

Notice of Exemption**Form D**

To: Office of Planning and Research
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From: California Energy Commission
 1516 Ninth Street, MS-48
 Sacramento, CA 95814

Project Applicant: Navigant Consulting, Inc.

Project Title: Initiatives to Advance and Increase Deployment of High-Performance Window and Building Envelope Technologies

Project Location:

Address	City	County
1 Market St	San Francisco 94105	San Francisco
77 S Bedford St Ste 400	Burlington 01803	

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The purpose of this paper study is to characterize the opportunities and technologies for improving windows and the building envelope, assess barriers to market adoption, and recommend RD&D activities that EPIC may sponsor to accelerate the commercialization and deployment of promising high performance window and building envelope technologies in California buildings.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Energy Commission

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Navigant Consulting, Inc.

Exempt Status: (check one)

- Ministerial Exemption (Pub. Resources Code § 21080(b)(1); Cal. Code Regs., tit 14, § 15268);
- Declared Emergency (Pub. Resources Code § 21080(b)(3); Cal. Code Regs., tit 14, § 15269(a));
- Emergency Project (Pub. Resources Code § 21080(b)(4); Cal. Code Regs., tit 14, § 15269(b)(c));
- Categorical Exemption. State type and section number
Cal. Code Regs., tit 14, § 15306
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number.
- Common Sense Exemption. (Cal. Code Regs., tit 14, §15061(b)(3))

Reasons why project is exempt:

This project is exempt under Section 15306, Information Collection, because it consists of basic data collection and research, which will not result in a serious or major disturbance to an environmental resource.


The project is also exempt under section 15061(b)(3) because it will involve information collection and research and will not have the potential for causing a significant effect on the environment.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Dustin Davis **Area code/Telephone/Ext:** 916-327-2223

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:  **Date:** 10/15/19 **Title:** EGSS I

- Signed by Responsible Agency
- Signed by Lead Agency
- Signed by Applicant

Date received for filing at OPR: _____

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