PUBLIC NOTICE FOR CLEAN WATER ACT 401 WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION BEFORE THE STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD

An application for water quality certification under section 401 of the Clean Water Act for the following project was filed with the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board). California Code of Regulations, title 23, section 3858, subdivision (a) requires the Executive Director of the State Water Board to provide public notice of an application at least twenty-one (21) days before taking certification action on the application, but the typical notice period may be shortened in an emergency. Written questions and/or comments regarding the application should be directed to:

Oscar Biondi
Water Quality Certification Program
Division of Water Rights
State Water Resources Control Board
P.O. Box 2000
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PROJECT: Tioga Lake Dam Outlet and Grizzly Repair Project

APPLICANT: Southern California Edison Company

CONTACT: Mr. Matthew Woodhall

COUNTY: Mono

PUBLIC NOTICE: January 21, 2016

PROJECT STATUS: Pending

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Southern California Edison (SCE) has applied for water quality certification for conducting repairs to the concrete surrounding the Tioga Dam outlet pipe and the grates on the steel trash rack (i.e., grizzly). SCE will conduct needed repairs and install a geomembrane liner on the surface of the upstream side of the dam in the immediate vicinity of the outlet works. The proposed Project area is within the Lee Vining Hydropower Project (Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Project No. 1388), on Lee Vining Creek in the Inyo National Forest.