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SCH #: 2018091022

Project Title: Kamm Avenue Pistachio Processing Plant

Lead Agency: County of Fresno Department of Public Works and Planning

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Project Location: Unincorporated Fresno County

City *County*

Project Description (Proposed actions, location, and/or consequences).

Kamm Avenue Pistachio Processing, LLC (Applicant) is proposing to construct and operate a pistachio processing facility to process nuts from nearby orchards and other areas. The Applicant proposes to construct, operate, and maintain a pistachio processing plant with three huller lines with an average annual processing capacity of 60 million pounds of pistachios. The Project would provide pistachio processing capacity in the immediate vicinity of existing pistachio orchards that currently ship harvested crops for processing to more remote locations, including processing plants located outside of Fresno County. The Project would operate year-round to package and process harvested pistachios for retail and wholesale customers.

Identify the project's significant or potentially significant effects and briefly describe any proposed mitigation measures that would reduce or avoid that effect.

The forthcoming Recirculated Draft EIR will address the following CEQA Guidelines Appendix G topics: Aesthetics, Agriculture/Forestry Resources, Air Quality, Biological Resources, Cultural Resources, Energy, Geology and Soils, Greenhouse Gas Emissions, Hazards and Hazardous Materials, Hydrology and Water Quality, Land Use and Planning, Mineral Resources, Noise, Population and Housing, Public Services, Recreation, Transportation, Tribal Cultural Resources, Utilities and Service Systems, and Wildfire.

If applicable, describe any of the project's areas of controversy known to the Lead Agency, including issues raised by agencies and the public.

Issues identified as potential areas of controversy prior to the publication of this Draft EIR relate to Agricultural Resources, Air Quality, Greenhouse Gas Emissions, and Biological Resources.

Provide a list of the responsible or trustee agencies for the project.

Regional Water Quality Control Board, Region 5
San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District
California Department of Transportation, District 6
California Department of Fish and Wildlife, Region 4
California Department of Conservation
California Division of Occupational Safety and Health
United States Fish and Wildlife Service
California Public Utilities Commission
State Water Resources Control Board