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**NOTICE OF EXEMPTION**

**From:** Kern County Planning and Natural Resources Department  
2700 "M" Street, Suite 100  
Bakersfield, CA 93301

**Project Title:** PLN19-02019

**Project Location -- Specific:** 068-230-044

**Project Location -- City:** Unincorporated area of Kern County

**Project Location -- County:** Kern

**Description of Project:** Valley Resources, LLC (Valley Resources) is proposing the construction of a new well pad and to drill one (1) exploratory oil and gas well, the Shideler 1-28. If economical quantities of oil and gas are discovered in the well, Valley Resources would install production equipment on the proposed project site. See the attached Air and GHG Emission Report prepared for the proposed project for more detail.

**Name of Public Agency Approving Project:** KERN COUNTY PLANNING AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

**Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project:** Valley Resources, LLC

**Exempt Status:** (Sections 21080(b)(1) and 15268

**Reason Why Project Is Exempt:** O&G Conformity Review are ministerial under Kern County Zoning Ordinance and are exempt under Sections 21080(b)(1) and 15268 of the State CEQA Guidelines

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