

Notice of Exemption

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Project Title: TD1491994 San Gorgonio River Pole Replacement Project (Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2019-0111-R6)

Project Location: The project is located within San Gorgonio River, tributary to Salton Sea, approximately 300 feet south of Pipeline Road and 360 feet east of Westward Avenue, southwest of the town of Cabazon, in the County of Riverside, State of California.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Streambed Alteration Agreement number 1600-2019-0111-R6, pursuant to section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, Southern California Edison. The project is limited to the removal and replacement of one existing wood distribution pole (Pole 9590CWT) at the location described above. Personnel, vehicles, and equipment will access the site by traveling approximately 360 feet through San Gorgonio River from Westward Avenue. Project implementation will result in disturbance to 0.045 acre of Fish and Game Code section 1602 resources.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Department of Fish and Wildlife

Exempt Status: Class 1, § 15301 (b), Existing Facilities; Class 2, § 15302 (c), Replacement or Reconstruction.

Reasons why project is exempt: The project is located on an existing distribution line right-of-way and involves maintenance of the existing facility, specifically, the replacement of an existing distribution pole.

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