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## State Water Resources Control Board

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**Camp Far West Transmission Line Project  
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Project No. 10821  
Placer and Yuba Counties  
Transmission Lines Cross: Camp Far West Reservoir, Bear River, Grasshopper  
Slough, and Dry Creek**

**SUBJECT: ISSUANCE OF WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION FOR THE CAMP FAR  
WEST TRANSMISSION LINE PROJECT RELICENSING**

Dear Steve Bauman:

The State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) Executive Director issued a water quality certification (certification) pursuant to section 401 of the Clean Water Act for Pacific Gas and Electric Company's Camp Far West Transmission Line Project (Project) on July 11, 2024. A copy of the certification and its associated Notice of Exemption for California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) compliance are enclosed for your records. The certification is also available at:

[https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/waterrights/water\\_issues/programs/water\\_quality\\_cert/401\\_certifications.html](https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/waterrights/water_issues/programs/water_quality_cert/401_certifications.html)

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Enclosure: (1) Water Quality Certification for the Camp Far West Transmission Line Project  
(2) Notice of Exemption

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