Notice of Determination

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Lead Agency:

Department of Forestry and Fire Protection 6105 Airport Road Redding, CA 96003 Contact: Jonathan Woessner Phone: (530) 224-2481

SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination pursuant to Public Resources Code section 21108

Project Title: Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2022-0008-R2 ("Musty Buck" Timber Harvesting Plan 2-18-00156-BUT, Sierra Pacific Industries)

Project Location: The projects are located within the boundaries of a timber harvesting plan in Butte County, within CALWATER watersheds Bear Lake, Rock Creek, and West Branch Mud Creek and their connecting tributaries; Township 25N, Range 2E, Section 36 U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) Quad Map Cohasset; Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

Project Description: The projects are limited to the abandonment of an existing Class II drafting site (MP 6) and the construction of a new Class II drafting site (MP 8).

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as a Responsible Agency, approved the above described project on the date signed below and has made the following determinations regarding the project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (i):

- 1. The project will not have a significant effect on the environment. This determination is limited to effects within CDFW's permitting jurisdiction as a Responsible Agency.
- 2. CDFW considered the imitigated negative declaration / inegative declaration / imber harvesting plan prepared by the Lead Agency for this project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (f).
- 3. Mitigation measures 🖾 were / 🗌 were not made a condition of CDFW's approval of the project.
- 4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan <u>was / was not</u> adopted by CDFW for this project.
- 5. A statement of overriding considerations was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
- 6. Findings were not made by CDFW pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15091.

The \Box mitigated negative declaration / \Box negative declaration / \boxtimes timber harvesting plan prepared for the project is available to the general public at the office location listed above for the Lead Agency. CDFW's record of project approval as Responsible Agency is available at CDFW's regional office.

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Signature: 9B19B469F9A3414.

Date: 10/28/2022

Jennifer Garcia, Environmental Program Manager