Notice of Exemption Appendix E

TO: Office of Planning and Research State Clearinghouse P.O. Box 3044, Room 113 Sacramento, CA 95812-3044 **FROM:** Central Valley Flood Protection Board 3310 El Camino Avenue, Suite 170 Sacramento, CA 95821

Project Title: Permit No. 19629: Existing Fence Relocation

Project Applicant (if any): Hospice of San Joaquin

Project Location/Address/City/County: The project is located approximately 350 feet southwest of the West Essex Street and Barrymore Street intersection in the City of Stockton, at 37.983700°N, 121.308600°W, San Joaquin County Flood Control and Water Conservation District, Calaveras River, San Joaquin County.

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project: To remove approximately 460 feet of ornamental fencing from the Calaveras River levee toe and reinstate the encroachment 15 feet from the landside levee toe.

Public Agency Approving Project: Central Valley Flood Protection Board (CVFPB)

Public Agency/Person Carrying Out Project: Central Valley Flood Protection Board (CVFPB)

Exempt Status:
☐ Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
☐ Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
☐ Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
☐ Common Sense Exemption (CEQA Sec 15061(b)(3))
☑ Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: <u>§ 15301 Existing Facilities</u>
□ Statutory Exemption. State code number:

Reasons Why Project is Exempt:

Board staff has determined that the project is exempt from CEQA under the Class 1, Existing Facilities categorical exemption (CEQA Guidelines § 15301), because the activity consists of permitting existing private facilities. No expansion of existing or former use will occur. Further, none of the exceptions to the exemption in CEQA Guidelines § 15300.2 apply.

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ORIGINAL SIGNED BY:			5/3/2022
Signature	Leslie M. Gallagher, Executive Officer		Date
⊠ Signed by Lead Agency		☐ Signed by Responsible Agency	Date Received for filing at OPR:

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