

**Notice of Exemption**

**Appendix E**

To: Office of Planning and Research  
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113  
Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

County Clerk  
County of: Plumas

From: (Public Agency): State Water Resources Control Board, Division of Water Rights  
PO Box 2000, Sacramento, CA 95812-2000

(Address)

Project Title: Petition to Change Water Right License 5500 (Application 12038)

Project Applicant: U.S. Plumas Forest Service

Project Location - Specific:

Instream flow dedication from Kling Ravine downstream to North Fork Feather River.

Project Location - City: Storrie Project Location - County: Plumas

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:  
U.S. Forest Service has submitted a petition to change Water Right License 5500 (Application 12038) to dedicate water to instream use to enhance the flow of Kling Ravine for the benefit of fish and wildlife.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: State Water Resources Control Board

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: U.S. Plumas Forest Service

Exempt Status: (check one):

- Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
- Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
- Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
- Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: Sec. 15308, Protection of the Environment
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: \_\_\_\_\_


Reasons why project is exempt:

Project dedicates all of the licensed water to the creeks for Fish and Wildlife Preservation and Enhancement. No construction or building; and no grading or excavating will occur.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Michael Meza Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (916) 341-5427

**If filed by applicant:**

1. Attach certified document of exemption finding.
2. Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project?  Yes  No

Signature:  Date: NOV 19 2020 Title: Manager

Signed by Lead Agency  Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.  
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

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