## State of California – The Natural Resource Agency DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION

## NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

**TO**: Office of Planning and Research

1400 Tenth Street

Sacramento, CA 95814

FROM: Department of Parks and Recreation

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PROJECT TITLE: ROE to Pacific Gas and Electric for Vegetation Maintenance (PN-007963,

PN-007940)

**LOCATION:** Humboldt Redwoods State Park

**COUNTY**: Humboldt

**DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:** Issue a Right of Entry (ROE) to Pacific Gas and Electric (PG&E) for access to Humboldt Redwoods State Park to allow for vegetation management along existing distribution lines. In total, eight (8) trees will be trimmed, and one (1) tree will be removed.

All work conducted pursuant to this ROE will comply with all state and federal environmental laws, including but not limited to CEQA, NEPA, the Endangered Species Act, Section 5024 of the Public Resources Code, and conditions specified by this ROE and other permitting agencies.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT: California Department of Parks and Recreation

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: North Coast Redwoods District EXEMPT STATUS:

☐ Categorical Exemption

Class: 5 Section: 15305

**REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:** Project consists of minor alterations in land use limitations in areas with an average slope of less than 20% that does not result in any changes in land use or density and is included as "issuance of temporary use permits" and "issuance of easements and permits" in the Department of Parks and Recreation's list of exempt activities in accordance with CCR §15300.4.

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