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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: Shasta

From: (Public Agency): State Water Resources Control Board
Division of Water Rights
PO Box 2000, Sacramento, CA 95812
(Address)

Project Title: Petition to Change Water Right License 549 (Application 2754)

Project Applicant: Pacific Gas and Electric Company

Project Location - Specific:

North Battle Creek within Section 27, T30N, R1W, MDB&M and Battle Creek

Project Location - City: Shingletown Project Location - County: Shasta

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

PG&E has submitted a petition to change water right License 549 (Application 2754) to dedicate water to instream use to enhance flow downstream of Wildcat Diversion Dam for the benefit of fish and wildlife.

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

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Pacific Gas and Electric Company

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: Section 15308, Protection of the Environment
- ☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

This project dedicates all licensed water to North Battle Creek for fish and wildlife enhancement and preservation. No construction or building; and no grading or excavation will occur for this change.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Michael Meza Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 9163415427

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: Steve Marquez Date: 11-19-2025 Title: Sr. WRCE

▪ 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: _____