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Notice of Determination

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SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination pursuant to Public Resources Code section 21108

Project Title: False Flag Timber Harvesting Plan 4-25-00223-ELD (Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification No. ELD-70066-R2)

Project Location (include county): The projects are located within the boundaries of a timber harvesting plan in El Dorado County, within CALWATER watersheds Lower South Fork Rubicon River, Rocky Basin Creek, and their connecting tributaries; Sections 10, 13-14, 16-18, 21-23, and 27-30, 34, Township 13N, Range 14E, U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) maps Robbs Peak and Loon Lake; Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification Number ELD-70066-R2, pursuant to section 1611 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, Justin Barker.

The projects are limited to the installation of a rock armored ford, installation of a temporary dry crossing, and replacement of an undersized culvert.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as a Responsible Agency, executed the above Streambed Alteration Agreement on the date signed below and has made the following determinations regarding the project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (i):

1. The project will not have a significant effect on the environment. This determination is limited to effects within CDFW's permitting jurisdiction as a Responsible Agency.
2. CDFW considered the environmental impact report prepared by the Lead Agency for this project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (f).

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3. Mitigation measures were made as a condition of CDFW's approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
5. A statement of overriding considerations was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
6. Findings were not made by CDFW pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15091.

The final environmental impact report prepared for the project is available to the general public at the office location listed above for the Lead Agency. CDFW's record of execution of the above Streambed Alteration Agreement as Responsible Agency is available at CDFW's regional office.

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Signature: Jennifer Garcia
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Date: 10/15/2026

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