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Established in 1938

NOTICE OF DETERMINATION (Public Resources Code section 21108)

File Ref: W 27136 SCH#: 2019049159 Item: C15

Title: RTI Infrastructure, Inc. Manchester Subsea Cables Project

Proponent: RTI Infrastructure, Inc.

Location: 20 acres, more or less, of sovereign land in the Pacific Ocean, near Manchester, Mendocino County.

Description: The Project would install subsea fiber optic cables for telecommunication services connecting California to four different locations in Asia and Australia. The Project includes installation of structures on land (terrestrial) and in ocean (marine) just north of unincorporated town of Manchester, Mendocino County. The Project involves installing four 5-to 6-inch-diameter steel conduits offshore, primarily through horizontal directional drilling extending approximately 0.6 miles offshore from an onshore landing site and installing approximately 10 miles of underground conduits onshore on both sides of the State Route 1 and other public roads to one of three cable landing stations in Manchester. The State Lands Commission action is an approval of a 25-year General Lease – Right of Way through 2044.

This is to advise that the California State Lands Commission, as \boxtimes Lead Agency \square Responsible Agency, approved the above described project on June 28, 2019, and made the following determinations regarding the project.

- 1) The project \Box will \boxtimes will not have a significant effect on the environment.
- 2) A 🛛 Mitigated Negative Declaration was adopted for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
- 3) Mitigation measures \boxtimes were \square were not made a condition of the approval of the project.
- 4) A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan \boxtimes was or \square was not adopted for this project.
- 5) A Statement of Overriding Considerations \Box was \boxtimes was not adopted for the project.
- 6) Findings \Box were \boxtimes were not made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

The Mitigated Negative Declaration and Mitigation Monitoring Program prepared for this project by the California State Lands Commission and adopted on June 28, 2019, and the record of project approval, may be examined at the above shown California State Lands Commission Sacramento office address.

DATE RECEIVED FOR FILING AND POSTING BY THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF PLANNING AND RESEARCH

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NOTICE

Each project applicant shall remit to the county clerk the environmental filing fee before or at the time of filing a Notice of Determination (Pub. Resources Code, § 21152; Fish & G. Code, § 711.4, subdivision (d); Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, § 753.5). Without the appropriate fee, statutory or categorical exemption, or a valid No Effect Determination issued by the California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW), the Notice of Determination is not operative, vested, or final, and shall not be accepted by the county clerk.

COUNTY DOCUMENTARY HANDLING FEE

The county clerk may charge a documentary handling fee of fifty dollars (\$50) per filing in addition to the environmental filing fee (Fish & G. Code, § 711.4, subd. (e); Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, § 753.5, subd. (g)(1)). A county board of supervisors shall have the authority to increase or decrease the fee or charge, that is otherwise authorized to be levied by another provision of law, in the amount reasonably necessary to recover the cost of providing any product or service or the cost of enforcing any regulation for which the fee or charge is levied (Gov. Code, § 54985, subd. (a)).

COLLECTION PROCEDURES FOR COUNTY GOVERNMENTS

Filing Notice of Determination (NOD):

- Collect environmental filing fee or copy of previously issued cash receipt. (Do not collect fee if project applicant presents a No Effect Determination signed by CDFW. An additional fee is required for each separate environmental document. An addendum is not considered a separate environmental document. Checks should be made payable to the county.)
- □ Issue cash receipt to project applicant.
- Attach copy of cash receipt and, if applicable, previously issued cash receipt, to NOD.
- Mail filing fees for CRP document to CDFW prior to filing the NOD or equivalent final approval (Cal. Code Regs. Tit. 14, § 753.5 (b)(5)). The CRP should request receipt from CDFW to show proof of payment for filing the NOD or equivalent approval. Please mail payment to address below made attention to the Cash Receipts Unit of the Accounting Services Branch.

If the project applicant presents a No Effect Determination signed by CDFW, also:

Attach No Effect Determination to NOD (no environmental filing fee is due).

Filing Notice of Exemption (NOE) (Statutorily or categorically exempt project (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, §§ 15260-15285, 15300-15333))

Attach copy of cash receipt to NOE (no environmental filing fee is due).

Within 30 days after the end of each month in which the environmental filing fees are collected, each county shall summarize and record the amount collected on the monthly State of California Form No. CA25 (TC31) and remit the amount collected to the State Treasurer. Identify the remittance on Form No. CA25 as "Environmental Document Filing Fees" per Fish and Game Code section 711.4.

The county clerk shall mail the following documents to CDFW on a monthly basis:

- ✓ A photocopy of the monthly State of California Form No. CA25 (TC31)
- ✓ CDFW/ASB copies of all cash receipts (including all voided receipts)
- ✓ A copy of all CDFW No Effect Determinations filed in lieu of fee payment
- ✓ A copy of all NODs filed with the county during the preceding month
- A list of the name, address and telephone number of all project applicants for which an NOD has been filed. If this information is contained on the cash receipt filed with CDFW under California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 753.5, subdivision (e)(6), no additional information is required.

DOCUMENT RETENTION

The county shall retain two copies of the cash receipt (for lead agency and county clerk) and a copy of all documents described above for at least 12 months.

RECEIPT NUMBER

- # The first two digits automatically populate by making the appropriate selection in the County/State Agency of Filing drop down menu.
- # The next eight digits automatically populate when a date is entered.
- # The last three digits correspond with the sequential order of issuance for each calendar year. For example, the first receipt number issued on January 1 should end in 001. If a county issued 252 receipts for the year ending on December 31, the last receipt number should end in 252. CDFW recommends that counties and state agencies 1) save a local copy of this form, and 2) track receipt numbers on a spreadsheet tabbed by month to ensure accuracy.

DO NOT COMBINE THE ENVIRONMENTAL FEES WITH THE STATE SHARE OF FISH AND WILDLIFE FEES.

Mail to: California Department of Fish and Wildlife Accounting Services Branch P.O. Box 944209 Sacramento, California 94244-2090