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

State Clearinghouse Number: 2015102005

Project Title: Hoine Water Diversion and Remediation Project (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. EPIMS-HUM-09348-R1)

Project Location (include county): The project is located within the Van Duzen River watershed, approximately one-half mile northwest of Swains Flat, County of Humboldt, State of California; Section 7, T1N, R3E, Humboldt Base and Meridian, in the Bridgeville U.S. Geological Survey 7.5-minute quadrangle; Assessor's Parcel Number 207-086-004; latitude 40.4790 N and longitude 123.8781 W at the first point of diversion for use (POD-1); latitude 40.4769 N and longitude 123.8720 W at the second point of diversion planned for decommissioning (POD-2).

Project Description: The project is limited to two encroachments. One encroachment is for water diversion from an unnamed tributary to the Van Duzen River (POD-1). Water shall be diverted for domestic use and irrigation. Work for the water diversion will include the use and installation of water diversion infrastructure to comply with the measures of this Agreement. The second encroachment shall dismantle and remove water diversion infrastructure identified as POD-2; no diversion from this location shall be authorized by this Agreement.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as in the Lead Agency / in 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.
- A ☐ mitigated negative declaration / ☐ negative declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

CDFW considered the initigated negative declaration / inegative 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

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Date: 3/12/2021

Scott Bauer, Senior Environmental Scientist Supervisor

Date Received for filing at OPR: _