



**State of California – The Resources Agency
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION**

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: Office of Planning and Research
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FROM: Department of Parks and Recreation
Angeles District
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PROJECT TITLE: CDFW Spill Prevention and Response Practice Deployment Right of Entry

LOCATION: Leo Carrillo State Park

COUNTY: Los Angeles County

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:

Issue Right of Entry to the California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) for access to conduct a practice deployment of the Sensitive Site Strategy Evaluation Program (SSSEP) strategies for Leo Carrillo State Park (South Beach) to be deployed in the event of a nearby oil spill. CDFW's SSSEP evaluates strategies and selects sites statewide that are particularly vulnerable to an oil spill. These areas are identified in Area Contingency Plans and are rich in sensitive resources such as fish, birds, and marine mammals. Many also include habitat for wildlife breeding, nesting, and feeding.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT: California Department of Parks and Recreation

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Angeles

EXEMPT STATUS:

- Declared Emergency (Section 15269(a))
- Emergency Project (Section 15269(b) and (c))
- Statutory Exemption (Section)
- Categorical Exemption *Class: 5 Section(s): 15305 – Minor Alterations in Land Use Limitations*

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:

No potential for significant impacts to the environment is anticipated in compliance with CEQA §15300.2. If the project is implemented as indicated within the CDPR Project Evaluation Form, including conditions provided by CDPR staff, it is exempt under the Departmental List of Exempt Activities established under the authority of CEQA §15300.4 as:

Class: 5 Section(s): 15305 – Issuance of Temporary Use Permits

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