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FROM: Central Valley Flood Protection Board
 3310 El Camino Avenue, Suite 170
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Project Title: Permit No. 19720: To authorize an existing pipe, electrical conduit, pump, walkway, butterfly valve, siphon breaker and standpipe

Project Applicant (if any): John Hancock Life Insurance Co (USA)

Project Location/Address/City/County: Located northeast of Rio Vista, approximately 750 LF north of the intersection of Snug Harbor Drive and East Ryer Road, on the right bank levee, in Solano County.

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project: To authorize existing 20-inch steel pipe and 2-inch electrical conduit through the levee with pump on platform and walkway on waterside, a butterfly valve and siphon breaker on waterside shoulder, a 36-inch concrete standpipe at landside toe at Levee Mile 3.46 (Historical 3.7). The pipe was previously authorized under USACE Operations and Maintenance Manual Unit No. 105, Levees Around Ryer Island, Page 5.

Public Agency Approving Project: Central Valley Flood Protection Board (Board)

Public Agency/Person Carrying Out Project: John Hancock Life Insurance Co (USA)

Exempt Status:

- Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
- Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
- Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
- Common Sense Exemption (CEQA Sec 15061(b)(3))
- Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: § 15301 Existing Facilities
- Statutory Exemption. State code number: _____

Reasons Why Project is Exempt:

The Board has determined that the project is exempt from CEQA under the Class 1, Existing Facilities categorical exemption (CEQA California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Section 15301), because the activity consists of permitting an existing 20-inch steel pipe, a 2-inch electrical conduit, pump, walkway, butterfly valve, siphon breaker, and a 36-inch concrete standpipe. No expansion of existing or former use will occur. Further, none of the exceptions to the exemption in CEQA California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Section 15300.2 apply.

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ORIGINAL SIGNED BY:

April 25, 2023

Signature

Chris Lief, Executive Officer

Date

- Signed by Lead Agency
- Signed by Responsible Agency

Date Received for filing at OPR:

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.

Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.