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Notice of Exemption **Appendix E**

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Project Title: Minor Alteration No. WA2025036 Sherman Island Emergency Levee Repair

Project Applicant: Reclamation District 341

Project Location: The project is located at thirteen sites on the waterside levee slope of the Sacramento River on Sherman Island from levee mile 6.88 to 9.27, in Sacramento County

Project Description: To authorize approximately 893 linear feet of existing Class II Rock Slope Protection (RSP) on the waterside levee slope, along the Sacramento River, at 13 locations from levee mile 6.88 to 9.27. The RSP was replaced following the removal of the existing RSP from the 2024 storm event.

Public Agency Approving Project: Central Valley Flood Protection Board (Board)

Lead Agency/Public Agency/Person Carrying Out Project: Reclamation District 341, .PO Box 140 Isleton, CA 95641, Martin Berber, Project Engineer, (916) 441-6850, mberber@wbecorp.com

Exempt Status:

☐ Common Sense Exemption (CEQA Sec. 15061(b)(3))

☒ Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: 14 CCR Sec. 15301

☒ Statutory Exemption. State code number: 14 CCR Sec 15269

Reasons Why Project is Exempt:
The project is statutorily exempt under the provisions of CEQA. The Board's approval involves issuing an encroachment permit for an emergency repair on the waterside levee slope, along the Sacramento River, at 13 locations from levee mile 6.88 to 9.27 that occurred due to flooding. These activities are an emergency repair to publicly owned facilities, which is exempt under the statutory exemption of the CEQA California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Section 15269. The project is also exempt from CEQA under the Class 1, Existing Facilities categorical exemption (CEQA California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Section 15301), because the activity consists of the operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of use. No expansion of existing or former use will occur. Further, none of the exceptions to the exemption in CEQA California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Section 15300.2 apply.

Chris Lief 8/6/2025

Signature Chris Lief, Executive Officer Date

☒ Signed by Public Agency ☐ Signed by Responsible Agency

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