

Notice of Exemption

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Project Title: TD1536252 Crowley 12kV Mammoth Convict Deteriorated Pole Replacement Project (Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2019-0227-R6)

Project Location (include county): The project is located within unnamed wetlands in the Convict Creek floodplain, tributary to the Owens River, 8.3 miles southeast of the City of Mammoth Lakes, County of Mono; State of California.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement number 1600-2019-0227-R6, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to California. The TD1536252 Crowley 12kV Mammoth Convict Deteriorated Pole Replacement Project is limited to the removal and replacement of two deteriorated wood poles (SCE Poles 424427S and 424428S). New poles will be accessed by foot and set by helicopter. Project implementation will result in temporary impact to 0.01 acres (40 linear feet) of Fish and Game Code section 1602 resources.

Public Agency Approving Project: California Department of Fish and Wildlife

Person or Public Agency Carrying Out Project: Southern California Edison.

Exempt Status: Categorical Exemption. Class 1 § 15301 (b), Existing Facilities

Reasons why project is exempt: The project is limited to the removal and replacement of deteriorated power poles.

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