

**Notice of Determination**

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

**State Clearinghouse Number:** 2019071059

**Project Title:** PP19161 Big Beau Solar, LLC/EDF Renewables Development, Inc. Project (Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2020-0086-R4)

**Project Location:** The Project is located within a 2,285-acre development area, approximately 12 miles south of State Route 58 and approximately 9 miles west of State Route 14, in the Antelope Valley of southeastern Kern County, California.

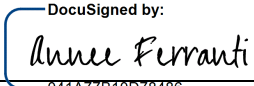
**Project Description:** The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Streambed Alteration Agreement number 1600-2020-0086-R4, pursuant to section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, EDF Renewables Inc.

The Project includes activities related to the construction of seventeen vehicle road crossings over streams and one solar panel intersection area within a stream.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as a Responsible Agency, approved the above described project on 10/30/2020 and has made the following determinations regarding the project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (i):

1. The project will have a significant effect on the environment. This determination is limited to effects within CDFW's permitting jurisdiction as a Responsible Agency.
2. CDFW considered the environmental impact report prepared by the Lead Agency for this project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (f).
3. Mitigation measures were made a condition of CDFW's approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan was adopted by CDFW for this project.
5. A statement of overriding considerations was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
6. Findings were made by CDFW pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15091.

The final environmental impact report prepared for the project is available to the general public at the office location listed above for the Lead Agency.

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**FOR - Julie A. Vance, Regional Manager**

Date Received for filing at OPR: \_\_\_\_\_