

**Notice of Exemption**

**Appendix E**

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**Project Title:** Minor Alteration No. WA2024068, Agricultural Road Crossing 4, Utility Pole Relocation

**Project Applicant:** Pacific Gas and Electric

**Project Location:** The project is located at Milepost 175.24 on the Valley Subdivision in unincorporated Butte County, and spans over Butte Creek west of State Route 99, approximately 0.4 mile north of the intersection of Midway Road and Esquon Road.

**Project Description:** To relocate one wood pole and one anchor, replace one anchor, and install one new anchor on an existing electric distribution line located near Tule Jake Road in West Sacramento, California

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

**Agency/Person Carrying Out Project:** Pacific Gas and Electric

**Exempt Status:**

- Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
- Common Sense Exemption (CEQA Sec. 15061(b)(3))
- Categorical Exemption. State type and Number: **CEQA Sections 15301 and 15333**
- Statutory Exemption. State code number:

**Reasons Why Project is Exempt:**

The project is exempt from CEQA under Class 33, Small Habitat Restoration Projects, categorical exemption (CEQA California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Section 15333) because the proposed activity consists of projects not to exceed five acres in size to assure the maintenance, restoration, enhancement, or protection of habitat for fish, plants, or wildlife. The project is also 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 the operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of use. 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.

*Chris Lief*

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Signature

Chris Lief, Executive Officer

Date

- Signed by Public 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.