Notice of Exemption

To:

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Project Title: Costa Project (Lake Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification No. LAK-43820-R2)

Project Location: The project is located at Clear Lake, in the County of Lake, State of California; Latitude 38.99402, Longitude -122.74610 (WGS 84 datum, decimal degrees), 3330 Southlake Drive, Kelseyville, CA, 95451; Assessor's Parcel Number 044-273-016-000.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Lake Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification No. LAK-43820-R2, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, John Costa.

The project is limited to the installation of five (5) new 8-inch diameter steel piles to reutilize the existing floating docks at the project site. To meet the minimum 10-foot setback from the western property line, five (5) existing wooden piles will be removed. Additionally, two (2) 4-inch diameter steel piles will be driven to support the gangway at its new location. No native vegetation will be removed as a result of project activities.

Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

Person or Public Agency Carrying out Project: John Costa

Exempt Status:

Categorical Exemption. Type − Class (1, 2 & 4); California Code of Regulations, title 14, sections (15301, 15302 and 15304)

Reasons why project is exempt:

Class 1 because the repair and maintenance involves negligible or no expansion of existing or former use. Class 2 because the new structure will be located on the same site as the structure replaced and will have substantially the same purpose and capacity. Class 4 because the project is a minor alteration to Clear Lake and does not involve the removal of healthy, mature, or scenic trees.

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