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**NOTICE OF DETERMINATION
(Public Resources Code section 21108)**

SCH#: 2012082074

Item: 33

Title: Tomales Bay Vessel Management Plan

Proponent: Starbird Mariculture Inc. – A2386

Location: Sovereign land in Tomales Bay, Marin County

Description: The Tomales Bay Vessel Management Plan (TBVMP) is the result of a long-term multi-agency effort to streamline and coordinate vessel management activities for the benefit of the public. The TBVMP aims to improve water quality, protect wildlife and habitat, protect public health and ensure recreational opportunities in Tomales Bay. It also implements the mandates and regulations of both Gulf of the Farallones National Marine Sanctuary and California State Lands Commission (CSLC). The CSLC action is issuing an 8-year General Lease – Commercial Use for vessel mooring facility(ies) consistent with the TBVMP to Starbird Mariculture, Inc.

This is to advise that the California State Lands Commission, as Lead Agency Responsible Agency, approved the above described project on August 20, 2020, and made the following determinations regarding the project.

- 1) The project will will not have a significant effect on the environment.
- 2) A Negative Declaration (ND) was adopted for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
- 3) Mitigation measures were were not made a condition of the approval of the project.
- 4) A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan was or was not adopted for this project.
- 5) A Statement of Overriding Considerations was was not adopted for the project.
- 6) Findings were were not made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

The Negative Declaration (ND) was prepared for this project by the CSLC and adopted on April 26, 2013. At this time, the Commission's offices are closed to the public due to public health and safety concerns regarding the Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19). Please contact Commission staff for the most up-to-date information on the availability of the ND and the record of project approval.

**DATE RECEIVED FOR FILING AND POSTING BY THE
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