

## Notice of Exemption

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

County Clerk  
County of Alameda

**From:** Caltrans; District 4  
111 Grand Avenue, Environmental Maintenance  
Oakland, CA 94612

Project Title: Replace SMART Cushions- 2X920/0425000166

Project Applicant: Caltrans; D4 Maintenance

Project Location - Specific: eastbound SR 80 (PM: 1.77 and 1.97) in Alameda County near the SFOBB in Oakland.

Project Location - City: Oakland Project Location - County: Alameda

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:

replace the SMART cushion systems at two locations that are heavily damaged that require immediate repair to reduce the immediate threat to life and property and essential services. Specifically, work will require traffic control, place/remove K-rail, remove existing SMART cushion systems and install new SMART cushion systems.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: \_\_\_\_\_

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: PRC 21084; 14CCR 15301
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: \_\_\_\_\_

Reasons why project is exempt:

Class 1. EXISTING FACILITIES (d) Restoration or rehabilitation of deteriorated or damaged structures, facilities, or mechanical equipment to meet current standards of

public health and safety, unless it is determined that the damage was substantial and resulted from an environmental hazard such as earthquake, landslide, or flood.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Mariam Farrar Phone number: 510-851-2292

**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: Mariam Farrar Date: 2/3/2025 Title: Senior Env 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.