

Notice of Exemption

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FROM: Central Valley Flood Protection Board
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Project Title: Permit No. 1603-2 Authorization of Existing Gas Transmission Pipeline

Project Applicant (if any): Pacific Gas & Electric

Project Location/Address/City/County: The project is located south of the City of Davis, paralleling Old Davis Road and crossing Putah Creek in Solano County.

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project: To authorize existing segments of an abandoned 10-inch diameter steel gas transmission pipeline owned by PG&E within the left and right bank levees of Putah Creek.

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

Public Agency/Person Carrying Out Project: Pacific Gas & Electric

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 public utilities. 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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Signature

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Date

- Signed by Lead Agency
- Signed by Responsible Agency

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