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NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

File Ref: I-1241

Title: Request for a Letter of Non-Objection for the Temporary Anchoring and Placement of a Floating Barge in San Diego Bay, Adjacent to the USS Midway San Diego Aircraft Carrier Museum, San Diego, San Diego County

Location: State sovereign lands located adjacent to the USS Midway and Tuna Harbor Basin, San Diego County.

Description: Authorize approval to conduct an event that includes hitting floating golf balls off of the USS Midway to a floating (anchored) barge. The barge will be anchored 150 yards off of the USS Midway for approximately 24 hours. The barge will have 4 concrete anchors, approximately 2-foot by 4-foot in size, buoys, and appropriate navigation and mooring lights. No personnel will be on board the barge with the exception of turning on the light towers when it gets dark. All floating golf balls would be retrieved after the event.

Name of Approving Public Agency: California State Lands Commission

Name of Proponent (Person or Agency): Top Golf

Exempt Status:

Categorical Exemption:

CLASS 4, MINOR ALTERATIONS TO LAND (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, § 15304)

Reasons for exemption:

Issuance of a letter of non-objection for the above-mentioned activities will cause only a minor physical change in the environment and will not change existing activities in the area. There are no unusual circumstances surrounding the project that will result in significant environmental impacts. Therefore, the project will not have a significant effect on the environment and the above categorical exemption applies.

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