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## Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

11 April 2025

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**ORDER AMENDING CLEAN WATER ACT SECTION 401 TECHNICALLY  
CONDITIONED WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION; GONZAGA RIDGE WIND  
FARM, LLC, GONZAGA RIDGE WIND REPOWERING PROJECT (WDID NO.  
5B24CR00089A2), MERCED COUNTY**

This Order responds to the 5 March 2025 request for an amendment of the Gonzaga Ridge Wind Repowering Project (Project) Section 401 Water Quality Certification (WDID No. 5B24CR00089A2). The original Water Quality Certification (Certification) was issued on 26 October 2020 and was subsequently amended on 28 February 2025. Gonzaga Ridge Wind, LLC is requesting to change the name of the discharger. The requested amendment is hereby approved. The original Certification is therefore amended as described below. Please attach this document to the original Certification.

This amendment is not valid until and unless an amendment to the Section 404 Permit with equivalent modifications is approved by the United States Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) or it is otherwise determined by USACE that an amendment of the 404 Permit is unnecessary.

**AMENDMENT:**

The Discharger is changed from Gonzaga Ridge Wind, LLC to Gonzaga Ridge Wind Farm, LLC.

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**WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION:**

I hereby issue an Order amending the existing Clean Water Act, Section 401 Technically Conditioned Water Quality Certification for the Gonzaga Ridge Wind Repowering Project (WDID#5B24CR00089A2). All other conditions and provisions of

the original Water Quality Certification and any previously approved amendments remain in full force and effect, except as modified based on the conditions of this Order. Failure to comply with the terms and conditions of the original Water Quality Certification, previously approved amendments, or of this Order may result in suspension or revocation of the Water Quality Certification.

for Patrick Pulupa  
Executive Officer

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