approximately 1330 hours, I, Warden Monty Cervelli, California Department of Fish & Wildlife (CDFW), saw Dyton GILLILAND and Stephen JONES operating a suction dredge on the Klamoth River downstream from the Dragon's Tooth rapid. I contacted both men. GILLILAND admitted to owning the suction dredge and operating the nozzle in violation of 5653.1(b) of CA Fish & Game Code. JONES was assisting GILLILAND with the mining activity underwater. Both men were attached to the suction dredge by air hoses while working underwater. GILLILAND was using a 5 inch socion nozzle in violation of 228(k)(1) of Title 14 of CA Code of Regulations. There were four motors on the dredge with inadequate fuel containment systems in violation of 228(k)(4) of Title 14 of CA Code of Regulations. GILLILAND told me he would not sign a citation. JONES was attached to the dredge by an air hose and in violation of 5653(d) of CA Fish & Game Code possession of a suction dredge. We were unable to seize the suction dredge due to its large size and remote location. I explained to GILLILAND and JONES that I would be filing a formal complaint for the violations. GILLILAND told me he was going to continue to operate the suction dredge in violation of California Law.									

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- 1 On Friday April 17, 2015, at approximately 0830 hours, I, Warden Monty Cervelli, California Department of Fish
- 2 & Wildlife (CDFW), along with Lt. Steve McDonald, Warden Dan Beck and Warden Chad Edwards, CDFW,
- 3 met at the Yreka CDFW office for a pre-operational briefing in preparation of a sweep of the Klamath River. A
- 4 CDFW aircraft was going to fly the river looking for suction dredge activity. We would be patrolling the river in
- 5 full uniform driving marked CDFW vehicles. We would be responding to any suction dredge activity located by
- 6 the aircraft.

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8 The use of an unpermitted suction dredge is currently prohibited under California Fish and Game Code Section 9 5653.1:

11 5653.1. Vacuum or Suction Dredge Equipment Prohibited; Environmental Impact Review 12

(a) The issuance of permits to operate vacuum or suction dredge equipment is a project pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (Division 13 (commencing with Section 21000) of the Public Resources Code) and permits may only be issued, and vacuum or suction dredge mining may only occur as authorized by any existing permit, if the department has caused to be prepared, and certified the completion of, an environmental impact report for the project pursuant to the court order and consent judgment entered in the case of Karuk Tribe of California et al. v. California Department of Fish and Game et al., Alameda County Superior Court Case No. RG 05211597.

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- (b) Notwithstanding Section 5653, the use of any vacuum or suction dredge equipment in any river, stream, or lake of this state is
 prohibited until the director certifies to the Secretary of State that all of the following have occurred:
- 22 (1) The department has completed the environmental review of its existing suction dredge mining regulations, as ordered by the court in the case of Karuk Tribe of California et al. v. California Department of Fish and Game et al., Alameda County Superior Court Case No. RG 05211597.
- 25 (2) The department has transmitted for filing with the Secretary of State pursuant to Section 11343 of the Government Code, a certified copy of new regulations adopted, as necessary, pursuant to Chapter 3.5 (commencing with Section 11340) of Part 1 of
- 27 Division 3 of Title 2 of the Government Code.
- 28 (3) The new regulations described in paragraph (2) are operative
- (4) The new regulations described in paragraph (2) fully mitigate all identified significant environmental impacts.

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30	(5) A fee structure is in place that will fully cover all costs to the department related to the administration of the program.
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(c)(1) To facilitate its compliance with subdivision (b), the department shall consult with other agencies as it determines to be necessary, including, but not limited to, the State Water Resources Control Board, the State Department of Public Health, and the Native American Heritage Commission, and, on or before April 1, 2013, shall prepare and submit to the Legislature a report with recommendations on statutory changes or authorizations that, in the determination of the department, are necessary to develop the suction dredge regulations required by paragraph (2) of subdivision (b), including, but not limited to, recommendations relating to the mitigation of all identified significant environmental impacts and a fee structure that will fully cover all program costs.

