

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
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From: (Public Agency): California Department of Justice
1300 I Street

Sacramento, CA 95814

County Clerk

County of: _____

(Address)

Project Title: DOJ - Install New Fume & Biological Hoods in Toxicology Lab

Project Applicant: _____

Project Location - Specific:

4949 Broadway

Project Location - City: Sacramento Project Location - County: Sacramento County

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The work involves an approximately 975 SF Toxicology lab remodel located at the second floor (Area F) of the existing two-story. The space currently has four fume hoods - three will be removed and six will be added (5 ft hoods are assumed). It is assumed a new makeup air unit will be needed to supply the needed additional air flow. In addition, biological safety cabinets will be incorporated, but without exhaust (and makeup air). A new lab systems/equipment/cabinets and new suspended ceiling and lighting will be installed. A portion of the existing desktop, upper shelves, and cabinets will also be removed. New flooring will be installed to a portion of the room and walls will be repainted. The space will remain operational during renovation. Electrical construction tools will be used to demo and install improvements.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Department of Justice

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Department of General Services

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));
- Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: Existing Facilities - 15301
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

The project consists of lab operations at an existing building and involves negligible or no expansion of the existing building use. The project will not have a significant effect on resources in the area. The State confirms that no exceptions apply which would preclude the use of an exemption for this project.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Madeline Massello Jimenez Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (916) 210-2057

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: *Madeline Massello Jimenez* Date: 2/29/24 Title: SSMII

Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____