Notice of Exemption

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

From: (Public Agency) Caltrans, Dist. 10
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    Stockton CA 95205

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Project Title: Mer-99 Rehabilitate Four Bridges (39-0126L/0126R/0128L/0128R)

Project Applicant: California Department of Transportation

Project Location - Specific:
East and West Atwater Overheads

Project Location - City: __________________________
Project Location - County: Merced

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:
This project purpose is to rehabilitate the “poor” rated deck to preserve the structural integrity of the bridges in a
safe and economic manner to delay, prevent or minimize major rehabilitation or replacement work. The current
structural condition identified for this bridge that if not addressed would affect its structural integrity to a point
where costlier rehabilitation or replacement action would be required.

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: Section 15301; Existing Facilities
☐ Statutory Exemption. State code number: __________________________

Reason why project is exempt:
Project will not affect any sensitive resources or their habitat, any cultural resources, or any other
environmentally sensitive resources.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Katie Gilroy
Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (209) 670-9159

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: Katie Gilroy Date: 6/30/2022 Title: Associate 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 __________________

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