

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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From: Port of Long Beach
Environmental Planning Division
415 West Ocean Boulevard
Long Beach, California 90802

Project Title: Anodes Installation – Harbor Development Permit No. 25-011
State Clearinghouse No:
Project Applicant: Long Beach Utilities
Project Location – Specific: Pier F Avenue; Harbor Planning District 8 – Southeast Harbor
Project Location – City: Long Beach, California **Project Location – County:** Los Angeles County

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

Install anodes and test stations in six (6) locations along Pier F Avenue to cathodic protect the steel gas main.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Port of Long Beach
Name of Agency/Org. Carrying out Project: Long Beach Utilities
Project Applicant Contact Person: Yetein Hu, Capital Projects Coordinator
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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 Existing Facilities and 15303 New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures
- Statutory Exemption.
State code number:

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. The project involves the installation of new anodes to an existing steel gas main involving no expansion of existing or former use.

Section 15303 New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures (Class 3): The Class 3 Categorical Exemption consists of construction and location of limited numbers of new, small facilities or structures; installation of small new equipment and facilities in small structures; and the conversion of existing small structures from one use to another where only minor modifications are made in the exterior of the structure. The project involves the installation of new anodes and test stations to cathodic protect a steel gas main.

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 Categorical Exemption CEQA Guidelines Section 15301 (Existing Facilities) and Section 15303 (New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures), therefore the Project is exempt from CEQA and no further environmental review is required.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Amy Wong

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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:



Date: 4/28/25

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: _____