

Notice of Exemption

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

From: Caltrans, Dist.10
1976 E. Dr Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd
Stockton, Ca 95205

Project Title: 10-1T780 STA TMS Upgrades

Project Applicant: California Department of Transportation

Project Location - Specific: This project is six different locations along State Route (SR) 33 at Postmile (PM) 13.17, SR 99 at PM M18.53, SR 99 at PM R20.24, SR 108 at PM 25.382, SR 108 at PM 27.08, and SR 132 at PM 20.1 in Stanislaus County

Project Location - City: Modesto/Empire Project Location - County: Stanislaus

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:

The scope of work includes replacing signal heads, Accessible Pedestrian Signals (APS) and cabinets. All work will be done within Caltrans Right of Way. The purpose of the project is to ensure the Traffic Management Center has reliable real-time live video feed of roadway, traffic, and weather conditions within the project limits. The project is needed to improve mobility of the traveling public.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Department of Transportation

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: California Department of Transportation

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: Section 15301 Existing Facilities
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

The project will not affect any sensitive species or their habitat, cultural resources, scenic resources, or any

other environmentally sensitive resources.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Maria Garcia Lopez Phone number: 209-670-9385

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: Maria Garcia Lopez Date: _____ Title: 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.