NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

(Categorical)

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WATER SYSTEM #: 4310011

PROJECT TITLE: Operation of San Jose Water Company, McLaughlin Ave. Station Wells 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, & 6

LEAD AGENCY: State Water Resources Control Board

CONTACT PERSON: Eric Lacy PHONE NUMBER: 510-620-3474.

PROJECT LOCATION: 1107 & 1095 Carnelian Drive, in the City of San Jose, in the County of Santa Clara.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) as the lead agency will be issuing a water supply permit. The San Jose Water Company proposes to replace twelve (12) retired wells with six (6) new wells of equal capacity drawing from the same aquifer. Each new well will have a 1,800 gallon per minute capacity. The replacement wells will be about 700 feet deep and will be screened to draw water from depths ranging from 245 feet to 672 feet.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING PROJECT AND CARRYING OUT PROJECT: This is to advise that the State Water Board has determined that the project is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act and will issue an operational drinking water supply permit for the operation of the above described project. A record of permit issuance for the project is available to the general public at the State Water Board Division of Drinking Water District office noted above.

Categorical Exemption Status:

X

Class 1 Existing Facilities (CCR, Title 14, Sec 15301 and Title 22, Section 60101)

Reason why project is exempt:

The Project is exempt because the construction of Wells 1 through 6 consists of the minor alteration and permitting of existing facilities involving no expansion of use.

Pursuant to the California Fish and Wildlife Code, Section 711.4(d)(1), the CDFW environmental review filing fees do not apply. Signature: Name: Eric Lacv Title: Santa Clara District Engineer

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