Notice of Exemption

To:

Office of Planning and Research CEQA Submit

From:

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Project Title: Felt Reservoir Geotechnical Core Sampling Project (Notification of Lake or Streambed Alteration, No. EPIMS-SCL-30819-R3)

Project Location (Santa Clara County): The coordinates for the approximate center of the project are 37.397° N latitude and 122.186° W longitude (NAD 83 or WGS 84). The Assessor's Parcel Number is 142-15-007.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification No. EPIMS-SCL-30819-R3, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to Stanford University, as represented by Karla Smith.

The Project is limited to 5 geotechnical core sampling locations and 4 test pits. Geotechnical core sampling includes rotary drilling 6 inches in diameter down to 35 to 100 feet, each having an equipment staging area of approximately 400 square feet. Test pits will be 15 feet long by 3 feet wide and up to 20 feet deep, each having an equipment staging area of approximately 625 square feet.

Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

Person or Public Agency Carrying Out Project: Stanford University

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Categorical Exemption. Type – Class (6); California Code of Regulations, title 14, section (15306)

Reasons why project is exempt: The Project includes data collection which does not result in serious or major disturbance to an environmental resource.

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