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

State Clearinghouse Number: 2016112028

Project Title: Miller Bridge Replacement and Water Diversion Project (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. EPIMS-MEN-16103-R1)

Project Location: The project is located within the McCoy Creek watershed, approximately 1 mile southeast of the town of Piercy, County of Mendocino, State of California; Assessor's Parcel Number 053-160-12.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement number EPIMS-MEN-16103-R1, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to Nathaneal Miller. The project is limited to two encroachments. One encroachment is for water diversion from McCoy Creek (Class I). Water is diverted for domestic use only. Work for the water diversion will include use and maintenance of the water diversion infrastructure consistent with the terms of this Agreement. The other proposed encroachment shall upgrade an existing bridge crossing. Work for this encroachment will include excavation, removal/replacement of bridge infrastructure and debris, and rock armoring as necessary to minimize erosion.

Determination: 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.

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