Notice of Exemption

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Project Title: Alexandria & Five Mile Slough Culvert Replacement (Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification No. SJN-19161-R2)

Project Location: The Project is located on Five Mile Slough where it crosses Alexandria Place, County of San Joaquin, State of California; Latitude 38.012806, Longitude -121.339744; Section 20, Township 02N, Range 06E, U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) map Lodi South, Mount Diablo Meridian.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification No. SJN-19161-R2, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, City of Stockton, as represented by Mohammad Sadiq. The Project is limited to the removal and replacement of the existing culvert that runs underneath Alexandria Place on Five Mile Slough.

Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

Person or Public Agency Carrying out Project: City of Stockton

Exempt Status:

Reasons why project is exempt: Class 2, section 15302; The project is exempt because it consists of the replacement of an existing culvert where the new culvert will be located on the same site as the culvert replaced and will have substantially the same purpose. Class 4, section 15304; The project is exempt because it consists of a minor alteration of land, which does not include the removal of healthy, mature, or scenic trees.

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