# CALENDAR ITEM C56

MINUTE ITEM
This Calendar Item No. C5/6
was approved as Minute Item
No. 5/6 by the State Lands
Commission by a vote of 3
to 0 at its 10/17/95
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## JURISDICTIONAL TRANSFER OF EXCESS LANDS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

#### TRANSFEROR:

Department of Transportation Asset Management 1120 N Street Sacramento, California 95814

#### **BACKGROUND:**

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) contacted the Commission's staff in October 1989, regarding two parcels of submerged lands, containing 0.326 acres, acquired by Caltrans in 1972, located in Tomales Bay near the Town of Marshall. Caltrans determined the parcels to be excess lands and would like to dispose of them. Staff conducted a search of office records and concluded that the parcels are located waterward of Tideland Survey 99 Marin County, and are sovereign lands of the State upon its admission to the Union September 9, 1850, under the Equal Footing Doctrine of the United States Constitution.

#### **EXHIBIT:**

A. Location Map

#### AB 884:

N/A

### OTHER PERTINENT INFORMATION:

1. The State has no authority to sell submerged lands lying waterward of the ordinary low tide pursuant to its admission to the Union and Section 7991 of the Public Resources Code. Therefore, in the best interest of both agencies, Caltrans will transfer control and possession of the parcels to the State Lands Commission as provided by Section 14673 of the Government Code of the State of California.



