

EXHIBIT G

FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT (FONSI)

PRADO DAM

SANTA ANA RIVER

RIVERSIDE COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

Los Angeles District Office

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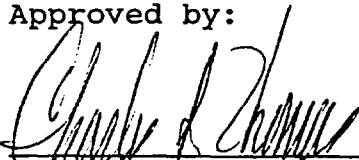
Prado Dam Water Control Manual
Santa Ana River, California

I have reviewed the attached Environmental Assessment (EA) prepared for the new Water Control Manual for Prado Dam, Santa Ana River, California. It provides information about the dam and reservoir, the Buffer Pool, water conservation activities, and descriptions of the organizations responsible for collecting data.

This Manual authorizes the reservoir manager the flexibility needed to optimize the diverse and often conflicting objectives under a variety of conditions. It also assists in protecting the habitat and continued presence of the least Bell's vireo, an endangered species. The Rincon Townsite, a National Register of Historic Places eligible property, is within the area of potential effects. It will not however be adversely effected by the implementation of the manual. Pursuant to Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act (36 CFR 800) we have informed the State Historic Preservation Officer of our determination. Subsequent concurrence from the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation constitutes compliance with the Act.

Consideration of all of the significant factors outlined in the EA and all pertinent environmental legislation indicates that the actions outlined in the proposed Manual would not significantly affect the quality of the human environment nor would there be adverse environmental effects. Due to the absence of significant project impacts I have determined that the preparation of an Environmental Impact Statement is not required.

Approved by:



Charles S. Thomas
Colonel, Corps of Engineers
District Engineer

14 Jun 91

Date