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To all concerned:

My husband and I have been wine grape growers in the foothills of El Dorado Co. for about 30 years and have seen regulations grow and grow. Also, the costs associated with monitoring these regulations. If you pass this latest "One size fits all" you are currently considering, you are assured of destroying hobby farming and small vineyards. We use drip irrigation, from our own wells in rock fissures, and have no run off anywhere on our acreage.. Why should we be put out of business due to the drought restrictions or contaminants of the valley? Please consider very carefully your ideas on Nitrogen fixation and testing procedures for areas where they are not needed and have no impact on residential neighborhoods or the water quality in the Delta. Thank you.

Sincerely,  
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