- (2) The requirement for submitting a report imposed under this subdivision is inoperative on January 1, 2017, pursuant to Section 10231.5 of the Government Code.
- (3) The report submitted to the Legislature pursuant to this subdivision shall be submitted in accordance with Section 9795 of the Government Code.
- (d) The Legislature finds and declares that this section, as added during the 2009-10 Regular Session, applies solely to vacuum and suction dredging activities conducted for instream mining purposes. This section does not expand or provide new authority for the department to close or regulate suction dredging conducted for regular maintenance of energy or water supply management infrastructure, flood control, or navigational purposes governed by other state or federal law.
- (e) This section does not prohibit or restrict nonmotorized recreational mining activities, including panning for gold.
- 50 A suction dredge is defined in section 228 of Title 14 of the California Code of Regulations:

52 Title 14 § 228. Suction Dredging.

The Department has adopted this Section and Section 228.5 pursuant to Fish and Game Code Section 5653.9, and to make specific and otherwise implement Fish and Game Code Section 5653, specifically. Pursuant to that authority, the Department finds that suction dredging subject to and consistent with the requirements of Sections 228 and 228.5 will not be deleterious to fish.

(a) Suction dredging. For purposes of this Section and Section 228.5, the use of any vacuum or suction dredge equipment (i.e. suction dredging) is defined as the use of a suction system to vacuum material from a river, stream or lake for the extraction of minerals. These regulations do not apply to, prohibit or restrict nonmotorized recreational mining activities, including panning

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63 At approximately 1200 hours, while patrolling the river, the CDFW aircraft advised they had located a suction 64 dredge in operation on the Klamath River below the Dragon's Tooth Rapid. I was familiar with the area and have 65 investigated suction dredging activity there before. The area is popular for suction dredge activity due to its 66 remote location and difficult access.

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We responded to the location and parked in a meadow above the access to the river. We located a dark colored Toyota Tacoma with Alaska license plate number GPK108 parked in a parking area above the river. We worked are way down to the river and began heading downstream. We could hear a pump running downstream from the access in an area where I have found other suction dredge activity. As we proceeded downstream a large suction dredge became visible floating in the river tied near the shore. The dredge was floating on large blue inflatable pontoons. We approached the area and also saw a tent in some trees just north of the river. When we arrived at the suction dredge the pumps were running and material was being actively processed through the sluice box. There was a visible plume of muddy debris in the water below the sluice box. There were two orange colored hookah air lines coming off the dredge and leading out into the middle of the river. Based on this observation it appeared there were two individuals under the water.

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We stood by in the area waiting for the subjects that were underwater to surface. I took video and photographs of the suction dredge in operation. At approximately 1400 hours a single diver (later identified as Dyton GILLILAND) surfaced next to the suction dredge. I approached the GILLILAND and identified myself as a game Warden with the California Department of Fish & Wildlife. GILLILAND told me that there was another diver underwater (later identified as Stephen JONES). I told GILLILAND per the California Fish & Game Code he was required to allow me to inspect his dredge equipment. GILLILAND said he didn't think he would allow me to inspect his equipment, that he would rather go to jail and that he would talk to me about it in a few minutes. GILLILAND said he wanted to get JONES out of the water. I told GILLILAND to go ahead. GILLIAND said

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87 JONES thinks they have a jet clog when he (GILLILAND) shuts the engines down JONES will clear the clog and 88 come to the surface. GILLILAND shut down the motors and JONES surfaced. After JONES surfaced 89 GILLILAND walked over to my location and introduced himself. GILLILAND said "we are dredging", I asked 90 how long he had been here and he told me he would not say. GILLILAND said he was a member of the New 91 49ers Prospecting Association. GILLILAND said it was just he and JONES at the location. GILLILAND said he 92 was from Alaska and currently living in Happy Camp. There was a 6 inch suction nozzle and a 4 inch nozzle 93 lying on the bank. GILLILAND said he would not get the suction nozzle that he was using. GILLILAND told 94 me that we were breaking the law and that a judge had said the regulations were not lawful. I explained to 95 GILLILAND that the use of a suction dredge was still illegal in California. GILLILAND said that he makes his 96 living as a miner in Alaska. GILLILAND said he came to California because what California has done here is not 97 legal and that's why he's here, he's not here because he needs to mine and some battles are worth fighting. 98 GILLILAND said his temptation is to get back into the water and continue dredging if I don't arrest him. 99 GILLILAND began discussing the current litigation regarding the suction dredge issue in California. I explained 100 to GILLILAND that I am required to enforce the law by the California Constitution.

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102 Warden Beck contacted JONES and asked if he had any identification. JONES said he did not have any 103 identification with him. JONES said he was from Whales in the United Kingdom and that he has been in the 104 United States for 2 years on a travel visa.

