

Notice of Section 401 Application Reception

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Project Name: Southern California Edison Arrowhead Project 4 Road Repair

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Project Locations: 1. ENV_8528 – (34.243778°N, 117.335971°W)
2. ENV_8530 – (34.241355°N, 117.336088°W)
3. ENV_8525 – (34.221339°N, 117.337142°W)
4. ENV_8522 – (34.219118°N, 117.336567°W)

Project City and County: San Bernardino, San Bernardino

Applicant Organization: Southern California Edison (SCE)

Applicant Name: Robert LeMoine

Waterboard Staff: TBA

Brief Description of Project:

Project Description: SCE is continually repairing, maintaining, upgrading and replacing transmission facilities throughout its service territory. Ongoing operation and maintenance activities are necessary to ensure safe, reliable service as mandated by the California Public Utilities Commission. SCE has identified four (4) existing access road (18 feet wide) segments that cross or overlap with aquatic resources that are severely damaged.

Project Activities: SCE will conduct work within and adjacent to the Road Prism (Figures 3a-3d). The Road Prism consists of SCE's 18-foot-wide access roads. The work areas vary, and analysis was limited to work within aquatic resources. Work at ENV_8528 consists of grading within the Road Prism, vegetation management, and temporary potential staging within 25 feet of the edge of the Road Prism. Work at ENV_8530 consists of grading within and beyond to Road Prism to re-establish the washed-out road crossing. Rock riprap will be installed at select locations within the grading limits and outside of the Road Prism at ENV_8530. Work at ENV_8525 consists of debris management, grading within Road Prism, and vegetation management. Boulders will be relocated or removed from within the streambed, and grading will occur within the Road Prism outside of the streambed at both approaches to create a smooth transition across the stream at ENV_8525. Work at ENV_8522 consists of the replacement of a McCarthy Drain. Grading adjacent to the Road Prism, 25-feet along the road and 35-feet downslope, will be

necessary to facilitate the replacement of the McCarthy Drain at ENV_8522. Impacts to vegetation will include removal of vegetation within the Road Prism and grading limits which extend beyond the Road Prism at ENV_8530 and ENV_8522, tree trimming at ENV_8522, tree removal at ENV_8528 and ENV_8525, and vegetation trimming and brushing within five feet of the Road Prism at ENV_8528. Vegetation trimming will be conducted using hand tools such as line trimmers and chainsaws, or equipment such as a chipper truck and/or backhoe/skid-steer loader (i.e., Bobcat) with mower attachments. Vegetation may also be affected by drive-and-crush and staging of equipment within 25-feet of the Road Prism at ENV_8528 (within the potential staging area).