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Programmatic Regulations Guiding Principles

The Programmatic Regulations shall:

- *Be promulgated through an open and inclusive process, including the Tribes, other Federal and State agencies, local governments, interest groups, and the public;*
- *Be published as a final regulation not later than December 2002;*
- *Establish a process to ensure that the goals and purposes of the Comprehensive Everglades Restoration Plan (CERP) are achieved;*
- *Establish a process for development of project implementation reports, project cooperation agreements, and operating manuals;*
- *Establish processes that ensure opportunities for participation by the Tribes, other Federal and State agencies, local governments, interest groups, and the public;*
- *Establish a process to ensure that development of project implementation reports, project cooperation agreements, and operating manuals are integrated and coordinated with specific state and South Florida Water Management District laws, regulations, and procedures required to implement CERP;*
- *Establish a process for ensuring that new information is considered fully and integrated into CERP implementation;*
- *Not establish specific quantities of water to be achieved by the CERP or its features;*
- *Establish a process for the periodic review of the programmatic regulations;*
- *(Principle on interim goals to be developed).*