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## NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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File Ref: Lease 7191.9  
Item: 39

**Title:** GENERAL LEASE – PUBLIC AGENCY USE – Lease 7191.9

**Location:** Sovereign land located in the Goose Flats and Big Hole areas adjacent to the Colorado River, near Blythe, Riverside County.

**Description:** Authorize issuance of a General Lease – Public Agency Use beginning May 1, 2018, for a term of 10 years, for habitat restoration, revegetation, and public recreation.

**Name of Approving Public Agency:** California State Lands Commission

**Name of Proponent (Person or Agency):** California Department of Fish and Wildlife

**Exempt Status:**

Categorical Exemption:

CLASS 1, EXISTING FACILITIES (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, § 15301)

**Reasons for exemption:**

Issuance of a 10-year General Lease – Public Agency Use for the above-mentioned structure(s) will not cause a physical change in the environment and will not change existing activities in the area. There is no reasonable possibility that the activity will have a significant effect on the environment due to unusual circumstances. Therefore, the project will not have a significant effect on the environment and the above categorical exemption(s) apply(ies).

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