

Notice of Exemption

To: Office of Planning and Research
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County Clerk
County of ORANGE

From: Caltrans District 12
1750 E. Fourth St. Suite 100
Santa Ana, CA 92705

Project Title: Traffic Management System (TMS) Minor B Project

Project Applicant: Caltrans

Project Location - Specific: State Route 142 Postmiles 0.7/6.4

Project Location - City: Brea

Project Location - County: Orange

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project: Caltrans proposes a Minor B TMS installation project on Southbound (SB) State Route (SR) 142 at various locations in the city of Brea, Orange County. Project work includes the installation of Closed-Circuit Television (CCTV) Cameras to existing traffic signal infrastructure and connect to existing signal cabinets and power sources at 5 locations along SR-142 including SR-90 & Valencia Avenue, Valencia and Birch St/Rose Dr., Valencia and Lambert/Carbon Canyon Road, Carbon Canyon and Ruby Road, and Carbon Canyon and the County line. One location required a new VDS pole being installed behind the guardrail system. The purpose of the project is to enhance traffic management and safety, and monitor congestion and mobility by installing new CCTV cameras along SB SR-142. All work will occur in Caltrans ROW. The public benefits.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Caltrans

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Caltrans

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: 15300 Class 1(d)
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

Project is exempt under CEQA 15300 Class 1(d)

Lead Agency Contact Person: Bahar Heydari

Phone number: 949-358-4691

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: Smita Deshpande

Date: 11/7/24

Title: Senior Environmental Scientist

Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____

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