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SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination pursuant to Public Resources Code § 21108
State Clearinghouse Number: 2018062037

Project Title: Pacific Gas and Electric Company Eagle Ridge Access Road Repair Project [California Endangered Species Act (CESA) Incidental Take Permit No. 2081-2016-038-03 (ITP)].

Project Location: The Eagle Ridge Access Road Repair Project (Project) is located within the Eagle Ridge Preserve, at 8876 Manning Road, north of the City of Livermore, Alameda County The center of Project activity is located approximately 0.6 miles east of Collier Canyon Road and 3.75 miles west of Vasco Road.

Project Description: Pacific Gas & Electric Company (PG&E) will rebuild an asphalt access road to the North Dublin Transmission Terminal, collapse and fill three hillside sinkholes, and repair two stormwater runoff areas. The Project will repair road condition, ensuring PG&E has access to the Terminal and enabling it to operate and maintain its facility. Completion of the Project would ensure the long-term function and safety of the access road and improve the surrounding area within the Preserve.

The Project will result in temporary impacts to 2.648 acres of California tiger salamander (Ambystoma californiense) habitat. The Project is expected to result in incidental take of California tiger salamander, which is designated as a threatened species under CESA. The ITP referenced above as issued by CDFW authorizes incidental take of species listed under CESA that may occur as a result of Project implementation.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as [] the lead agency / [] a responsible agency] approved the above-described project on 8-12-19 and made the following determinations regarding the above described project:

- 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. [] An environmental impact report / [] A negative declaration was prepared by the lead agency for the original project.
3. Additional 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 Public Resources Code § 21081(a). CDFW did, however, adopt findings to document its compliance with CEQA.

The Mitigated Negative Declaration prepared for the Project is available to the general public at the office location listed above. CDFW's record related to the Incidental Take Permit is available to the public for review at CDFW's regional office.

Signature [Handwritten Signature] Date: 8-12-19
Gregg Erickson, Regional Manager

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