

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
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From: (Public Agency) Caltrans
111 Grand Avenue
Oakland, CA 94612
(Address)

County Clerk

County of: Alameda, Contra Costa, Santa Clara, San
Mateo and Solano.

Project Title: Ramp Metering Systems

Project Applicant: California Department of Transportation (Caltrans)

Project Location—Specific:

44 project locations; 10 are in Alameda County, 8 are in Contra Costa County, 14 are in Santa Clara County, 11 are in San Mateo County, and 1 is in Solano County.

Project Location—City: Various Project Location—County: Alameda

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

Caltrans proposes to construct a project that will modify and alter the existing ramp metering systems that have a high frequency of knockdowns at various locations throughout Caltrans District 4. Of the 44 project locations 10 are in Alameda County, 8 are in Contra Costa County, 14 are in Santa Clara County, 11 are in San Mateo County, and 1 is in Solano County. According to the SLR maps from the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), the project locations are not susceptible to sea level rise.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Caltrans

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Caltrans

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: 1B
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

Existing facilities of both investor and publicly owned utilities used to provide electric power, natural gas, sewerage, or other public utility services.

Lead Agency _____ Area Code/Telephone/
Contact Person: Wahida Rashid Extension: (510) 286-5935

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: _____ Title: _____

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: _____