

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

From: (Public Agency): Department of Water
Resources, San Joaquin Field
Division
4201 Sabodan Street, Bakersfield, CA 93313

County Clerk
County of: _____

(Address)

Project Title: BLPP embankment restoration

Project Applicant: Department of Water Resources, San Joaquin Field Division

Project Location – Specific:
West side of Bluestone Pumping Plant embankment and unnamed ephemeral drainage.
35.707311,-120.083229

Project Location – City: Lost Hills

Project Location –
County: Kern

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:
BLPP embankment and nearby ephemeral drainage have experienced heavy erosion. Repair of the embankment by installation of a down drain, river rock bed of the plant. A gabion will be installed on the bank to restore the wall. This work will support the drainage bank and the BLPP embankment during heavy precipitation events. The beneficiaries are the people of the State of California who depend on a reliable source of water.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Department of Water Resources

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Department of Water Resources-San Joaquin Field Division

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)); 15301 (b)
- Categorical Exemption. State type and section

number:

- Statutory Exemptions. State code

number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

This is work is maintenance of an existing structure and is therefore exempt under Title 14 California Code of Regulations Article 19 Section 15301 Class 1(b) maintenance of an existing facility.

Lead Agency

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If filed by applicant:

1. Attach certified document of exemption finding.
2. Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? Yes No

STATE CLEARINGHOUSE

Signature: [Signature] Date: 5/29/2019 Title: SR. Env. Scientist

- Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant