Notice of Exemption

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Project Title: Jackson Lake Dam Toe Slope Protection and Jackson Creek Weir Replacement (Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification No. NEV-37518-R2)

Project Location: The project is located on Jackson Lake Dam and Jackson Creek below the Jackson Lake Dam outlet, in the County of Nevada, State of California; Latitude 39.464340, Longitude -120.563547. The Project is located on a private road with a locked gate off Meadow Lake Road, approximately 4 miles southwest of Jackson Meadows Reservoir; Assessor's Parcel Number: 015-210-005-000.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification Number NEV-37518-R2, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, Nevada Irrigation District.

Nevada Irrigation District will install slope protection at the toe of the dam, remove sediment from the downstream portion of the channel from the dam to the weir, and replace a weir in-kind. There will be no expansion of facility or impact to the surrounding environment.

Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

Person or Public Agency Carrying out Project: Nevada Irrigation District

Exempt Status:

Categorical Exemption. Type − Class (1b &1d); California Code of Regulations, title 14, sections (15301(b) & 15301 (d))

Reasons why project is exempt: The project is class 1 exempt because it consists of repair, maintenance, and minor alteration of an existing facility with no expansion of use.