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State of California – The Resources Agency  
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION

## NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

**TO:** Office of Planning and Research  
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Sacramento, CA 95814

**FROM:** Department of Parks and Recreation  
1416 Ninth Street  
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**PROJECT TITLE:** Carpobrotus Removal in Torrey Pines SNR Extension (19/20-SD-24)  
**LOCATION:** Torrey Pines State Natural Reserve  
**COUNTY:** San Diego

**DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:** Natural Resources staff will kill the invasive Carpobrotus edulis with herbicide in Torrey Pines State Natural Reserve Extension. It will be hand pulled in areas close to native vegetation. Field work will not take place in coastal sage scrub during gnatcatcher breeding season. A cultural monitor may be required for ground disturbance associated with weed removal.

Measures to be implemented to avoid impact may be obtained by submitting a request to the project Environmental Coordinator listed below.

**PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT:** California Department of Parks and Recreation

**NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT:** San Diego Coast District

**EXEMPT STATUS:**

- Declared Emergency (Section 15269(a))  
 Emergency Project (Section 15269(b) and (c))  
 Statutory Exemption (Section )  
 Categorical Exemption  
     Class: 4                              Section: 15304

**REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:** No potential for significant impact to the environment is anticipated in compliance with CEQA §15300.4. If the project is implemented as indicated within the CDPR Project Evaluation Form, then it is exempt under CEQA §15304-Minor Alterations to Land. The action falls under the Departmental List of Exempt activities according to CEQA §15300.4 as "Resource management projects".

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