

**Notice of Exemption**

**Appendix E**

To: Office of Planning and Research  
1400 Tenth Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
County Clerk  
County of: \_\_\_\_\_  
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From: (Public Agency) Caltrans, Dist. 11  
4050 Taylor Street, MS 242 SB  
San Diego CA 92110

Project Title: SR 78 Culvert System Repair

Project Applicant: California Department of Transportation

Project Location - Specific:  
San Diego County State Route 78 postmile 19.5

Project Location - City: \_\_\_\_\_ Project Location - County: SD

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:  
The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) proposes to implement a District Director’s Order to remove and replace drainage culverts on State Route 78 at postmile 19.5 near Park Hill Lane in the County of San Diego. Access via an adjacent property may be needed during construction.

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: 15301
- Statutory Exemption. State code number: \_\_\_\_\_

Reason why project is exempt:  
Maintenance of existing highway.

Lead Agency  
Contact Person: San Boyce Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 619-930-6258

**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:  Date: 7/14/22 Title: Associate 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.