FISH PATHOLOGIST REPORT

Location
Iron Gate Fish Hatchery

Species
Steelhead (size ≈ 45 / lb, site balance ≈ 41,800)

Date
October 27, 2008

Holding Area
A1

Parasites and Disease Condition
Low levels of *Ichthyobodo necator* (costia) were observed in wet mounts of skin and gill scrapes from normal appearing fish. Most fish in this holding area had dorsal fin erosion. Internally, all organs appeared unremarkable.

Recommendations
1) If losses increase, treat with a one hour KMnO₄ treatment pumped in at 2 ppm. Perform 3-4 separate treatments. Watch for signs of intolerance. Do not feed fish the morning of the treatment and for several hours after treatment.

Comments
Water temperature is approx. 56°F

It is the responsibility of Iron Gate Fish Hatchery to comply with any applicable water quality discharge regulations while performing treatments.

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