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Notice of Exemption				CEQA Guidelines Appendix E	
To:		Office of Planning and Research 1400 Tenth Street, Room 121 Sacramento, CA 95814	From:	(Public Agency) San Diego Unified Port District Development Services Department 3165 Pacific Highway San Diego, CA 92101	
	•	San Diego County Recorder/County C 1600 Pacific Highway, Suite 260 San Diego, CA 92101-2480	lerk		
		Modification to a Telecommunications Fa		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	

Project Location – Specific: 997 G Street, Chula Vista, CA 91910 Project Location – City: Chula Vista Project Location – City: Chula Vista Project Location – County: San Diego

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project: The proposed project would involve the modification of an existing telecommunication facility by Sprint PCS Assets LLC (Applicant), in the city of Chula Vista, California. Work to specifically complete the proposed project would involve upgrades to the technology on the existing telecommunications facility on the roof and façade of the existing structure within the leasehold at 997 G Street. The upgrades would include removing older equipment and replacing it with new equipment to provide better wireless service. The project entails removal of the existing antennas and installation of new panel antennas, a radio cabinet, and a fiber junction box. The project would not involve alterations to the silhouette, footprint, or height of the existing structure. Construction of the proposed project is anticipated to occur mid-2019 and would take approximately one month to complete.

Due to its nature and limited scope, implementation of the proposed project would generate a minor amount of vehicle trips and would require limited use of equipment. Therefore, impacts related to air quality, greenhouse gas emissions, and transportation and traffic are not anticipated to occur. Furthermore, the Applicant would be responsible for complying with all applicable federal, state, and local laws regarding construction demolition debris, hazards and hazardous materials, and stormwater.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: San Diego Unified Port District (SDUPD) Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Carie Thao, Land Use Manager, Md7, 10590 W. Ocean Air Drive Suite 300, San Diego, CA 92130; (858) 366-4760

Exempt Status: (Check one):

In Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);

□ Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));

- □ Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
- Categorical Exemptions: Existing Facilities (SG § 15301) (Class 1), and Replacement or Reconstruction (SG § 15302) (Class 2)
- Statutory Exemption. State code number:

Reason Why Project is Exempt: The proposed project is determined to be Categorically Exempt pursuant to California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines Sections 15301 (Existing Facilities) and 15302 (Replacement and Reconstruction); and Section 3.a. and 3.b. of the District's Guidelines for Compliance with CEQA because it is the modification of an existing telecommunications facility that would involve no expansion of use beyond that previously existing, would be located at the same site as the existing structure, and would have substantially the same purpose and capacity. Sections 3.a. and 3.b. of the District's CEQA Guidelines is as follows:

3.a. <u>Existing Facilities (SG § 15301) (Class 1)</u>: Includes operation, repair, maintenance, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographical

features, involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond that previously existing, including but not limited to:

(7) Existing facilities used to provide electric power, natural gas, sewerage, or other public utility service.

3. b. <u>Replacement or Reconstruction. (SG § 15302) (Class 2):</u> Includes replacement or reconstruction of existing structures and facilities where the new structure will be located on the same site and will have substantially the same purpose and capacity as the structure being replaced.

Lead Agency Coptact Person and Telephone Number: Cameron McLeod, (619) 686-6273

Date: <u>S/9/19</u> Title: Assistant Planner MLeod Signature

- Signed by Lead Agency
- Signed by Applicant

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