NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

To: County Clerk
County of Los Angeles
Environmental Filings
12400 East Imperial Highway #2001

From: City of Industry
15625 Mayor Dave Way,
City of Industry, CA 91744

Norwalk, CA 90650

Project Title: Conditional Use permit CUP 23-07

Project Location - Specific: 18007 Gale Ave

Project Location-City: APNs: 8264-014-053, City of Industry

Project Location-County: Los Angeles

Description of Project: Adoption of a resolution approving Conditional Use Permit No. 23-07, to allow for the operation used as a fast-food restaurant with the sale of beer and wine, for on-site consumption.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Planning Commission, City of Industry

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Siyuan Wang, on behalf of Seven Guys, LLC

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));
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☐ Statutory Exemptions. *State code number:*

Reasons why project is exempt: An Environmental Assessment form was submitted by the Applicant pursuant to the City's requirements. Based upon the information received and Staff's review and assessment, the proposed project is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) per Section 15301 (Class 1 Existing Facilities (a)) of the CEQA Guidelines for the following reasons: (1) Class 1 consists of the operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of existing or former use. The project consists of the addition of alcohol service to an existing fast -food restaurant and therefore is only a negligible expansion of the existing restaurant use. The fast-food restaurant Gourd Bro is required to operate and maintain the premises as a bona fide eating place under the Type 41 ABC license. The business must maintain suitable kitchen facilities and must make actual and substantial sales of meals for consumption on the premises. Minors are allowed on the premises; and (2) no expansion of square- footage or modifications to the existing restaurant are proposed as part of this project.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Dina Lomeli Telephone: (626) 333-2211

Signature: ______ Date: <u>2/06/2024</u>

Title: Contract Senior Planner