

**Notice of Exemption****Appendix E**

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County of: \_\_\_\_\_

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Project Title: BAKERSFIELD IRRIGATION REPAIRS

Project Applicant: California Department of Transportation

**Project Location - Specific:**

The project is located in Bakersfield, Kern County on State Route 178 at the Mt. Vernon eastbound on-ramp.

Project Location - City: Bakersfield

Project Location - County: Kern

**Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:**

The project will repair an existing irrigation facility. The purpose is to preserve existing landscaping from deterioration and loss of vegetation. No new right of way would be required.

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 1d

Statutory Exemption. State code number: \_\_\_\_\_

**Reason why project is exempt:**

The project will avoid or minimize impacts to the project area.

**Lead Agency**

Contact Person: Richard Putler

Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 559-445-5286

**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: Richard Putler Date: 1-23-2020 Title: Senior Environmental Planner

Signed by Lead Agency  Signed by Applicant

Governor's Office of Planning & Research

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

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