

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
1400 Tenth Street, Room 121
Sacramento, CA95814

From: Southern California Regional Rail Authority
(Public Agency) (SCRRA) 900 Wilshire Boulevard #1500
Los Angeles, CA 90017

County Clerk San Bernardino
County of

(Address)

Project Title: Rancho Cucamonga Siding Extension Project

Project Applicant: SCRRA

Project Location – Specific:

The Project is located on Metrolink’s San Gabriel Subdivision in the City of Rancho Cucamonga between Mile Posts (MP) 39.3 and MP 40.20.

Project Location – City: Rancho Cucamonga

Project Location – County: San Bernardino

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The Project proposes to extend the existing track siding by approximately 4,600 feet, increasing the total siding length to approximately 15,600 feet. The Project would improve safety by reducing conflicting train movements and improve reliability by allowing more efficient train operations. See attached project description for details.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: SCRRA

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: SCRRA

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
Statutory Exemptions. State code number: 15275

Reasons why the project is exempt:

The Project would increase commuter and passenger service by extending existing track siding on an existing rail line.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Justin Fornelli

Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 909-593-4291

If filed by the applicant:

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

Signature: Date: Title:

- [X] Signed by Lead Agency [] Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code. Date Received for filing at OPR:
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code