

Notice of Exemption

To: Office of Planning and Research
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From: California Highway Patrol
601 N. Seventh Street, Building B
Sacramento, CA 95811

Project Title: Lease Telecommunication Space at CHP Woodland Hills

Project Location – Specific: 5825 De Soto Avenue, Woodland Hills, CA 91367

Project Location - City: Woodland Hills

Project Location - County: Los Angeles

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The project will lease about 600 square feet of space for AT&T to remove an existing "cell on wheels" (COW) tower and standby generator mounted on a trailer and construct a 72-foot monopole with antennas and 30 KW (less than 50 bhp) diesel generator mounted on concrete slab. Project construction consists of removing vegetation, trenching, and excavation for a ten-foot underground concrete caisson foundation. Additional site work includes installation of communication and power lines to energize supporting axillary telecommunication equipment. Fencing will enclose the lease space. The project will allow modernization of telecommunication site.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Highway Patrol

Name of Person Carrying Out Project: Kim Tsumura, California Department of General Services
(916) 375-4050

Exempt Status:

Categorical Exemption: Section 15301 – Existing Facility

Reasons why project is exempt:

The project consists of leasing a telecommunication space and minor alteration of existing facility, mechanical equipment, topographic features involving negligible expansion of use at the time of the lead agency's determination. The project will not have a significant effect on resources in the area. State confirms that no exceptions apply that would preclude the use of an exemption for this project.

Lead Agency Contact Person: R.E Sidley

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Signature:  Date: 1/15/21

Title: Assistant Chief, Administrative Services Division

Signed by Lead Agency: Yes

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.

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Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.