

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
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County Clerk

County of: _____

From: (Public Agency): _____
The Board of Trustees of The California State University

401 Golden Shore, Long Beach, CA 90802

(Address)

Project Title: Parking 12 Photovoltaic System Installation

Project Applicant: San Diego State University (SDSU)

Project Location - Specific:

8th floor of the existing Parking 12 (#82) Structure

Project Location - City: San Diego

Project Location - County: San Diego

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

This project will consist of the installation of (2) new photovoltaic (PV) carport canopies and will result in the generation of 983,154 kWh of solar-powered electricity per year that will tie into the campus's existing electrical service and virtually allocate energy efficient power to the existing Aztec Recreation Center (#69), the Arena Meeting Center (#69A), and the Viejas Arena at Aztec Bowl (#70), reducing the campus's reliance on the electrical power grid. This will lead to both environmental and economic sustainability.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California State University (CSU) Board of Trustees

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Associated Students of San Diego State University

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, Class 1

Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

This project is eligible for the Class 1 categorical exemption (Existing Facilities). It is an alteration of the existing electrical system by adding (2) photovoltaic (PV) carport canopies to the 8th floor of the existing Parking 12 (#82) structure to provide solar power that will tie into the campus's existing electrical service. The project is not subject to any of the Section 15300.2 exceptions to the categorical exemptions, as the project would not damage scenic resources within a scenic highway corridor, or historic resources, the project site is not included on any list of hazardous sites, there is no reasonable possibility of a significant impact to the environment, and no significant cumulative impacts will result from the project.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Robert Schulz

Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 619-594-6017

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: 07/05/2023 Title: University Architect

▪ 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: _____