

# Notice of Exemption

## Appendix E

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

County Clerk

County of: N/A

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

(Address)

Project Title: TD2172497 Avenue 220 Deteriorated Pole Replacement Project

Project Applicant: Southern California Edison

**Project Location - Specific:**

The Project is located approximately 5.5 miles east of Lindsay City and 530 feet southwest of Avenue 220, in Tulare County, California. The Project coordinates are 36.184044°N, 118.982595°W.

Project Location - City: Lindsay

Project Location - County: Tulare

**Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:**

The purpose of the Project is to remove and replace one wood utility pole (Pole 459425E) with a new composite pole. The pole will be accessed by overland truck from Avenue 220. Pole replacement temporarily impact a stream channel.

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

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Southern California Edison

**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));
- Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: §15301(b) Existing Facilities
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: \_\_\_\_\_

**Reasons why project is exempt:**

The Project involves maintenance of an existing electrical facility with no expansion of existing use. No exceptions apply to the categorical exemption 15301.

**Lead Agency**

Contact Person: Aida Tavakoli

Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 916-341-5484

**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: Phillip Crader Digitally signed by Phillip Crader  
Date: 2025.06.20 10:27:18 -07'00'

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: Deputy Director

Signed by Lead Agency  Signed by Applicant

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

Date Received for filing at OPR: \_\_\_\_\_