

Notice of Exemption

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FROM: Kings County Community Development Agency
Kings County Government Center
Hanford, CA 93230

PROJECT TITLE:
Development Code Text Change No. 668.17(b)- (County of Kings)

PROJECT APPLICANT:
Kings County Community Development Agency,
1400 W. Lacey Blvd, Bldg. 6 Hanford, CA 93230

PROJECT LOCATION - Specific:
Unincorporated areas of Kings County

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Unincorporated areas of Kings County

PROJECT LOCATION - County:
Kings

DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT:
Development Code Text Change No. 668.17(b)- Amendment of various sections of Articles 5, 7, 12 & 25 of the Kings County Development Code to address the State's amendments to Accessory Dwelling Unit (ADU) law as part of the Community Development Agency's continuing administration and maintenance of the Kings County Development Code.

NAME OF PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING PROJECT:
Kings County Board of Supervisors

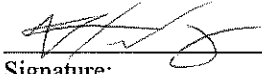
NAME OF PERSON OR AGENCY CARRYING OUT PROJECT:
Kings County Community Development Agency, 1400 W. Lacey Blvd, Bldg. 6 Hanford, CA 93230, (559) 852-2670

EXEMPT STATUS: (check one)
 Ministerial (Section 21080(b)(1); 15268);
 Declared Emergency (Section 21080(b)(4); 15269(a));
 Emergency Project (Section 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
 Categorical Exemption. section number: 15601(b)(3)
 Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:
The approval of Development Code Text Change No. 668.17(b) is exempt from CEQA review pursuant to Section 15061(b)(3) of the Guidelines for California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA Guidelines). This section states that a project is exempt from CEQA if the activity is covered by the general rule that CEQA applies only to projects which have the potential for causing a significant effect on the environment. Where it can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility that the activity in question may have a significant effect on the environment, the activity is not subject to CEQA. The changes in the Development Code are technical changes concerning general policy for the implementation of the zoning regulations and there is no possibility that these changes will have a significant effect on the environment by the act of adopting the Development Code Text Change. For the same reason, none of the circumstances in CEQA Guidelines Section 15300.2 applies.

TELEPHONE NUMBER: (559) 852-2685

CONTACT PERSON: Victor Hernandez

Signature: 
Title: Planner
Date: August 28, 2023

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KRISTINE LEE
KINGS COUNTY CLERK
DEPUTY

Kristine Lee

I declare, under penalty of perjury, that on the date below I posted a copy of this notice in the office of the County Clerk that said notice remained posted for 30 days
Date: 8/29/23
KRISTINE LEE, County Clerk Recorder
By: *[Signature]* Deputy

GOVERNMENT CODE
SECTIONS 6103 and 27383

6103 Neither the state nor any county, city, district, or other political subdivision, nor any public officer or body, acting in his or her official capacity on behalf of the state, or any county, city, district, or other political subdivision, shall pay or deposit any fee for the filing of any document or paper, for the performance of any official service, or for the filing of any stipulation or agreement that may constitute an appearance in any court by any other party to the stipulation or agreement. This section does not apply to civil jury fees or civil jury deposits. This section does not apply to the State Compensation Insurance Fund or where a public officer is acting with reference to private assets or obligations that have come under that officer's jurisdiction by virtue of his or her office, or where it is specifically provided otherwise. No fee shall be charged for the filing of a confession of judgment in favor of any of the public agencies named in this section.

No fee shall be charged any of the public agencies named in this section to defray the costs of reporting services by court reporters. Such fees shall be recoverable as costs as provided in Section 6103.5. *(Amended by Stats. 2008, Ch. 218, Sec. 2. Effective January 1, 2009.)*

27383 No fee shall be charged by the recorder for services rendered to the State, to any municipality, county in the State or other political subdivision thereof, except for making a copy of a paper or record. *(Added by Stats. 1955, Ch. 488.)*