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Notice of Exemption

To: Office of Planning and Research
State Clearinghouse
1400 Tenth Street, Room 113 [IMS: A-08]
Sacramento, CA 95814

From: Department of Fish and Wildlife
WILDLIFE CONSERVATION BOARD
P.O. Box 944209
Sacramento, CA 94244-2090

County Clerk (County of): N/A

Attention: Alexa Dunn

Project Title: Pena Creek Flow Enhancement Prioritization Project

Project Applicant: Wildlife Conservation Board (WCB)

Project Location - Specific: Pena Creek watershed, project activities may occur in, and adjacent to, Pena, Pechaco, Woods, Dead Coyote, and Redwood Log creeks.

Project Location - City: Healdsburg

Project Location - County: Sonoma

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project: This scientific study will generate hydrologic, water quality, and habitat data and human water demand estimates needed to identify, prioritize, and develop future stream flow enhancement projects in the Pena Creek watershed.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Department of Fish and Wildlife, WCB

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: John P. Donnelly, Executive Director, WCB

Exempt Status:

- Ministerial (Sec. 15268):
- Declared Emergency [Sec. 15269 (a)]:
- Emergency Project [Sec. 15269 (b) and (c)]:
- Categorical Exemption. State Section number and type:
- Statutory Exemptions: Section 15262; feasibility or planning studies for possible future actions that the agency has not approved, adopted or funded.

Reasons why project is exempt: Project involves only environmental analysis or planning studies for possible future actions which the agency, board, or commission has not approved, adopted, or funded.

Lead Agency Contact Person: John P. Donnelly

Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (916) 445-0137

If filed by applicant:

1. Attach certified document of exemption finding.
2. Has a notice of exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? Yes (by this notice) No

DocuSigned by:
 Signature: John Donnelly Date: 4/2/2020 Title: Executive Director
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Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.
Reference: Section 21108, 21152, 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

Date received for Filing:

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