

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

From: (Public Agency): CA Dept Fish and Wildlife

County Clerk
County of:

(Address)

Project Title: Dec. 20, 2023 Commercial Season Delay and Recreational Crab Trap Prohibition

Project Applicant:

Project Location - Specific:
Ocean waters the Sonoma/Mendocino county line and the U.S./Mexico border and Sonoma/Mendocino county line to Lopez Point.

Project Location - City: Statewide coastal waters Project Location - County: Statewide coastal waters

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:
Commercial fishery season delay in Fishing Zones 3-6 and crab trap prohibition in Fishing Zones 3 and 4 to reduce risk of marine life entanglement

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: CA Dept of Fish and Wildlife

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: CA Dept of Fish and Wildlife

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. State type and section number: Section 15307 (Class 7); 15308 (Class 8)
Statutory Exemptions. State code number:

Reasons why project is exempt:
see attached

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Ryan Bartling Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (415) 238-2638

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: [Signature] Date: 12-20-23 Title: Director

Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code. Date Received for filing at OPR:
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.