

Notice of Exemption

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From: California Regional Water Quality
Control Board, San Diego Region
2375 Northside Drive, Suite 100
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Project Title: Nimitz Marine Facility Maintenance Dredging Project

Project Applicant: University of California, San Diego

Project Location – Specific: 297 Rosecrans Street

Project Location – City: San Diego

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Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project: The Discharger proposes to conduct maintenance dredging within the approach channel and at the Nimitz Marine Facility (MarFac) pier to maintain adequate navigational and berthing depths. Maintenance dredging is planned to the design depth of -22 feet mean lower low water (MLLW) plus two feet of overdredge. Total volume of material dredged is estimated to be 10,200 cubic yards.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Regional Water Quality Control Board

Name of Persons or Agency Carrying Out Project: University of California, San Diego

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: Section 15304 (g)

Statutory Exemption. State code number: _____

Reason why project is exempt: Project is maintenance dredging where spoil is deposited in a spoil area authorized by state and federal regulatory agencies

Responsible Agency

Contact Person: Alan Monji

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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 or No

Signature:

Date: May 12, 2022

Title: Executive Officer

Signed by Responsible Agency

Date received for filing at OPR: _____

Signed by Applicant

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

Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, 21152.1, Public Resource Code.