

**Notice of Determination**

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

Project Title: Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2021-0026-R2 (Love Creek Ranch Nonindustrial Timber Management Plan 4-20NTMP-00007-CAL)

Project Location: The projects are located within the boundaries of a timber harvesting plan in Calaveras County, within CALWATER watersheds Moran Creek and Douds Landing and their connecting tributaries; Township 4N, Range 15E, Section 4 of U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) Quad Map Stanislaus; Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

Project: The projects are limited to install a temporary crossing, water drafting, and water drafting site maintenance. Further explanation of work can be referenced within the NTMP 4-20NTMP-00007-CAL.

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

1. The project will not 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  mitigated negative declaration /  negative declaration /  timber harvesting plan prepared by the Lead Agency for this project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (f).
3. Mitigation measures  were /  were not made a condition of CDFW's approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan  was /  was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
5. A statement of overriding considerations was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
6. Findings were not made by CDFW pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15091.

The  mitigated negative declaration /  negative declaration /  timber harvesting plan prepared for the project is available to the general public at the office location listed above for the Lead Agency. CDFW's record of project approval as Responsible Agency is available at CDFW's regional office.

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*Jennifer Garcia*  
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Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: 11/12/2021

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