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SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination pursuant to Public Resources Code section 21108

State Clearinghouse Number: 2015102005

Project Title: Marlak Water Diversions and Stream Crossings (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2019-0873-R1)

Project Location (include county): The project is located within the Little Van Duzen River watershed, approximately four miles southwest of the town of Dinsmore, County of Humboldt, State of California. The project is located in Sections 13, 19, and 24, T1N, R4E, Humboldt Base and Meridian; in the Larabee Valley U.S. Geological Survey 7.5-minute quadrangle; Assessor's Parcel Numbers 210-250-009 and 210-250-031; latitude 40.4532 N and longitude 123.6607 W at the first point of diversion (POD-1); latitude 40.4584 N and longitude 123.6766 W at the second point of diversion (POD-2); latitude 40.4550 N and longitude 123.6699 W at the third point of diversion (POD-3).

Project Description: The project is limited to 15 encroachments. Three encroachments are for water diversion for commercial irrigation purposes. Work for the water diversions will include use and maintenance of water diversion infrastructure. The 12 other proposed encroachments are to upgrade failing and undersized stream crossings. Work for these encroachments will include excavation, removal of fill material and/or failing culverts, replacement with new properly designed crossings, backfilling and compaction of fill, and rock armoring as necessary to minimize erosion.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as the Lead Agency / a Responsible Agency approved the above described project and has made the following determinations regarding the project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (i):

1. The project will not have a significant effect on the environment. This determination is limited to effects within CDFW's permitting jurisdiction as a Responsible Agency.
2. A mitigated negative declaration / negative declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
CDFW considered the mitigated negative declaration / negative declaration prepared by the Lead Agency for this project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (f).
3. Mitigation measures were / were not made a condition of CDFW's approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan was / was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
5. A Statement of Overriding Considerations was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
6. Findings were not made by CDFW pursuant to Public Resources Code section 21081, subdivision (a).

The mitigated negative declaration / negative declaration prepared for the project is available to the general public at the office location listed above for the Lead Agency. CDFW's record related to the Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement is available to the public for review at CDFW's regional office.

Signature _____ Date: _____

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Date Received for filing at OPR: **MAY 12 2020**

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