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106 GILLILAND said he was starting to see a little bit of gold. GILLILAND said he was working in 25 feet of water 107 with 20 feet of 6 inch hose, 40 feet of 5 inch hose and a 5 inch suction nozzle and it was very difficult to remove. 108 GILLILAND said he used 100 pounds of weight to stay down in the current.

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110 GILLILAND said he had built the dredge with these canyons in mind and had floated it down river through the 111 Dragon's Tooth Rapid. GILLILAND said that he had mined in California with the New 49ers Prospecting

112 Association 7 years ago. He came back to California because he felt the miners were gaining ground and getting

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115	We explained to GILLILAND that we were going to file a form	nal complaint for the violation.	Lt. McDonald
116	explained the process to GILLILAND.		- Interpolition
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118	JONES said that he just assisted GILLILAND underwater and of	does not work the nozzle.	
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120	I told GILLILAND that I needed to see his identification. GILI	LILAND's identification was in	his truck
	parked in the parking area.		
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123	Lt. McDonald and I discussed the inspection authority with GII	LILAND and discussed his fail	ure to show us
	his equipment upon demand.		
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126	California Fish & Game Code section 5653.3 states the following	ng.	
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5653.3. Any person required to possess a permit pursuant to Section 5653 shall present his or her dredging equipment for inspection upon request of a state or county fish and game warden.

130131 I told GILLILAND that if he would allow me to see his nozzle and photograph it I would not seize it.

133 Due to the size of GILLILAND's suction dredge and the remote location it would be physically impossible for us134 to seize and remove the dredge given our current situation with the lack of sufficient manpower and equipment.

135 Based on GILLILAND's statement that he was going to continue to use the dredge seizing it in place did not

136 appear to be a viable option.

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138 GILLILAND got his dive equipment back and went back underwater to retrieve the suction nozzle.

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	A 5 inch suction nozzle is an add	itional violatio	n of section 22	8/b)/1) of Title 14 of the Calife	min Code of
143	Regulations.	monii violino	n or section 22	o(k)(1) of Thie 14 of the Camo	mia Code of
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145	§ 228. Suction Dredging.				
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149	(1) Nozzle Restriction. No sucti	ion dredge having	an intake nozzle w	rith an inside diameter larger than four	inches may be used
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152				nches where allowable under subdivis	sion (k)(1)(E); and
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154 155	(C) The permittee has in their p	ossession docume	entation of compli	nnce with Fish and Game Code Section	1 1602, subdivision
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the intake and openings not greater than one inch between the constricting ring and nozzle. It must be welded or otherwise

- 165 1. American (Placer and El Dorado Counties);
- 166 2. Cosumnes (Sacramento, Amador and El Dorado Counties);
- 167 3. Feather (Butte, Plumas and Yuba Counties);
- 168 4. Klamath (Del Norte, Humboldt and Siskiyou Counties);

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- 6. Mokelumne (Amador, Calaveras and San Joaquin Counties);
- 171 7. Scott (Siskiyou County);
 - 8. Trinity (Trinity and Humboldt Counties); and
- 173 Yuba (Sierra, Nevada and Yuba Counties). 174

175 (2) Hose Restriction. The inside diameter of the intake hose may not be more than two inches larger than the permitted intake 176 nozzle size or constricting ring, whichever is smaller. 177

- (3) Pump Intake Screening. The intake for the suction dredge pump shall be covered with screening mesh. Screen mesh openings shall not exceed 3/32 inch (2.38 mm) for woven wire or perforated plate screens, or 0.0689 inch (1.75 mm) for profile wire screens, with a minimum 27% open area.
- (4) Suction dredges must include a containment system under the motor and fuel tanks. The containment system must be sufficient in size to completely accommodate the full volume of all fuel, lubricants and chemicals without overtopping or leaking.

187 After photographing the suction nozzle we prepared to walk back to GILLILAND's vehicle to obtain his 188 identification. JONES' identification was back in Happy Camp at his residence. JONES stayed in camp and we 189 walked with GILLILAND back to the location of the vehicles. While en route back to the vehicle GILLILAND 190 discovered that he had lost his keys to his vehicle. GILLILAND walked back to his camp to attempt to locate his 191 keys. Lt. McDonald and I stood by while Warden Beck and Warden Edwards continued walking to the vehicles. 192 GILLILAND returned and said he could not find his keys. GILLILAND said he had his passport in his RV in 193 Happy Camp.

