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Senator Steve Symms
U. S. Senate
Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear Senator Symms:

I understand that President Reagan's FY82 budget did not include funding for University Cooperative Research Units which are administered by the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service. These "Units" are the basic higher educational element that trains wildlife and fisheries scientists. It is vitally important that funding for the "Units" continue. I strongly urge you to work for continued funding for this educational endeavor. If you do not believe "Units" should be funded, I would like an explanation of the rationale of your decision.

Sincerely,

Jay Gore,
President, Idaho Chapter

cc: The Wildlife Society national office