

Notice Of Exemption

To: **Office of Planning and Research**
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From: Los Angeles Harbor Department
425 S. Palos Verdes St.
San Pedro, CA 90731

County Clerk
County of Los Angeles

Project Title: GLOBAL PEST MANAGEMENT - Space Assignment at 155 Cannery Street

Project Location - Specific: 155 Cannery Street

Project Location - City: Los Angeles **Project Location - County:** Los Angeles

Description of Project:

The proposed project is for issuance of a Space Assignment to GPM for continuation of existing operations at 155 Cannery Street in Terminal Island, CA 90731. Under this SA, GPM would continue to perform fumigation operations and storage of cargo containers at 155 Cannery Street in Terminal Island, CA 90731, which have been ongoing since 2016. GPM provides quarantine, non- quarantine and customized commodity fumigation services, specializing in imports placed on USDA/ CBP quarantine holds and certifying shipments for export. Specifically, services that are ongoing at the site include crate stamping and fumigating, USDA fumigations, pallet fumigations, container fumigations, timber treatments and vessel services to steamship lines. GPM applies fumigants five days per week, Monday through Friday (excluding holidays) from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Fumigation occurs in one primary outdoor, temporary tent structure. Occasionally, two secondary fumigation tents are set up to accommodate increased incoming commodity. The tents are currently equipped with ventilation systems with a 25- foot exhaust stack that aerates and disperses fumigation fumes into the atmosphere. GPM intends to continue existing operations under this extended SA, and to increase the 25- foot stack to a 35- foot stack.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Los Angeles Harbor Department

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: _____

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 Exemption.
- State type and section number: 1(18(d)) Statutory Exemptions.
- State code number: 15301, 15302, 15303

Reasons why project is exempt:


Issuance of permits, leases, agreements, berth and space assignments, and renewals, amendments or extensions thereof, or other entitlements granting use of the following existing facilities and land and water use areas involving negligible or no expansion of use and/ or alteration or modification of the facilities or its operations beyond that previously existing or permitted: (d) Storage areas for domestic shipment- receipt and foreign import- export commodities. Existing Facilities. Replacement or Reconstruction. New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures .

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Zoe Irish **Area Code/ Telephone/ Extension:** 310 732-3675

If filed by applicant:

1. Attach certified document of exemption finding.
2. Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? Yes No

Signature:  Christopher Cannon **Date:** 02/17/2021 **Title:** Director of Environmental Management

Signed by Lead Agency

Signed by Applicant

Date received for filing at OPR: _____