## **Notice of Exemption**

To:

Office of Planning and Research CEQA Submit

## From:

Department of Fish and Wildlife Inland Deserts Region 6 2602 Inland Empire Blvd. Suite. C-220 Ontario, CA 91764 Contact: Eric Weiss



**Project Title:** Cannabis remediation and habitat restoration at APN 580-040-003 (Notification of Lake or Streambed Alteration, No. EPIMS-RIV-30683-R6)

**Project Location (Riverside County):** The project is located at 49250 Silent Valley Road in the City of Aguanga within Riverside County in the State of California; Latitude 33.44557 N, Longitude -116.80045 W; Assessor's Parcel Number (APN) 580-040-003.

**Project Description:** The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification No. EPIMS-RIV-30683-R6, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to Peter Cho.

The project is limited to the remediation of unpermitted cannabis cultivation and habitat restoration at APN 580-040-003. The project includes the removal an unpermitted dam, disposal of various debris, revegetation, and general restoration activities.

Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

Person or Public Agency Carrying Out Project: Peter Cho

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1530	5308 & 15333

**Reasons why project is exempt:** CDFW is issuing a streambed alteration agreement for the protection of natural resources and the environment through a habitat restoration project located at APN 580-040-003.

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