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State Water Resources Control Board
1001 I Street
Sacramento, CA
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Dear Members of the Board:

Given the both the toxicity of 1,2,3 TCP and its prevalence in California drinking water sources, I urge you to set a restrictive limit on its presence.

Extensive peer-reviewed research, dating back to at least 1992 -- and validated many times since, indicates adverse affects of TCP on both kidney and liver function, as well as its carcinogenic properties.

Please set the TCP drinking water standard at 5 ppt (the detection limit) to protect public health and allow water systems to recoup water treatment costs from the companies that sold pesticides manufactured with or contaminated by TCP, and from industrial users who fail to dispose of it properly.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely, 

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