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FROM: Central Valley Flood Protection Board
 3310 El Camino Avenue, Suite 170
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Project Title: Permit No. 14047-1 – Pumping Facility Pipe

Project Applicant (if any): Wurster Ranches, LP

Project Location/Address/City/County: The project is located approximately and 1.54 miles southwest of the City of Hood, and 0.23 miles northeast from the intersection of River Road and Randall Island Road, in Sacramento County.

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project: To authorize an existing 8-in dia. steel irrigation pipe sleeved, grouted, and sealed through an existing 10-in dia. steel irrigation pipe; an existing 8-inch pipe within the land side slope, a slant pump on the waterside slope, and a positive closure device on the waterside shoulder. The 10-inch pumping facility was previously authorized under Permit No. 14047 with USACE concurrence.

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

Public Agency/Person Carrying Out Project: Wurster Ranches, LP

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 existing private facilities. 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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<i>ORIGINAL SIGNED BY:</i>	September 13, 2013
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Chris Lief, Executive Officer	

- 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.