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

State Clearinghouse Number: 2015102005

Project Title: Arias Project 3000 Water Diversion (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2019-0570-R1)

Project Location: The project to be completed is located within the Eel River watershed, approximately 7 miles west of the town of Garberville, County of Humboldt, State of California. The project is located in Section 7, T04S, R05E, Humboldt Base and Meridian; in the Fort Seward U.S. Geological Survey 7.5-minute quadrangle; Assessor's Parcel Number 216-393-015; latitude 40.1337N and longitude -123.6626W at the point of diversion (POD).

Project Description: The project consists of 1 encroachment: This Agreement relies on the Notification materials a desk review without a CDFW site inspection. The project is limited to 1 encroachment. The encroachment is for water diversion from unnamed tributaries to Powers Creek. Water is diverted for domestic use and irrigation. Work for the water diversion will include use and maintenance of the water diversion infrastructure.

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 \Box was / \boxtimes 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 \boxtimes mitigated negative declaration / \square 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:

Cheri Sanville, Senior Environmental Scientist Supervisor

Date Received for filing at OPR:

