

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

From: (Public Agency):
State Water Resources Control Board
1001 I Street, Sacramento, CA 95814

County Clerk
County of:

(Address)

Project Title: Pit 3, 4, 5 Hydroelectric Project

Project Applicant: Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E)

Project Location - Specific:

Lake Britton, Shasta County

Project Location - City: Not Applicable

Project Location - County: Shasta

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

PG&E is proposing a two-year extension of time (from year-10 to year-12 of the license) to add at least half of the required 25% increase in overnight camping capacity around Lake Britton (equal to at least half of 156 people-at-one-time) by December 31, 2019.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: State Water Resources Control Board

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Neil Wong, PG&E

Exempt Status: (check one):

- Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
[X] Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: Classes 1,2,3, & 4, CCR §§ 15301-15304
Statutory Exemptions. State code number:

Reasons why project is exempt:

The changes to the certification are minor technical changes that would not involve any new significant environmental effects.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Meiling Roddam

Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 916-341-5369

If filed by applicant:

- 1. Attach certified document of exemption finding.
2. Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? Yes No

Signature: Thomas Howard Date: 3/25/16 Title: Executive Director

[X] Signed by Lead Agency [] Signed by Applicant

Governor's Office of Planning & Research

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

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