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 DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION  
 Off-Highway Motor Vehicle Recreation Division  
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**Notice of Exemption**

<b>To:</b> Office of Planning and Research P.O. Box 3044, Room 113 Sacramento, CA 95812-3044	<b>From:</b> California Department of Parks and Recreation (CDPR), Off-Highway Motor Vehicle Recreation (OHMVR) Division 1725 23 <sup>rd</sup> Street, Suite 200 Sacramento, CA 95816-7100
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**Project Title:** Imperial County Sheriff's Office, Salton Sea Restoration

**Project Applicant:** Imperial County Sheriff's Office

**Project Location – Specific:** Salton Sea shoreline

**Project Location – City:** N/A

**Project Location – County:** Imperial

**Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:** The project will fund measures to stop illegal OHV use of the Salton Sea shoreline in order to protect vegetation and wildlife habitat and reduce erosion. The project includes signage identifying areas restricted from OHV use, material to restore damaged areas and block access points, monitoring to stop further activity, informational kiosks educating the public of where to use OHVs legally, and trash removal.

**Name of Public Agency Approving Project:** CDPR, OHMVR Division

**Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project:** Imperial County Sheriff's Office

**Exempt Status:** (check one)

- Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
- Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
- Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
- Categorical Exemption (CE).
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number.
- Activity not subject to CEQA review. Section 15061(b)(3) No significant effect

**Reasons why project is exempt:** Project activities described above do not have the potential for causing a significant adverse effect on the environment. A CEQA Exemption Review Form for the project is on file at the OHMVR Division office listed above.

**Lead Agency Contact Person:**  
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Signature

Date:

Governor's Office of Planning & Research

- Signed by Lead Agency
- Signed by Applicant

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