NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

(Categorical)

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TO: Governor's Office of Planning and Research FROM: State Water Resources Control Board State Clearinghouse Office P.O. Box 3044 Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

Los Angeles District Office 500 North Central Ave, Suite 500 Glendale CA, 91203

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WATER SYSTEM #: 1910024

PROJECT TITLE: Operation of Golden State Water Company - Claremont (GSWC) - Mountain View Well 2 Construction Project (Project)

LEAD AGENCY: State Water Resources Control Board

CONTACT PERSON: Dmitry Ginzburg PHONE NUMBER: (818) 551-2004

PROJECT LOCATION: Padua Ave approximately 550 feet north of Shenandoah Drive, City of Claremont, Los

Angeles County

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The GSWC proposes to drill one replacement groundwater well at the same property of an existing well. The replacement well will be used to meet current demand in the water system. The new replacement well, Mountain View Well 2 will replace Mountain View Well 1 at the same site. The existing well had a capacity of up to 550 gallons per minute (gpm), is 95 years old and is at the end of its serviceable life. Mountain View Well 1 will be destroyed. The exact potential capacity of the new Mountain View Well 2 is unknown at this time.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING PROJECT AND CARRYING OUT PROJECT: This is to advise that the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) has determined that the Project is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act and will issue a drinking water supply permit for the operation of the above described Project. A record of permit issuance for the Project is available to the general public at the State Water Board, Division of Drinking Water District Office noted above.

Categorical Exemption Status:

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| Name: | Dmitry Ginzburg Governor's Office of Planning & Research Title: District Engineer |
| Signatı | ure: $\frac{1}{2}$ Date: $2-25-2019$ |
| Reason why Project is exempt: The Project is Class 1 and Class 2 exemption. The Project is a replacement of an existing utility system involving no expansion in capacity. | |
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| | Class 6 Information Collection (California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Division 6, Chapter 3, Article 19, Section 15306) |
| [I | (California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Division 6, Chapter 3, Article 19, Section 15304) |
| | Class 4 Minor Alterations to Land |
| | (California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Division 6, Chapter 3, Article 19, Section 15303) |
| | Class 3 New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures |
| | (California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Division 6, Chapter 3, Article 19, Section 153012) |
| \boxtimes | (California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Division 6, Chapter 3, Article 19, Section 15301) Class 2 Replacement or Reconstruction |
| \boxtimes | Class 1 Existing Facilities |

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