194 195 We transported GILLILAND back to Happy Camp where he obtained his passport for identification.

197 This case will be forwarded to the Siskiyou County District Attorney's Office for prosecution.

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On May 5, 2015 I, Warden Monty Cervelli, California Department of Fish & Wildlife (CDFW), received information that Dyton GHLILAND had placed a section dredge in the Klamath River near Highway 96 milepost marker 36.84. On May 6, 2015, Lt. Steve McDonald, CDFW located the section dredge and saw GHLILAND near the dredge on the far side of the river, On May 7, 2015, I responded to the location along with other CDFW personnel. The section dredge was seized as evidence. GHLILAND arrived at the location at approx. 1500 hours. GHLILAND admitted to owning the section dredge and operating the nozzle in violation of 5653.1(b) of CA Fish & Game Code. GHLILAND told me be would not sign a citation and tequested he be arrested and brought before a judge. GHLILAND was taken into custody for pressession of a suction dredge within 100 yards of closed water, a violation of 5653(d) of CA Fish & Game Code and for section 228(k)(4) of Title 14, CA Code of Regulations-section dredge with no fuel containment system. GHLILAND was transported to Siskiyou County Jail. The additional charges of 5653.1(b) of CA Fish & Game Code and section 228(k)(3) of Title 14 of the CA Fish & Game Code-oversized intake screen openings will be filed with the Siskiyou County District Atlanacy's Office.									
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- 1 On May 5, 2015, I, Warden Monty Cervelli, California Department of Fish & Wildlife (CDFW), received
- 2 information that Dyton GILLILAND had placed a suction dredge in the Klamath River near Highway 96

3 milepost marker 36.84.

5 The use of an unpermitted suction dredge is currently prohibited under California Fish and Game Code Section 6 5653.1:

5653.1. Vacuum or Suction Dredge Equipment Prohibited; Environmental Impact Review

(a) The issuance of permits to operate vacuum or suction dredge equipment is a project pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (Division 13 (commencing with Section 21000) of the Public Resources Code) and permits may only be issued, and vacuum or suction dredge mining may only occur as authorized by any existing permit, if the department has caused to be prepared, and certified the completion of, an environmental impact report for the project pursuant to the court order and consent judgment entered in the case of Karuk Tribe of California et al. v. California Department of Fish and Game et al., Alameda County Superior Court Case No. RG 05211597.

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- (b) Notwithstanding Section 5653, the use of any vacuum or suction dredge equipment in any river, stream, or lake of this state is prohibited until the director certifies to the Secretary of State that all of the following have occurred:
- (1) The department has completed the environmental review of its existing suction dredge mining regulations, as ordered by the court in the case of Karuk Tribe of California et al. v. California Department of Fish and Game et al., Alameda County Superior Court Case No. RG 05211597.
- 22 (2) The department has transmitted for filing with the Secretary of State pursuant to Section 11343 of the Government Code, a certified copy of new regulations adopted, as necessary, pursuant to Chapter 3.5 (commencing with Section 11340) of Part 1 of Division 3 of Title 2 of the Government Code.
- 25 (3) The new regulations described in paragraph (2) are operative
 - (4) The new regulations described in paragraph (2) fully mitigate all identified significant environmental impacts.
- 27 (5) A fee structure is in place that will fully cover all costs to the department related to the administration of the program.

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(c)(1) To facilitate its compliance with subdivision (b), the department shall consult with other agencies as it determines to be necessary, including, but not limited to, the State Water Resources Control Board, the State Department of Public Health, and the

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31	Native American Heritage Commission, and, on or before April 1, 2013, shall prepare and submit to the Legislature a report with
32	recommendations on statutory changes or authorizations that, in the determination of the department, are necessary to develop the
33	suction dredge regulations required by paragraph (2) of subdivision (b), including, but not limited to, recommendations relating to the
34	mitigation of all identified significant environmental impacts and a fee structure that will fully cover all program costs.

- (2) The requirement for submitting a report imposed under this subdivision is inoperative on January 1, 2017, pursuant to Section
 10231.5 of the Government Code.
 - (3) The report submitted to the Legislature pursuant to this subdivision shall be submitted in accordance with Section 9795 of the Government Code.
 - (d) The Legislature finds and declares that this section, as added during the 2009-10 Regular Session, applies solely to vacuum and suction dredging activities conducted for instream mining purposes. This section does not expand or provide new authority for the department to close or regulate suction dredging conducted for regular maintenance of energy or water supply management infrastructure, flood control, or navigational purposes governed by other state or federal law.
 - (e) This section does not prohibit or restrict nonmotorized recreational mining activities, including panning for gold.

