



## NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

**To:** County of Los Angeles  
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12400 Imperial Highway,  
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**From:** Port of Long Beach  
Environmental Planning Division  
415 West Ocean Boulevard  
Long Beach, California 90802

**Project Title:** On-Call Services for Underground Wet Utilities – Authority to Advertise for Bids  
Specification HD-S3208

**State Clearinghouse No.:**

**Project Location – Specific:** Long Beach Harbor District

**Project Location – City:** Long Beach

**Project Location – County:** Los Angeles County

**Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:** The Long Beach Board of Harbor Commissioners authorized the Chief Executive Officer to advertise for bids On-Call Marine Concrete Repair Services under Specification HD-S3209 for the repairs, rehabilitation, and/or replacement of Port-wide waterfront concrete structures.

**Name of Public Agency Approving Project:** Port of Long Beach

**Name of Person or Agency Carrying out Project:** Port of Long Beach

**Exempt Status: (check one):**

- Ministerial Exemption [Section 21080(b)(1); 15268];
- Declared Emergency (Section 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
- Emergency Project [Section 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c)]
- Categorical Exemption.

*State type and section number: Section 15301 Class 1, Existing Facilities;  
Section 15302 Class 2, Replacement or Reconstruction; Section 15304(f) Class 4, Minor Alterations to  
Land*

- Statutory Exemption.

*State code number:*

- Common Sense Exemption (Section 15061(b)(3))

**Reasons why project is exempt:**

Section 15301 Existing Facilities (Class 1): The Class 1 Categorical Exemption consists of the operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, 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. Based on bids received, the Port would enter into contracts with contractors to perform the repair, rehabilitation, and/or replacement of existing Port-wide underground wet utilities, including potable water, sanitary sewer, and storm drain systems under the existing Harbor Development Permit (HDP) 23-039 issued in August 2023 for routine maintenance, repair, and rehabilitation activities within the Harbor District. The project involves negligible or no expansion of existing or former use.

Section 15302 Replacement or Reconstruction (Class 2): The Class 2 Categorical Exemption consists of the replacement or reconstruction of existing structures and facilities where the new structure will be located on the same site as the structure replaced and will have substantially the same purpose and capacity as the structure replaced. Based on the bids received, the Port would enter into contracts with contractors for work involving the repair rehabilitation, and/or replacement of Port-wide wet utility infrastructure under the existing HDP 23-039 issued in August 2023 for routine maintenance, repair, and rehabilitation activities within the Harbor District.

Section 15304(f) Minor Alterations to Land (Class 4): Section 15304(f) consists of minor alterations to land involving minor trenching and backfilling where the surface is restored. Activities under the On-Call Services for Underground Wet Utilities may involve trenching to conduct the repair, rehabilitation, and/or replacement of Port-wide wet utility infrastructure, where the trench will be backfilled and the surface restored to match surrounding conditions.

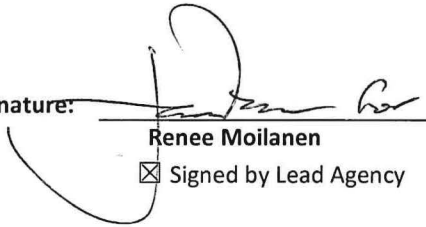
The Port has determined that none of the exceptions to the exemptions in the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines Section 15300.2 foreclose the use of the categorical exemption in CEQA Guidelines Section 15301 (Existing Facilities), Section 15302 (Replacement or Reconstruction), and/or Section 15304(f) (Minor Alterations to Land); Therefore, the Project is exempt from CEQA and no further environmental review is required.

**Lead Agency**

**Contact Person:** Allyson Teramoto **Area Code/Telephone/Extension:** (562) 283-7100

**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:**  **Date:** 8/7/24 **Title:** Director of Environmental Planning

Renee Moilanen

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: \_\_\_\_\_