Notice of Exemption

To:

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From:

Department of Fish and Wildlife 1701 Nimbus Road Rancho Cordova, CA 95670



Street Address: 1400 Tenth Street Sacramento, CA 95814

Project Title: Sutter Creek Bank Stabilization (Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification No. AMA-26171-R2)

Project Location: The project is located at Sutter Creek, in the County of Amador, State of California; Latitude 38.34893 Longitude -120.94442.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification Number AMA-26171-R2, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, John Hay.

The project involves the removal of a felled and decaying tree and the placement of clean, rock slope protection for approximately 80 feet of bank, extending between 10 to 15 feet up the exposed bank to prevent catastrophic bank failure.

Public Agency Approving Project: <u>CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND</u> WILDLIFE

Person or Public Agency Carrying out Project: John Hay

Exempt Status:

Reasons why project is exempt: The project is exempt under section 15304 because it involves minor alterations to land which do not involve removal of healthy, mature, or scenic trees.

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