

Notice of Exemption**Appendix E**

To: Office of Planning and Research
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County Clerk

County of: _____

From: (Public Agency): CA DEPT OF TRANSPORTATION
1750 E. FOURTH ST STE 100
SANTA ANA, CA 92705

(Address)

Project Title: Storm Water Mitigation

Project Applicant: Caltrans

Project Location - Specific:

State Route 1 between Interstate 5 and Doheny Park, Postmiles R0.1/R0.9

Project Location - City: San Juan Cap & Dana Pt Project Location - County: Orange

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

Caltrans proposes to improve off pavement access for maintenance workers through installation of all-weather access trails, maintenance vehicle pullouts and the relocation of existing roadside facilities to safe locations while also maximizing erosion control and slope stabilization . The public benefits.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Caltrans

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Caltrans

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: Class 1d Section 15301
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

The project is exempt under Class 1 Existing Facilities of the CEQA Statute & Guidelines

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Smita Deshpande Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 657-328-6151

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: Smita Deshpande Date: September 27, 2021 Title: Senior Environmental Planner

▪ Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____