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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

From: (Public Agency): California Dept. of Transportation
1656 Union Street
Eureka, CA 95501

County Clerk
County of:

(Address)

Project Title: 200/299 Separation Project

Project Applicant: California Department of Transportation - District 1

Project Location - Specific:

This project is located in Humboldt County on State Route 299 between post miles R2.5 and R2.7

Project Location - City: Project Location - County: Humboldt

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The 200/299 Separation Project is proposed due to the low vertical clearance of the bridge, which causes extra-legal permit loads to use State Route 200, a narrow winding route, to reach U.S. Route 101. By raising the bridge, this project would improve the movement of extra-legal permit loads.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Department of Transportation

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: California Department of Transportation.

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. State type and section number: Class 1, Section 15301
Statutory Exemptions. State code number:

Reasons why project is exempt:

Biological, cultural, hazardous waste, water quality, visual, air, noise, and floodplain reviews have been completed by qualified specialists; there are no anticipated impacts to environmental resources.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Kellie Eldridge Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 707-445-5204

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

Signature: Kellie Eldridge Date: 10/1/19 Title: Associate Environmental Planner

Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

Date Received for filing at OPR:

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