

**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. 1600-2021-0023-R2 (UFC Timber Harvesting Plan 4-21-00092-CAL, Sierra Pacific Industries)

Project Location: The projects are located within the boundaries of a timber harvesting plan in Calaveras County, within CALWATER watersheds Upper Forest Creek and Schaads Reservoir and their connecting tributaries; Township 7N, Range 15E, Sections 33 and 35 of the U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) 7.5-minute Quad Map, Garnet Hill, Calaveras Dome, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian

Project: The projects are limited to water drafting and maintenance on water drafting sites. Further explanation of work can be referenced within the THP 4-21-00092-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*

Signature:

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Date: 12/13/2021

Jennifer Garcia, Environmental Program Manager