**Secretary Laird on the Lake Tahoe Restoration Act**

*SACRAMENTO, Calif.* – California Natural Resources Agency Secretary John Laird issued the following statement on today’s introduction of the Lake Tahoe Restoration Act:

“The Lake Tahoe Restoration Act would build upon the ongoing efforts of California and Nevada and our successful update of the Regional Plan in 2013,” said John Laird, California’s Secretary for Natural Resources. “This bill complements the commitments made by our two states and the private sector to ensure Lake Tahoe’s scenic beauty, environmental restoration and economic health. We commend the efforts of Senators Heller, Reid, Feinstein and Boxer who have worked in a bi-partisan and bi-state approach to address the unique restoration needs of Lake Tahoe.”

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