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**Subject: Filing of Notice of Determination  
 in Compliance with Section 21108 or 21152 of the Public Resource Code.**

**State Clearinghouse Number:** 2020040078

**Project Title:** Academic Replacement Building

**Project Applicant:** University of California, Berkeley

**Parties Undertaking Project:** University of California, Berkeley

**Project Location:** Campus Park, UC Berkeley, bounded by Campanile Way and Valley Life Sciences Building to the north, Dwinelle Hall to the east, and open space to the west.

**County:** Alameda


**Project Description:** The proposed Academic Replacement Building (formerly Evans Hall Replacement Building) will provide approximately 78,000 gross square feet (gsf) (45,800 assignable square feet (asf)) to house a portion of the functions in Evans Hall, including general assignment classrooms and student support space, such as undergraduate advising services and the Undergraduate Interdisciplinary Studies program for the College of Letters & Sciences.

This Notice of Determination is to advise that the University of California  Lead Agency has approved the above-described project on *September 22, 2022* and has made the following determinations:

1. The Project  would not cause any significant environmental impacts nor an increase in the severity of significant impacts previously studied in the UC Berkeley 2021 Long Range Development Plan (2021 LRDP) Environmental Impact Report (EIR).
2.  Addendum #3 to the UC Berkeley 2021 LRDP EIR was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
3. Relevant mitigation measures and continuing best practices  from the 2021 LRDP EIR were made a condition of the approval of the project; no new project-specific mitigation measures are required.
4. The implementation of applicable UC Berkeley 2021 LRDP EIR mitigation measures will be monitored and reported pursuant to the 2021 LRDP EIR’s Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program.
5. Findings  were made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

This is to certify that Addendum #3 to the 2021 Long Range Development Plan Environmental Impact Report and record of project approval is available to the general public at:

<https://capitalstrategies.berkeley.edu/environmental-review>. For further information about the project, please contact Senior Planner Raphael Breines at [planning@berkeley.edu](mailto:planning@berkeley.edu) or Physical & Environmental Planning, University of California, Berkeley, 200 A&E Building, Berkeley, CA 94720-1382.

**Signature:**   
 Brian Harrington  
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**Date:** *September 22, 2022*

**Date Received for Filing at OPR:**