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

**State Clearinghouse Number:** 2016112028

**Project Title:** Levin Water Diversions and Stream Crossings Project (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2020-0315-R1)

**Project Location:** The project is located on unnamed tributaries to Rattlesnake Creek, within the Upper South Fork Eel watershed, approximately 7.5 miles southeast of the town of Leggett, County of Mendocino, State of California; Section 19, T23N, R15W, Humboldt Base and Meridian, in the Tan Oak Park U.S. Geological Survey 7.5-minute quadrangle; Assessor's Parcel Number (APN) 053-490-07-00; latitude 39.83404954° N and longitude 123.5820969° W.

**Project Description:** The project is limited to three existing diversions, one crossing upgrade, one crossing decommissioning, and one section of stream restoration.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as  the Lead Agency /  a Responsible Agency approved the above described project 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. A  mitigated negative declaration /  negative declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.  
CDFW considered the  mitigated negative declaration /  negative declaration 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 not adopted by CDFW for this project.
6. Findings were not made by CDFW pursuant to Public Resources Code section 21081, subdivision (a).

The  mitigated negative declaration /  negative declaration prepared for the project is available to the general public at the office location listed above for the Lead Agency. CDFW's record related to the Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement is available to the public for review at CDFW's regional office.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Donna Cobb, Senior Environmental Scientist Supervisor

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