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Agency File No: IS 7808	LOCAL AGENCY PROPOSED MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION		County Clerk File No: E-
Responsible Agency (Name): Fresno County	Address (Street and P.O. Box): 2220 Tulare St. Sixth Floor	City: Fresno	Zip Code: 93721
Agency Contact Person (Name and Title): Ejaz Ahmad, Planner	Area Code: 559	Telephone Number: 600-4204	Extension: N/A
Applicant (Name): Bakers Commodities, Inc.	Project Title: Classified Conditional Use Permit Application No. 3670		
Project Description: Allow a cooker, condenser and a hopper within the proposed 870 square-foot expansion to an existing building, temporary storage of meat and bone meal, and increase in the raw material processing throughput rates at an existing animal rendering facility on a 39.10-acre parcel in the AE-20 (Exclusive Agricultural, 20-acre minimum parcel size) Zone District. The project site is located on the southeast corner of Jensen and Lassen Avenues approximately one mile west of the nearest city limits of the City of Kerman (16801 W. Jensen Ave., Kerman) (SUP. DIST.: 1) (APN No. 020-042-03S).			
Justification for Mitigated Negative Declaration: Based upon the Initial Study (IS 7808) prepared for Classified Conditional Use Permit Application No. 3670, staff has concluded that the project will not have a significant effect on the environment. No impacts were identified related to agriculture and forestry resources, biological resources, cultural resources, mineral resources, population and housing, recreation tribal cultural resources and wildfire. Potential impacts related to air quality, geology and soils, greenhouse gas emissions, hazards and hazardous materials, hydrology & water quality, land use and planning, noise, public services, transportation, utilities and service systems have been determined to be less than significant. Potential impacts related to aesthetics and energy have been determined to be less than significant with the included Mitigation Measure. The Initial Study and Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND) is available for review at 2220 Tulare Street, Suite A, Street Level, located on the southeast corner of Tulare and "M" Street, Fresno, California.			
FINDING: The proposed project will not have a significant impact on the environment.			
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Date: October 5, 2020	Type or Print Name: David Randall, Senior Planner	Submitted by (Signature):	

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