

**Notice of Determination**

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

**State Clearinghouse Number:** 2002032048

**Project Title:** Denmark Natural Soda Ash Export Terminal Project (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. EPIMS-SJN-13230-R3)

**Project Location (include county):** The project is located at the San Joaquin River and a Port drainage channel, in the County of San Joaquin, State of California; Latitude 37.958664, Longitude -121.372336; Assessor's Parcel Number 162-003-007. The project is located on the western side of Rough and Ready Island at the Port of Stockton. The San Joaquin River shoreline project component is located at Berths 18 and 19 near the intersection of Cromwell Avenue and Daly Drive, Stockton, CA.

**Project Description:** The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement number EPIMS-SJN-13230-R3, pursuant to section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, Port of Stockton.

The project is limited to development of a natural soda ash terminal and remediation of historically contaminated sites within its footprint and a 20-foot offset area. The proposed Denmark terminal will receive vessels and include new shiploaders at Berths 18 and 19; construct crew parking and quarters buildings, administration/maintenance support buildings, transfer conveyors, seismic and transfer towers, and storage facilities; and construct a rail loop and railcar unloading building in the westernmost portion of the West Complex.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as a Responsible Agency, approved the above described project on August 19, 2021 and has made the following determinations regarding the project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (i):

1. The project  will /  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 environmental impact report 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  was /  was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
5. A statement of overriding considerations  was /  was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
6. Findings  were /  were not made by CDFW pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15091.

The final environmental impact report 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.

DocuSigned by:  
**Signature** Melissa Farinha

**Date:** 8/19/2021

Melissa Farinha, Environmental Program Manager

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Date Received for filing at OPR: \_\_\_\_\_