47 A suction dredge is defined in section 228 of Title 14 of the California Code of Regulations:

49 Title 14 § 228. Suction Dredging.

The Department has adopted this Section and Section 228.5 pursuant to Fish and Game Code Section 5653.9, and to make specific and otherwise implement Fish and Game Code Section 5653, specifically. Pursuant to that authority, the Department finds that suction dredging subject to and consistent with the requirements of Sections 228 and 228.5 will not be deleterious to fish.

(a) Suction dredging. For purposes of this Section and Section 228.5, the use of any vacuum or suction dredge equipment (i.e. suction dredging) is defined as the use of a suction system to vacuum material from a river, stream or lake for the extraction of minerals. These regulations do not apply to, prohibit or restrict nonmotorized recreational mining activities, including panning for gold.

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- 61 On May 6, 2015, Lt. Steve McDonald, CDFW, located the suction dredge and saw Dyton GILLILAND
- 62 standing near the suction dredge. The suction dredge was located on the far side of the Klamath River at a
- 63 location below Highway 96 at milepost marker 36.84.

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- 65 On May 7, 2015, at approximately 1000 hours, I, Warden Monty Cervelli, CDFW, along with Lt. Steve
- 66 McDonald, Warden Dan Beck, Warden Matt Renner and Warden Paul Cardoza, CDFW, met at a location
- 67 near Happy Camp.

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- 69 At approximately 1200 hours we responded to the location. GILLILAND's truck, a dark colored Toyota
- 70 Tacoma with Alaska license plate GPK108 was parked at a turnout above the location of the suction dredge.
- 71 There was a Jeep Cherokee with Oregon license plate 121BDK also parked in the same area. Two individuals
- 72 in wetsuits were standing on the river bank below the highway, across the river from the suction dredge. We
- 73 decided to leave the area for approximately 1 hour and return to see if they would begin operating the suction
- 74 dredge.

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- 76 We returned to the location at approximately 1330 hours, and GILLILAND's vehicle was gone. The Jeep
- 77 Cherokee was still at the location as well as another vehicle. We walked down the trail to the river and met
- 78 with Dickey and Cheric Melton. The Melton's were legally mining in the area and were friends with
- 79 GILLILAND. Dickey told me that GILLILAND had left and probably went into Happy Camp. I asked
- 80 Dickey about the suction dredge across the river and he told me the dredge belonged to GILLILAND and that
- 81 he had helped GILLILAND lower the dredge down the steep embankment to the river. After a brief
- 82 conversation both Dickey and Cherie left and went back to their vehicles.

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84 We retrieved the suction dredge from the far side of the river and seized it as evidence.

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86 I inspected the components per 5653.3 of the California Fish & Game Code:

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5653.3. Any person required to possess a permit pursuant to Section 5653 shall present his or her dredging equipment for inspection upon request of a state or county fish and game warden. During my inspection of GILLILAND's suction dredge I found additional violations of section 228(k) of Title Of the California Code of Regulations: Section 5653 shall present his or her dredging equipment for inspection upon request of a state or county fish and game warden. Of the California Code of GILLILAND's suction dredge I found additional violations of section 228(k) of Title Of the California Code of Regulations: (k) Equipment Requirements.						
98 99 100 101 102 103 104 105 106 107 108	unless: (A) The Department has conducted an on-site inspection and approved a larger nozzle size in writing; the maximum inside diameter of the intake nozzle is no larger than six inches, or eight inches where allowable under subdivision (k)(1)(E); and (B) The permittee has a valid suction dredge permit; and (C) The permittee has in their possession documentation of compliance with Fish and Game Code Section 1602, subdivision (a), for the proposed suction dredging operation, including a copy of his/her notification to the Department; any response to the notification by the Department pursuant to Fish and Game Code Section 1602, subdivision (a)(4)(A)(i); and specification from the Department for a vacuum nozzle greater than four inches in diameter if a Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement is required; or					
109	been attached to the intake nozzle. This constricting ring must be of solid, one-piece construction with no openings other than					

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the intake and openings not greater than one inch between the constricting ring and nozzle. It must be welded or otherwise

(E) Suction dredge intake nozzles up to eight inches in diameter may be permitted at the Department's discretion in accordance

permanently attached over the end of the intake nozzle. No quick-release devices are permitted.

