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**2020 ENVIRONMENTAL FILING FEE CASH RECEIPT**  
 DFW 753.5a (Rev. 12/10/19) Previously DFG 753.5a

RECEIPT 37-2020- 0402
STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER (If applicable) --

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LEAD AGENCY SAN DIEGO UNIFIED PORT DISTRICT	LEAD AGENCY EMAIL --	DATE 05/28/2020
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COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING San Diego County	DOCUMENT NUMBER *2020-0402*
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PROJECT TITLE  
EXTERIOR PAGING SYSTEM BY SAN DIEGO CONVENTION CENTER AT CENTRE CITY EMBARCADERO

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME MARC LAHAY, SAN DIEGO CONVENTION CENTER CORPORATION	PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL --	PHONE NUMBER (619) 228-5969
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PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS 111 WEST HARBOR DRIVE	CITY SAN DIEGO	STATE CA	ZIP CODE 92101
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**PROJECT APPLICANT** (Check appropriate box)

Local Public Agency    
  School District    
  Other Special District    
  State Agency    
 Private Entity

**CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:**

<input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Impact Report (EIR)	\$3,343.25	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND)	\$2,406.75	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Certified Regulatory Program document (CRP)	\$1,136.50	\$ _____

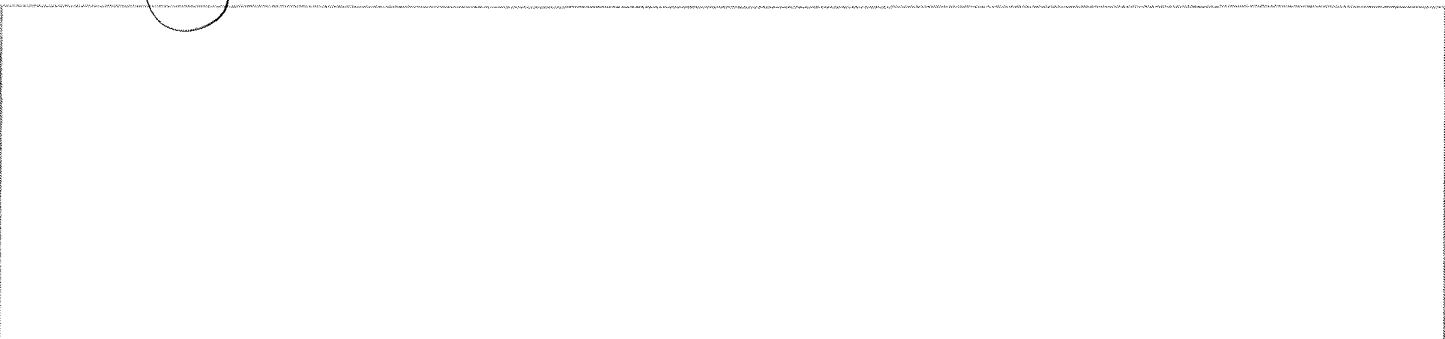
Exempt from fee  
 Notice of Exemption (attach)  
 CDFW No Effect Determination (attach)  
 Fee previously paid (attach previously issued cash receipt copy)

<input type="checkbox"/> Water Right Application or Petition Fee (State Water Resources Control Board only)	\$850.00	\$ _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> County documentary handling fee		\$ 50.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Other		\$ _____

**PAYMENT METHOD:**

Cash   
 Credit   
 Check   
 Other 042534   
**TOTAL RECEIVED**   
 \$ 50.00

SIGNATURE <b>X</b>	AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE San Diego County                      K.ORTIZ                      , Deputy
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Ernest J Dronenburg, Jr. Recorder County Clerk

MAY 28 2020

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BY                      **K. Ortiz**  
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**Notice of Exemption**

CEQA Guidelines Appendix E

**To:** ■ Office of Planning and Research  
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**From:** (Public Agency)  
San Diego Unified Port District  
Development Services Department  
3165 Pacific Highway  
San Diego, CA 92101

■ San Diego County Recorder/County Clerk  
1600 Pacific Highway, Suite 260  
San Diego, CA 92101-2480

