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Notice of Exemption **Appendix E**

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Project Title: Minor Alteration No. WA2025096 – Soil Pile Regrading Project

Project Applicant/Lead Agency: Redeeming Way, LLC

Project Location: The project is located on Assessor's Parcel Number 015-020-02 in San Joaquin County (38.16787°, -121.31842°).

Project Description: To remove unauthorized fill material that was placed within the designated floodway of the Mokelumne River by removing and relocating the fill material to APNs 015-020-064 and 015-020-065, outside the regulated floodway limits. Upon removal, the site will be graded to restore pre-project ground elevations consistent with historical contours.

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

Exempt Status:

☐ Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);

☐ Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));

☐ Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));

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

☒ Categorical Exemption: Sec. 15304

☐ Statutory Exemption: _____

Reasons Why Project is Exempt:
The Board has determined that the project is exempt from CEQA under the Class 4, Minor Alterations to Land categorical exemption (CEQA California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Section 15304), because the activity consists of minor public or private alterations in the condition of land, water, and/or vegetation which do not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees except for forestry or agricultural purposes. Further, none of the exceptions to the exemption in CEQA California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Section 15300.2 apply.

Chris Lief 10/15/2025

Signature Chris Lief, Executive Officer Date

☒ Signed by Public Agency ☐ Signed by Responsible Agency

Date Received for filing at the Office of Land Use and Climate Innovation:

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