



DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION

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Notice of Exemption

Table with 2 columns: To (Office of Planning and Research) and From (California Department of Parks and Recreation)

Project Title: Sequoia National Forest, Horse Canyon Restoration Fencing

Project Applicant: USFS Sequoia National Forest – Kern River Ranger District

Project Location – Specific: Horse Canyon, Route 27S11

Project Location – City: N/A

Project Location – County: Kern

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project: Project activities promote continued use of park established and maintained routes through the installation of fencing to discourage use of user established trails.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: CDPR, OHMVR Division

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: USFS Sequoia National Forest

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));
[X] Categorical Exemption (CE). 15301 Existing Facilities
Statutory Exemptions. State code number.

Reasons why project is exempt: The project is exempt because it falls within the CE class listed above. Project activities described above do not have the potential for causing a significant adverse effect on the environment.

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Date: 12/14/2023

- [X] Signed by Lead Agency
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