

1 **Title 14 of the California Code of Regulations (14 CCR),**
2 **Division 1.5, Chapter 4, Subchapter 7, Article 7.**

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4 **Amend:**

5 **§ 1104.1** **Conversion Exemptions**

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7 *****H) No sites of rare, threatened or endangered plants or animals shall be disturbed, threatened or
8 damaged and no timber operations shall occur within the buffer zone of a sensitive species as defined in
9 14 CCR 895.1.

10 (I) No timber operations on significant historical or archeological sites, except under the following
11 conditions:

12 1. If a significant archaeological site is identified by the RPF preparing the Notice of Conversion
13 Exemption within the project boundary, the site may be preserved in place by capping or covering with a
14 layer of soil prior to submission.

15 (a) If a site has been preserved in place, the RPF preparing the Notice of Conversion
16 Exemption shall obtain written concurrence from a Department Archaeologist prior to submission
17 indicating operations will not cause damage to a significant archeological site.

18 (b) The written concurrence from a Department Archaeologist shall be submitted with the
19 Notice of Conversion Exemption.

20 (J) The RPF and the timber operator shall meet (on-site, or off-site) if requested by either party to ensure
21 that sensitive on-site conditions and the intent of the conversion regulations such as, but not limited to,
22 slash disposal, will be complied with during the conduct of timber operations. *****

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24 Note: Authority cited: Sections 4551, 4553, 4584, 4604, 4611 and 4628, Public Resources Code.

25 Reference: Sections 4512, 4513, 4628 and 4584, Public Resources Code.