NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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Project Applicant: Bennett Ridge Mutual Water Company

Project Title: Operation of Water System Chlorination- Water Supply Permit Amendment (Project)

Project Location: Bennett Ridge Rd, Santa Rosa, CA 95404, APN: 055-210-014-000

Project County: Sonoma

Project Description: The Applicant proposes the installation and operation of a new chlorine injection system at Well 01. The chlorine injection system will be installed outside on a four-square-foot existing pad.

Public Agency Approving the Project: State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board)

This is to advise that the State Water Board has issued a permit amendment for the above-described Project on 11/21/2025 approval issued. A record of permit approval for the Project is available to the public at the State Water Board, Division of Drinking Water district office listed above.

CATEGORICAL EXEMPTION STATUS:

Class 1: Existing Facilities Cal. Code of Regs., section 15301

Reason Why the Project Is Exempt: The Project is exempt because it is operation and minor alteration of an existing water well facility by the addition of a health protection device to be used in conjunction with the existing well. None of the exceptions listed in section 15300.2 of the CEQA Guidelines would apply to the proposed Project.

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