

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

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

From: (Public Agency): Caltrans
855 M Street
Fresno, CA 93721
(Address)

Project Title: Guardrail Replacement

Project Applicant: Caltrans

Project Location - Specific:
In the City of Bakersfield on State Route 178 postmile 3.27 (near Flower Street)

Project Location - City: Bakersfield Project Location - County: Kern

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:
To maintain existing highway facilities, Caltrans proposes to remove and replace the existing metal guardrail systems on the onramp from Beale Avenue (left and right sides) and a portion of the westbound lane on State Route 178

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));
[X] Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: Class 1, section 15301
[] Statutory Exemptions. State code number:

Reasons why project is exempt:
The purpose of the project is to repair and maintain existing facilities. There will be no expansion of existing uses.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Shane Gunn Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (559) 445-6310

- 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? [X] Yes [] No

Signature: [Signature] Date: 4/4/2019 Title: Sr Environmental Planner

[X] Signed by Lead Agency [X] 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: [Signature] Office of Planning & Research

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CATEGORICAL EXEMPTION/CATEGORICAL EXCLUSION DETERMINATION FORM

Continuation Sheet

06-KER-178		06A2333	N/A
Dist.-Co.-Rte. (or Local Agency)	P.M./P.M.	E.A/Project No.	Federal-Aid Project No. (Local Project)/Project No.

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The following Caltrans Standard Specifications (2018) are applicable to the work:

- 14-6.03B – Protection of migratory birds (Migratory Bird Treaty Act)
- 14-8.02 – Noise control
- 14-11.06 (A and B) – Contractor-Generated Hazardous Waste (
- 14-11.03 – Hazardous Waste Management
- 14-11.14 Treated Wood Waste (A thru E)

Surplus earth material will not be disposed of or relinquished to the contractor. Any excavated material will be reused within the Caltrans right-of-way.