

**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. 06  
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CA  
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Project Title: SB ROUTE 41/FRIANT AVENUE RAMP IMPROVEMENTS

Project Applicant: California Department of Transportation

Project Location - Specific:  
State Route 41 at the Friant Road on and off ramps.

Project Location - City: Fresno Project Location - County: FRE

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:  
Remove and replace HMA

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: 2
- Statutory Exemption. State code number: \_\_\_\_\_

Reason why project is exempt:  
Replacement or reconstruction

Lead Agency

Contact Person: David Arredondo Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 559-383-5286

**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: David Arredondo Date: 10/5/2022 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 \_\_\_\_\_