

Notice of Exemption

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From:

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Project Title: Brown Property Remediation (Notification of Lake or Streambed Alteration, No. EPIMS-SCR-27360-R3)

Project Location: The project is located at an unnamed tributary to Bear Creek which flows to the San Lorenzo River thence the Pacific Ocean in the County of Santa Cruz, State of California; Latitude 37.177292, Longitude -122.047031; Assessor's Parcel Number 091-012-29.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification No. EPIMS-SCR-27360-R3, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to Kenneth Brown.

This project is in response to violations documented in an enforcement memo dated September 6, 2019. The project is limited to four (4) encroachments in two tributaries to Bear Creek, including removal of a diversion, and remediating two tributaries.

Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

Person or Public Agency Carrying Out Project: Kenneth Brown

Exempt Status:

- Statutory Exemption.
- Categorical Exemption. Type – Class 21; California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 15321.

Reasons why project is exempt: This project is being implemented by enforcement actions by regulatory agencies.

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