

Notice of Exemption

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Project Title: Kerlin Creek Domestic Diversion Project (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2019-0555-R1)

Project Location (include county): The project is located on Kerlin Creek in the County of Trinity, State of California. The point of diversion (POD) is located at Section 21, Township 03N, Range 06E, Hyampom U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) quadrangle, Mount Diablo Meridian, Trinity County Assessor's Parcel Number 011-210-35-00, 420 Blake Mountain Trail, Hyampom.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement number 1600-2019-0555-R1, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to Kirilka Tsvetkova.

The Project is limited to the continued maintenance and operation of a surface water diversion on Kerlin Creek for the purpose of domestic use.

Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

Person or Public Agency Carrying Out Project: Kirilka Tsvetkova

Exempt Status:

- Statutory Exemption.
- Categorical Exemption. Type – **Class 1; California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 15301 (c),**

The operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond that existing at the time of the lead agency's determination.

Reasons why project is exempt: The proposed project consists of the continued operation and maintenance of a previously existing facility with no change to the footprint, capacity, or existing use, and does not include any expansion of the facility.

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