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| Agency File No:<br><b>IS 7938</b>  | <b>LOCAL AGENCY<br/>PROPOSED MITIGATED<br/>NEGATIVE DECLARATION</b>      |   | County Clerk File No:<br><b>E-</b> |
| Responsible Agency (Name):<br>Fresno County  | Address (Street and P.O. Box):<br>2220 Tulare St. Sixth Floor            | City:<br>Fresno   | Zip Code:<br>93721                 |
| Agency Contact Person (Name and Title):<br>Thomas Kobayashi<br>Planner   | Area Code:<br>559  | Telephone Number:<br>600-4224                                       | Extension:<br>N/A                  |
| Project Applicant/Sponsor (Name):<br>Chenguang Biotech America   | Project Title:<br>Classified Conditional Use Permit Application No. 3690 |   |                                    |
| Project Description:<br>Allow a value-added agricultural facility that will consist of a processing facility for raw agricultural materials including tomato pumice, grape see, and industrial hemp for extraction of lycopene and CBD oil, and distribution of produced products on a 20-acre portion of an existing 38.33-acre parcel in the AE-20 (Exclusive Agricultural, 20-acre minimum parcel size) Zone District. The project site is located at the northwest corner of N. Chateau Fresno Avenue and W. Shields Avenue, approximately 0.53 miles west of the city limits of the City of Fresno.   |  |   |                                    |
| Justification for Negative Declaration:<br>It has been determined that there would be no impacts to Energy, Land Use Planning, Mineral Resources, Population and Housing, Public Services, Recreation, and Wildfire.<br><br>Potential impacts related to Agricultural and Forestry Resources, Air Quality, Biological Resources, Geology and Soils, Greenhouse Gas Emissions, Hazards and Hazardous Materials, Hydrology and Water Quality, Noise, Transportation, and Utilities and Service Systems have been determined to be less than significant. Potential impacts relating to Aesthetics, Cultural Resources, and Tribal Cultural Resources have determined to be less than significant with compliance of recommended Mitigation Measures. |  |   |                                    |
| FINDING:<br>The proposed project will not have a significant impact on the environment.  |  |   |                                    |
| Newspaper and Date of Publication:<br>Fresno Business Journal – September 3, 2021  |  | Review Date Deadline:<br>Planning Commission – October 14, 2021     |                                    |
| Date:  | Type or Print Signature:<br>David Randall<br>Senior Planner              | Submitted by (Signature):<br>Thomas Kobayashi<br>Planner            |                                    |

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