**Project Title:** Exterior Paging System by San Diego Convention Center at Centre City Embarcadero  
**Project Location – Specific:** 111 West Harbor Drive, San Diego, CA 92109  
**Project Location – City:** San Diego  
**Project Location – County:** San Diego

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

The proposed project would involve installation of an exterior paging system by the Syska Hennessy Group on behalf of the San Diego Convention Center (Applicant) in the City of San Diego, California. Work to specifically complete the proposed project would involve installation of a maximum of thirty-two (32) speakers along the northern exterior walls of the San Diego Convention Center to improve announcements in areas of high pedestrian traffic. Three (3) specifications options for the speakers are proposed. However, the maximum dimensions of individual speakers would be eleven (11) inches (in.) tall by thirteen (13) in. wide by 13.5 in. deep. Additional improvements include installation of two (2) dedicated power circuits and amplifiers in wall-mounted cabinets, connections of new speakers to existing fiber optic infrastructure, new low-voltage speaker cabling, and conduit. All improvements would be integrated into existing structures and improvements. Construction of the proposed improvements is proposed to occur in Summer 2020 and would take approximately three months to complete.

Due to its nature and limited scope, construction of the proposed project would generate a minor amount of vehicle trips and would require limited use of equipment. Therefore, significant impacts related to air quality, greenhouse gas emissions, and transportation and traffic are not anticipated to occur. Furthermore, the Applicant would be responsible for complying with all applicable federal, state, and local laws regarding construction demolition debris, hazards and hazardous materials, and stormwater.

**Name of Public Agency Approving Project:** San Diego Unified Port District (SDUPD)  
**Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project:** Marc LaHay, Director of Building Operations, San Diego Convention Center Corporation, 111 West Harbor Drive, San Diego, CA 92101; (619) 228-5969


**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 Exemptions: Existing Facilities (SG § 15301) (Class 1), and New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures (SG § 15303) (Class 3)**
- Statutory Exemption. State code number:

**Reason Why Project is Exempt:** The proposed project is determined to be Categorically Exempt pursuant to California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines Sections 15301 (Existing Facilities) and 15303 (New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures) and Sections 3.a. and 3.c. of the District's Guidelines for Compliance with CEQA because it would involve installation of an exterior paging system and associated equipment and would involve no expansion of use beyond that previously existing, would not result in a significant cumulative impact due to the continuation of the existing use, and would consist of installation of small new equipment. Sections 3.a. and 3.c. of the District's CEQA Guidelines are as follows:

- 3.a. Existing Facilities (SG § 15301) (Class 1): Includes operation, repair, maintenance, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond that previously existing, including but not limited to:
- (3) Interior and exterior remodeling or alterations, involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond that previously existing, including, but not limited to, marine terminal facilities, and marine-oriented commercial, industrial, and public and commercial recreational facilities, including buildings, piers, wharves, marine ways; railroads; airport facilities, runways, taxiways, aprons, and ancillary structures to those facilities; or mechanical systems and equipment.
- 3.c. New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures (SG § 15303) (Class 3): Includes construction of limited numbers of new, small facilities or structures; installation of small new equipment and facilities in small structures; and conversion of existing small structures from one use to another with minor modifications to the exterior of the structure.

**Lead Agency Contact Person and Telephone Number:** Michael Paul, (619) 686-8112

**Signature:**  **Date:** 5-20-20 **Title:** Assistant Planner

- Signed by Lead Agency
- Signed by Applicant

**Date received for filing at OPR/Clerk:**

Governor's Office of Planning & Research

**Jun 18 2020**

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San Diego County



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Cashier Date: 05/28/2020  
Cashier Location: SD

Print Date: 05/28/2020 10:56 am

Payment Summary

Total Fees	\$50.00
Total Payments	\$50.00
Balance:	\$0.00

Payment	
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<b>Total Payments</b>	<b>\$50.00</b>
Miscellaneous Item	
FISH & WILDLIFE FEES	
Fees: Fish & Wildlife County Administrative Fee	\$50.00
<b>Total Fees Due:</b>	<b>\$50.00</b>
<b>Grand Total - All Documents:</b>	<b>\$50.00</b>