ARTICLE 6

FLOOD PROTECTION

6.01. FLOOD CONTROL AUTHORITY.—(A)   IN ADDITION
TO AUTHORITY GRANTED ELSEWHERE IN   THIS   COMPACT,   THE
COMMISSION   MAY   PLAN,   DESIGN, CONSTRUCT, OPERATE AND
MAINTAIN PROJECTS AND FACILITIES IT DEEMS NECESSARY OR
DESIRABLE FOR FLOOD DAMAGE REDUCTION, OR MAY RECOMMEND
TO ANY GOVERNMENTAL AGENCY   THAT   IT   UNDERTAKE   FLOOD
DAMAGE REDUCTION ACTIVITIES.

(B)   EXCEPT   AS   OTHERWISE   PROVIDED   BY   THE
COMMISSION,   ALL   PLANS,   PROGRAMS   AND   OPERATING
PROCEDURES,   AND   ALL CHANGES THEREIN, OF EVERY PERSON
OR GOVERNMENTAL AGENCY, RELATING TO EXISTING OR FUTURE
PROJECTS, FACILITIES   OR   STRUCTURES   WITHIN   A   FLOOD
PLAIN   AND WHICH IN THE JUDGMENT OF THE COMMISSION MAY
HAVE ANY EFFECT UPON, OR BE   AFFECTED   BY,   FLOODS   OR
FLOODING   SHALL,   PRIOR   TO   ANY   IMPLEMENTATION   OR
EFFECTUATION THEREOF, BE SUBMITTED TO   THE   COMMISSION
FOR   REVIEW   AND   COMMENT,   AND NO ACTION MAY BE TAKEN
WITH RESPECT TO THE IMPLEMENTATION OR EFFECTUATION   OF
ANY   SUCH   PLANS,   PROGRAMS,   OPERATING   PROCEDURES OR
CHANGES   THEREIN   UNTIL   THE   COMMISSION   HAS   HAD   AN
OPPORTUNITY   TO   COMMENT   THEREON.   THE PROVISIONS OF
THIS SUBSECTION   ARE   NOT   IN   LIEU   OF,   BUT   ARE   IN
ADDITION   TO, ANY PROVISIONS OR REQUIREMENTS CONTAINED
ELSEWHERE IN THIS COMPACT.

(C)   AS PART OF THE COMPREHENSIVE WATER RESOURCES
PLAN THE COMMISSION SHALL DELINEATE FLOOD   PLAINS   AND
CLASSIFY THEM IN TERMS OF THE FREQUENCY OF FLOODING IN
SUCH MANNER AS THE COMMISSION SHALL DETERMINE.

ARTICLE 7

WATERSHED MANAGEMENT

7.01.   MANAGEMENT PRACTICES.—IN DISCHARGING ITS
FUNCTIONS AND DUTIES UNDER SECTION 3.01 THE COMMISSION
SHALL PROMOTE SOUND PRACTICES OF WATERSHED   MANAGEMENT
THROUGHOUT   THE   BASIN, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO,
SOIL CONSERVATION, THE CONTROL OF SURFACE   RUNOFF   AND
PREVENTION   OF EROSION, THE IMPROVEMENT OF THE QUALITY
AND YIELD OF WATER, LAND RECLAMATION   AND   SOUND   LAND
AND   FOREST   MANAGEMENT,   AND   THE   MAINTENANCE   AND
IMPROVEMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE HABITAT.   TO THIS END
THE COMMISSION MAY ACQUIRE, PROVIDE, SPONSOR, MAINTAIN
AND   OPERATE   PROJECTS   AND   FACILITIES   NECESSARY   OR
SUITABLE   THEREFOR, AND SO FAR AS PRACTICABLE SPONSOR,