

# Notice of Exemption

## Appendix E

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

County Clerk

County of: N/A

**From:** (Public Agency): State Water Board

1001 I Street

Sacramento, CA 95814

(Address)

Project Title: SFPP, L.P. (SFPP) Line Section 9 (LS-9) Anomaly Digs Project

Project Applicant: Kinder Morgan

Project Location - Specific:

The Project is located south of Orwood Road and 2.5 miles east of Bixler Road along existing access road paralleling the south side of the Mokelumne Aqueduct conveyance pipelines.

Project Location - City: Brentwood

Project Location - County: Contra Costa

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The Project involves excavation, inspection and repair of Line Section 9 (LS-9), a 10-inch buried refined products pipeline, Anomaly Digs 2022-99A/2022-19A and 2022-197A. A stream channel, irrigation ditch, intersects both workspace locations.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: State Water Resources Control Board

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Kinder Morgan

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: §15301(b) Existing Facilities

Statutory Exemptions. State code number: \_\_\_\_\_

Reasons why project is exempt:

The project involves maintenance of an existing public utility service to provide natural gas with no expansion of existing use. No exceptions apply to the categorical exemption 15301. Also, Section 15302 (c) is applicable.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Nimisha Patel

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**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: Phillip Crader

 Digitally signed by Phillip Crader  
Date: 2024.08.01 12:13:18 -07'00'

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: Deputy Director

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: \_\_\_\_\_