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## NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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**Project Title:** TD1645877 and TD1685221 Prado Transfer Pole Replacement Project (Notification of Lake or Streambed Alteration, No. EPIMS-SBR-40057-R6)

**Project Location (San Bernardino County):** TD1645877 and TD1685221 Prado Transfer Pole Replacement Project (project) is located on lands owned by the cities of Chino and Chino Hills along Chino Creek approximately ~1.2 miles west of the Euclid Ave/Pine Ave intersection, San Bernardino County, State of California; Latitude 33.950187, Longitude -117.672562.

**Project Description:** The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has amended Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification No. EPIMS-SBR-40057-R6, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to Southern California Edison.

The amended project involves three additional pole replacements (Poles 4763270E, 4766936E, and 4250366E) and two new ground rod installations (Poles 4250367E and 1395229E).

Amended project activities described above will increase temporary impacts from 0.651 acre to 0.762 acre to resources subject to Fish and Game Code Section 1602.

**Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE**

**Person or Public Agency Carrying Out Project:**

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**Exempt Status:**

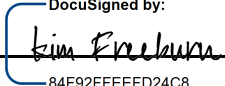
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July 2, 2025

Statutory Exemption. [State code number]

Categorical Exemption. Type – Class (1); California Code of Regulations, title 14, section (15301(b and d))

**Reasons why project is exempt:** Project includes the restoration and/or rehabilitation of deteriorated or damaged existing structure or facility to meet public health and safety standards.

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