

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
1400 Tenth Street
Sacramento, CA 95814
County Clerk
County of: _____

From: (Public Agency) Caltrans, Dist. 06
2015 E. Shields Avenue, Ste 100
Fresno CA 93726

Project Title: Kings Canyon Structure Damage/Rail Damage

Project Applicant: California Department of Transportation

Project Location - Specific:
Located on State Route 180 between postmile 129.2 and 129.3 in Fresno County.

Project Location - City: _____ Project Location - County: FRE

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:
This project proposes to remove and replace damaged pavement, reinstall approximately 100 foot of Metal Beam Guardrail (MBGR), reinstall approximately 35 California ST-10 Bridge Rails, and repair the damaged barrier slab. The purpose of this project is to repair the pavement, reinstall guardrails and bridge rails, as well as repair a damaged barrier slab caused by a recent rock fall. This emergency contract is needed to avoid the failure or threat to the transportation system and to prevent or mitigate the loss of impairment of life, health, property, or essential public service.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Department of Transportation

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: California Department of Transportation

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 1. PRC 21084; 14 CCR 15300 et seq.
 Statutory Exemption. State code number: _____

Reason why project is exempt:
The project has been determined not to have a significant effect on the environment and is considered "exempt" from CEQA under Class 1 of 14 CCR 15300, Existing Facilities, for maintenance repair on existing facilities.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Juergen Vespermann Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (559) 832-0051

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: Juergen Vespermann Date: 05-16-2022 Title: Senior Environmental Planner

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.