

## Notice of Exemption

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**To:** Office of Planning and Research  
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**From:** California Department of Transportation  
100 S. Main St. MS16A  
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Project Title: Lumen Joint-Builder Middle-Mile Broadband Network Project

Project Applicant: Lumen Company

Project Location - Specific: LA405- PM 10.61

Project Location - City: \_\_\_\_\_ Project Location - County: Los Angeles

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:

Lumen Company proposes to access existing manholes on Carson St. (City of Carson) and W. Wardlow Rd. (City of Long Beach) to pull fiber optic cables for the Middle-Mile Broadband Network. Traffic control on Carson St. and W. Wardlow Rd. will require traffic control set up on Caltrans right-of-way on Route 101 post-mile (PM) S0.91 in Los Angeles County.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Caltrans

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Kennith Goden

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: \_\_\_\_\_
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: PRC 21080.51

Reasons why project is exempt:

There is no construction, excavation, trenching, or digging required within Caltrans right-of-way.


Lead Agency Contact Person: Lillian Cai

Phone number: 213-312-7543

**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: 5/07/2025      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.