

Notice of Exemption

To: Office of Planning and Research
State Clearinghouse
1400 Tenth Street, Room 113
Sacramento, CA 95814

From: Department of Fish and Wildlife
Wildlife Conservation Board
P.O. Box 944209
Sacramento, CA 99244-2090

County Clerk (County of): N/A

Attention: Brian Gibson

Project Title: Klamath Hydroelectric Settlement (Parcel B Lands)

Project Applicant: Wildlife Conservation Board (WCB)

Project Location – Specific: APN(s)

041-030-180, 041-030-190, 041-070-050, 041-070-080, 004-050-380, 041-030-310, 041-030-240, 004-030-020, 004-030-070, 004-050-380, 004-050-390, 004-360-040, 004-040-060, 004-040-010, 004-050-060, 041-030-280, 041-030-290, 041-040-320, 041-060-060, 004-050-010, 004-050-100, 041-030-200, 041-030-250, 041-030-270, 041-040-160, 041-050-020, 041-060-090, 041-060-140, 041-070-110, 041-030-170

Project Location – City: N/A

Project Location – County: Siskiyou

CEQA Region: N. CA

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Benefits of Project:

To consider the acceptance of 7,027± acres of land by the California Department of Fish and Wildlife from Klamath River Renewal Corporation for the protection of fisheries, water and to provide future wildlife oriented public use opportunities. WCB Project Tracker ID: 2018110

Public Agency Approving Project: Department of Fish and Wildlife, WCB

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out the Project: Rebecca J. Fris, Acting Executive Director, WCB

Exempt Status: (Check One)

- Ministerial (Sec. 15268):
 Declared Emergency [Sec. 15269 (a)]:
 Emergency Project [Sec. 15269 (b) and (c)]:
 Categorical Exemption. State Section number and type:
 Statutory Exemptions, State code Number: Public Resources Code 21080.28
 Other:

Reasons why this project is exempt:

The project is exempt from CEQA pursuant to Public Resources Code 21080.28, Acquisition of an Interest in Land by a Public Agency, as an acquisition of an interest in land by a public agency for preservation of natural conditions existing at the time of transfer, including plant and animal habitats. Subject to Board approval of the project, staff will file the appropriate NOE with the State Clearinghouse and the county clerk.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Rebecca J. Fris

Area Code/Telephone Extension: (916) 212-5637

If filed by applicant: 1. Attach certified document of exemption finding.
2. Has a notice of exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? Yes, (by this notice) No

Signature: DocuSigned by:
Rebecca J. Fris

Title: Acting Executive Director

Date: 6/1/2023

Signed by Lead Agency

Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.
Reference: Section 21108, 21152, 21152.1, Public Resources Code

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