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

State Clearinghouse Number: 2017042022

Project Title: Boyadzhiev Water Diversion and Stream Crossings Project (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. EPIMS-HUM-44688-R1C)

Project Location: The project is located approximately 9 miles east of the Town of Garberville; affecting one unnamed tributary to Eel River in the County of Humboldt, State of California; Section 33, Township T5S, Range R5E; Humboldt Base and Meridian, in the Harris, Calif. 7.5-minute quadrangle, U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) map; Assessor's Parcel Number: 216-094-009.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement number EPIMS-HUM-44688-R1C, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to Petar Boyadzhiev. The Project is limited to four encroachments. Two encroachments are for water diversion from on-stream ponds located on unnamed class III tributaries to Jewett Creek. Water is diverted for irrigation use. Work for the water diversion will include use and maintenance of the water diversion infrastructure. One proposed encroachment is to upgrade an existing culvert. Work for this encroachment will include excavation, removal of the existing culvert, replacement with new properly sized culvert, backfilling and compaction of fill, rock armoring as necessary to minimize erosion, and restoration of a daylighted stream channel. The last encroachment includes a sediment basin, pond decommissioning, stream channel restoration, and the removal of a liner on an on-stream pond. Work for this encroachment will include excavation and construction of the historic stream channel, rock armoring as necessary for grade control, and the application of erosion control (straw and native seed) to the newly exposed pond banks.

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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