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## NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

File Ref: W 41000 Item: C83

**Title:** CONSIDER APPLICATION FOR A PROSPECTING PERMIT FOR PRECIOUS METALS AND MINERALS OTHER THAN OIL, GAS, GEOTHERMAL RESOURCES, OR SAND AND GRAVEL - W 41000

**Location:** Approximately 640 acres of State fee-owned school land (State Parcel No. 244-009 and No. 244-010; Assessor's Parcel Number 042-050-018), located within Section 36, T14S, R20E, SBM, within the Cargo Muchachos Mountains, Imperial County.

**Description:** Authorize the issuance of a mineral prospecting permit for a 2-year term beginning August 1, 2019, following approval by the Commission and execution by both the State and Applicant, for precious metals and minerals other than oil, gas, geothermal resources, sand and gravel, within the State parcel.

Name of Approving Public Agency: California State Lands Commission

Name of Proponent (Person or Agency): Lincoln Gold US Corp.

## **Exempt Status:**

 $\left[\sqrt{\right]}$  Categorical Exemption:

CLASS 6, INFORMATION COLLECTION (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 2, § 2905, subd. (e)(3))

### Reasons for exemption:

Authorize the issuance of a mineral prospecting permit for the above-mentioned structure(s) will cause only a minor physical change in the environment and will not change existing activities in the area. There is no reasonable possibility that the activity will have a significant effect on the environment due to unusual circumstances. Therefore, the project will not have a significant effect on the environment and the above categorical exemption(s) apply(ies).

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