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Project Title: Combs Stream Crossings Remediation Project (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2020-0016-R1)

Project Location (include county): The project to be completed is located within the Hoaglin Creek and North Fork Eel River watershed, approximately 12.5 miles east/southeast of the town of Alderpoint, County of Trinity, State of California. The project is located in Section 16, T4S, R7E, Humboldt Base and Meridian; in the Lake Mountain U.S. Geological Survey 7.5-minute quadrangle; Assessor's Parcel Numbers 022-330-11, 022-330-12, 022-330-13, 022-330-15, 022-330-16, 022-330-17, and 022-330-18; latitude 40.113 N and longitude 123.397 W.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement number 1600-2020-0016-R1, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to Craig Combs

The project is limited to four encroachments. The four proposed encroachments are to upgrade a failing stream crossing, and to decommission three stream crossings. Work for these encroachments will include excavation, removal of the failing culverts, replacement with a new culvert, backfilling and compaction of fill, and rock armoring as necessary to minimize erosion.

Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

Person or Public Agency Carrying Out Project: Craig Combs

Exempt Status:

- Statutory Exemption. State code number
- Categorical Exemption. Type – Class 1 and 4; California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 15301 and 15304

Reasons why project is exempt: The proposed project will upgrade or decommission and remediate existing road/stream crossings. There would be no significant adverse impact on endangered, rare or threatened species or their habitat pursuant to section 15065. There are no hazardous materials at or around the project site that may be disturbed or removed. The project will not result in impacts that are significant when viewed in connection with the effects of past projects, the effects of other current projects, and the effects of probable future projects.

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