

Notice of Exemption

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State Clearinghouse Number: N/A

Project Title: SCE TD1566527 Santa Clara Wash-Piru Deteriorated Transmission Pole Replacement Project (Streambed Alteration Agreement No.1600-2020-0025-R5).

Project Location: The Project is located within the Santa Clara River, approximately 1 mile south of the city of Piru, Ventura County, State of California; Section 29, Township 4 North, Range 18 West, United States Geological Survey (USGS) 7.5 Minute Quad Map Piru, SBB&M;

Location 1 – Pole 901548E: Latitude 34.396300 North, Longitude -118.793962 West
Location 2 – Pole 901547E: Latitude 34.396284 North, Longitude -118.794026 West

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Streambed Alteration Agreement number 1600-2020-0025-R5, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to Southern California Edison.

The proposed Project involves replacing two (2) 75-foot transmission wood poles (Poles 901548E and 901547E) and two (2) metal caissons with like-for-like structures on the Barrington – 16kV Fillmore-Sub Distribution Circuit. Structures will be removed by hand and heavy equipment. Poles will be set by helicopter.

Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

Person or Public Agency Carrying Out Project: Southern California Edison

Exempt Status:

- Statutory Exemption.
- Categorical Exemption. Type – Class 1 (b); California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 15301

Reasons why project is exempt: The Project includes the maintenance of an existing facility of a publicly-owned utility used to provide electric power, natural gas, sewerage, or other public utility services with no expansion of use. No trees will be removed. The Project will not have significant environmental impacts if it is completed under the protective features of Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2020-0025-R5.

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