NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

(Categorical)

TO: Governor's Office of Planning and Research FROM: State Clearinghouse

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ROM: State Water Resources Control Board

Tulare District Office

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SCH#:

WATER SYSTEM #: 5403048

PROJECT TITLE: Operation of JD Heiskell Holdings, LLC, Well 2 (Replacement to Well 1) Project (Project)

LEAD AGENCY: State Water Resources Control Board

CONTACT PERSON: Bryan Potter PHONE NUMBER: (559) 447-3300

PROJECT LOCATION: 1158 Road 120 in Tulare within Tulare County

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: JD Heiskell Holdings, LLC will drill a 150 gallon per minute, 600-foot deep well, Well 2, and install a 30-horsepower pump. Well 2 will replace Well 1, a 150 gallon per minute, 400-foot well. Well 1 will be decommissioned. Five hundred-feet of four-inch pipeline will also be installed to connect the well to the rest of the existing system. The Project will provide for the operation of the system.

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:

(California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Division 6, Chapter 3, Article 19, Section 15302)

(California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Division 6, Chapter 3, Article 19, Section 15303)

Reason why Project is exempt: The replacement of the Well 1, a 150-gallon per minute well, with Well 2, a 150-gallon per minute well, falls under a Class 2 exemption, replacement of existing utility systems involving negligible or no expansion of capacity, (Section 15302, <10%). The installation of the 30-horsepower pump consists of Class 3, location of a limited number of small new equipment, (accessory structures, Section 15303 (e)). The installation of 500-feet of four-inch pipeline also consists of Class 3, water mains of reasonable length to serve such construction, (Section 15303 (d), <1 mile in length, <16-inch diameter)).

Signature: Date: O/O/Z019

Name: Bryan Potter Title: District Engineer

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