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Notice of Exemption

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

From: (Public Agency): CA State Coastal Conservancy
1515 Clay Street, 10th Floor
Oakland, CA 94612-1401
(Address)

Project Title: Surf and Ocean Education and Safety Camps

Project Applicant: MeWater Foundation

Project Location - Specific:
Agate Beach, Muir Beach, Ocean Beach, Pacifica State Beach, Fitzgerald Marine Reserve, Miramar Beach

Project Location - City: various Project Location - County: Marin, SF, San Mateo

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:
MeWater will provide surf and ocean education and safety camps for Bay Area youth and families in the San Francisco Bay Area. 30+ camps will be conducted in 2020-2021, and each will include coastal and marine ecosystem education, surfing instruction, mindfulness and emotional health exercises, and a beach cleanup.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California State Coastal Conservancy

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: MeWater Foundation

- 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));
[X] Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: 14 CCR Section 15301 (Existing Facilities)
[] Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:
The project is categorically exempt under 14 CCR Section 15301 (Existing Facilities) because it involves regular operation of the coastal locations that will be visited with no expansion of use.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Shalini Kannan Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (510) 286-4167

- 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? [X] Yes [] No

Signature: Shalini Kannan Date: 8/27/2019 Title: Project Manager

[X] Signed by Lead Agency [] Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code. Date Received for filing at OPR: _____
Reference: Sections 2108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

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