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SCH #: _____

Project Title: Water Loss Performance Standards

Lead Agency: State Water Resources Control Board

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Project Location: Urban areas throughout California

City *County*

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

This proposed regulation would require all urban retail water suppliers in California to meet utility-specific water loss standards. THe proposed regulation requires: 1) Data to be submitted on data quality, pressure management, and asset management; 2) Compliance with individual volumetric real loss standards, if assessed as economically feasibly by the State Water Board's economic model; 3) Submission of apparent loss data, if appparent losses are above the average apparent losses from 2017 through 2020; and 4) Annual reports of breaks, repairs, and estimated water losses to the State Water Board. These requirements are sequenced over several years, with compliance with the designated allowable water loss volume expected by 2028.

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

As this is a negative declaration, there are no impacts or less than significant impacts to the environment. The State Board evaluated all environmental issues from the CEQA Guidelines, the Environmental Checklist Form and found that there are no significant impacts.

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

There are no areas of controversy known to the Lead Agency

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

Trustee agencies:
1) California Department of Fish and Wildlife
2) State Lands Commission
3) State Department of Parks and Recreation
4) University of California