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NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

Project Title:

Caretaker for ISKCON Temple (UPM)

Control Number:

PLNP2023-00200

Project Location:

The project is located at 2424 Arden Way Unit #7, approximately 800 feet southwest of the intersection of Arden Way and Fulton Avenue, in the Arden Arcade community of unincorporated Sacramento County.

APN:

285-0040-046-0006

Description of Project:

A Minor Use Permit for a caretaker dwelling in the Business and Professional Office (BP) zoning district, located in the Arden Arcade community.

Name of public agency approving project:

Sacramento County – ceqa@saccounty.net

Person or agency carrying out project:

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Exempt Status:

Categorical Exemption (PRC Section 21084; CEQA Guidelines Sections 15300 -15333):

- CEQA Guidelines Section 15301 – Existing Facilities

Reasons why project is exempt:

Class 1 consists of the operation and permitting of existing private facilities, involving negligible or no expansion of existing or former use. The project consists of the permitting of a resident caretaker at an existing temple, involving negligible expansion of existing use. Therefore, the project is exempt under the provisions of CEQA.

Section 15300.2-Exceptions

Section 15300.2 of the CEQA Guidelines, Exceptions, provides conditions under which categorical exemptions are inapplicable. Review of the Project indicates that it will not violate any of the exceptions, as described in the following section.

1. *The project will occur in certain specified sensitive environments or locations;*

The project site does not occur in a sensitive environment or location. The project site is located in an urban area and is confined to the interior of an existing building.

2. *Cumulative impacts will be considerable because successive projects of the same type will occur at the same place over time;*

The project consists of the permitting of a resident caretaker at an existing temple and therefore, would not result in significant cumulative environmental impacts. No cumulative impacts will result from the Project and successive projects of the same type and at the same place over time.

3. *There is a reasonable possibility that the activity will have a significant effect on the environment due to unusual circumstances;*

There are no known unusual circumstances that will have a significant effect on the environment.

4. *The project may result in damage to scenic resources, including but not limited to trees, historic buildings, rock outcroppings, or similar resources within a highway officially designated as a scenic highway;*

The Project is not located in the vicinity of a highway officially designated as a scenic highway. The project will not result in damage to scenic resources or similar resources within a highway that is officially designated as a scenic.

5. *The project is located on a site which is included on any list compiled pursuant to Section 65962.5 of the Government Code; or*

The Project site is not included on any list compiled pursuant to Section 65962.5 of the Government Code. Additionally, a search of the EnviroStor and GeoTracker databases was conducted, and no hazardous material records were located on site or in close proximity; therefore, the Project will not have an impact related to being located on a hazardous waste site.

6. *The project may cause a substantial adverse change in the significance of a historic resource.*

The project site does not contain any historical resources.



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