

**Change Request Number: 11BON011**

**Date: 11/4/2010**

**Proposed by:** BON Fisheries

**Location of Change:** BON section 2.5.1.1.m.

**Proposed Change: m.** At PH1, ~~B1A~~, ~~C1B~~ and 10B should remain open from December 01 through the end of February. This operation is intended to facilitate steelhead kelt passage.

**Accepted Change: m.** At PH1, ~~B1A~~, ~~C1B~~ and 10B should remain open from December 01 through the end of February. This operation is intended to facilitate steelhead kelt passage.

**Reason for Change:** Correct manual chain gate openings for Winter Maintenance Operations. Chain gates 1A and 1B set at 71' and 73' msl, respectively, are the open chain gates over Unit 1.

**Comments from others:**

NOAA Fisheries- Agree with change 1B to 1A, however, I question the use of gate 1B when this gate doesn't track forebay changes and can often be rather shallow. We suggest using the automated gate at 6C (once it is fixed) – this should be an FPOM discussion.

USFWS- Support NOAA's recommendation to use gate 6C, when available, in place of gate 1B. Continue discussion at FPOM as needed.

CRITFC- add additional automated gates.

**Record of Final Action: Project will use 6C instead of 1B. Approved at 21 January 2011 meeting.**