## Notice of Exemption

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From: Department of Fish and Wildlife Inland Deserts Region 3602 Inland Empire Blvd., Suite C-220 Ontario, CA 91764 Contact: Kimberly Romich Phone: (909) 980-3818

**Project Title:** 1K210 State Route 38 Culvert Replacement and Slope Stabilization Project (Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2019-0013-R6)

**Project Location:** The project includes drainages at Post-Mile (PM) 15.09, 15.35, 15.40, and 15.55 that are located along State Route 38 in the San Bernardino National Forest, approximately 2 miles west of Forest Falls, San Bernardino County.

**Project Description:** The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Streambed Alteration Agreement number 1600-2019-0013-R6, pursuant to section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, California Department of Transportation. The project is limited to the removal and replacement of four existing culverts at the locations described above. Project implementation will result in temporary disturbance to 0.22 acre of Fish and Game Code section 1602 resources.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Department of Fish and Wildlife

Exempt Status: Class 1, § 15301 (b), Existing Facilities; Class 2, § 15302 (c), Replacement or Reconstruction.

Reasons why project is exempt: The project involves the replacement of existing culverts.

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