

Notice of Exemption

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Project Title: Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2022-0001-R2, (SPI Caldor Fire Emergency Salvage Projects)

Project Location: The projects are located in El Dorado County, within CALWATER watersheds Sly Park Creek and Bark Shanty Canyon and their connecting tributaries; Township 10N, Range 14E, Sections 17 and 18 and Township 10N, Range 16E, Section 10 of the U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) 7.5-minute Old Iron Mountain, Tragedy Spring, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement number 1600-2022-0001-R2, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to Sierra Pacific Industries.

The projects are limited to installing three rock fords and improving an existing low water crossing, which are necessary to remove substantially damaged timber from the Caldor Fire.

Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

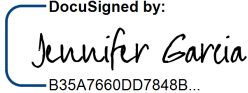
Person or Public Agency Carrying out Project: Sierra Pacific Industries, or Mr. Richard Wade acting on behalf of Permittee

Exempt Status:

- Statutory Exemption. State code number
- Categorical Exemption. Type – Class (4); California Code of Regulations, title 14, section (15304)

Reasons why project is exempt: This project involves minor alteration to land and water and does not impact special status species or the habitat on which they depend.

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