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Mr. Doug Cole
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Somes Bar, CA 95568

Subject: No Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement Needed
Notification No. 1600-2016-0198-R1
Marble Mountain Ranch Fish Screen, Gate Valve & Pipeline Installation Project
Stanshaw Creek, Tributary to the Klamath River, Siskiyou County

Dear Mr. Cole:

The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (Department) has reviewed your Lake or Streambed Alteration Notification (Notification). We have determined that your project is subject to the Notification requirement in Fish and Game Code Section 1602.

The Department has also determined that your Fish Screen, Gate Valve & Pipeline Installation Project (Project) as proposed will not substantially adversely affect an existing fish or wildlife resource. As a result, you will not need a Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement for your proposed construction Project. You are responsible for complying with all applicable local, state, and federal laws in completing your work. A copy of this letter and your Notification with all attachments should be available at all times at the work site.

Please note that if you change your construction Project so that it differs materially from the Project you described in your original Notification, you will need to submit a new Notification and corresponding fee to the Department. In addition, the Department would like to remind you that you will need to submit a separate Lake or Streambed Alteration Notification by December 31, 2016 for the "act of diverting water" pursuant to your water right. The Department will then determine if your diversion of water is considered a substantial impact to the stream and aquatic resources, and, if necessary, issue a Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement.

Thank you for notifying us of your construction Project. If you have any questions, please contact me at (530) 225-2314 or Donna.Cobb@wildlife.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

Donna L. Cobb
Aquatic Conservation Planning Supervisor

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