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140 While we were working on getting the suction dredge up the embankment GILLILAND arrived at the location.

- 141 At approximately 1500 hours I met with GILLILAND and Dickey Melton at the vehicle parking area.
- 142 GILLILAND told me that the suction dredge belonged to him and that he had been actively using the suction
- 143 dredge in violation of 5653.1(b) of CA Fish & Game Code for the last 3 days. GILLILAND said he had been 144 waiting for us to arrive and take him to jail. I explained to GILLILAND that he was currently in violation of
- 145 5653(d) of the California Fish & Game Code:

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- adjusted under Section 713, when an onsite investigation of the project size is not deemed necessary by the department, and a base fee of one hundred thirty dollars (\$130), as adjusted under Section 713, when the department deems that an onsite investigation is necessary. In the case of a nonresident, the base fee shall be one hundred dollars (\$100), as adjusted under Section 713, when an onsite investigation is not deemed necessary, and a base fee of two hundred twenty dollars (\$220), as adjusted under Section 713, when an onsite investigation is deemed necessary.
- (d) It is unlawful to possess a vacuum or suction dredge in areas, or in or within 100 yards of waters, that are closed to the use of vacuum or suction dredges.

169 I also explained the violations of 228(k) of Title 14 of California Code of Regulations, that I had found when I 170 inspected the suction dredge.

- 172 GILLILAND told me he would not sign a citation and requested to be taken to jail so he could see a judge. I told 173 GILLILAND that he was under arrest and took him into custody.
- 175 At approximately 1515 hours I read GILLILAND his rights under Miranda from my departmentally issued

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DATE OF INCIDENT/OCCURRENCE 05/07/2015	TIME (2400) 1500 Hours	Region #NED Page CITY/COUNTY/JUDICIAL JURISDICTION Happy Camp/Siskiyou
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- 176 Miranda advisement card. GILLILAND told me understood his rights. GILLILAND then told me that the suction dredge belonged to him and that he had been using it. GILLILAND then invoked his right to silence.
- 179 I transported GILLILAND to Siskiyou County Jail where he was booked for 5653(d) of the California Fish and 180 Game Code and 228(k)(4) of Title 14 of the California Code of Regulations.
- 182 GILLILAND's suction dredge system was transported to the Yreka CDFW office where it was secured as evidence. Refer to attached copy of the property receipt.
- 185 This case will be forwarded to the Siskiyou County District Attorney's Office for prosecution.
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SUPPLEMENTAL:

On 05/05/15, I received a call from Dispatch regarding a dredge in the Klamath River below Happy Camp. The reporting party called CalTip (Californians Turn in Poachers and Polluters), DFW's confidential secret witness program that encourages the public to provide DFW with factual information leading to the arrest of poachers and polluters. The caller reported seeing a suction dredge in the Klamath River near Highway 96 mile marker 36.9. The caller told me he saw two males near the dredge, and described the dredge as having yellow pontoons.

On 05/06/15, I responded to the area to look for the dredge and plan for its removal. At that location, I saw a suction dredge with yellow pontoons on the south side of the river. Rich Krimm and John Rose, employees of the New 49'ers, were stopped in a turnout above the dredge location. I spoke with them for a few minutes, and they told me that the dredge belonged to Dyton Gilliland. I knew Gilliland from previous dredging contacts in April and May, 2015. A grey Toyota pickup truck, Alaska license plate GPK108, was parked in the turnout. I recognized that truck as belonging to Gilliland. I looked at the dredge location with binoculars, and saw two men near it. One was Dyton Gilliland, who was dressed in a black wetsuit. I did not recognize the other man, and Krimm and Rose said they did not know him. That man was wearing shorts and a T-shirt. Gilliland was carrying a sluice box, and it appeared he was helping the other man set up to mine on the river bank. I left the area after a few minutes.

At about 1300 hours that afternoon, I returned to the area. I saw that the dredge was being operated, but the operator did not surface, so I could not identify him. Gilliland's truck was still parked in the turnout. There were two men on the north side of the river, but I could not identify them. I videotaped the dredge in operation and left the area, with plans to return with sufficient personnel and equipment to remove the dredge.

When I returned to my office that afternoon, I received an e-mail message from a representative of the Karuk Tribe, reporting the same dredging activity.

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