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**Project Title:** Mandelov Stream Crossing Project (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2019-0325-R1)

**Project Location (include county):** The project to be completed is located within the Dry Creek and Mattole River watershed, approximately 9.9 miles west of the town of Myers Flat, County of Humboldt, State of California. The project is located in Section 27, T2S, R1E, Humboldt Base and Meridian; in the Bull Creek U.S. Geological Survey 7.5-minute quadrangle; Assessor's Parcel Number 107-056-003, 107-234-013, 107-234-014, and 107-300-008; latitude 40.26 N and longitude 124.056 W.

**Project Description:** The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement number 1600-2019-0325-R1, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to Guergui Mandelov.

The five proposed encroachments are to upgrade failing and undersized culverts. Work for these encroachments will include excavation, removal of the failing culvert, replacement with new properly sized culvert, backfilling and compaction of fill, and rock armoring as necessary to minimize erosion.

Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

Person or Public Agency Carrying Out Project: Guergui Mandelov

**Exempt Status:** 

Ш	Statutory Exemption. State code number		
$\boxtimes$	Categorical Exemption. Type – Class 1; California Code of Regulations, title 14,	section '	1530

**Reasons why project is exempt:** The proposed encroachment is to upgrade a failing and undersized culvert. There would be no significant adverse impact on endangered, rare or threatened species or their habitat pursuant to section 15065. There are no hazardous materials at or around the project site that may be disturbed or removed. The project will not result in impacts that are significant when viewed in connection with the effects of past projects, the effects of other current projects, and the effects of probable future projects.

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