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## **NOTICE OF EXEMPTION**

File Ref: Lease 7326.1; A2141

Item: 57

Title: GENERAL LEASE - RIGHT-OF-WAY - Lease 7326.1; A2141

Location: Sovereign land in the Pacific Ocean, near Cayucos, San Luis Obispo County.

**Description:** Authorize issuance of a General Lease – Right-of-Way Use beginning October 1, 2019, for a term of 20 years, for use and maintenance of an abandoned 8-inch-diameter PVC ocean saltwater intake pipeline, two existing 18-inch-diameter PVC intake pipeline, and one existing 8-inch-diameter PVC intake pipeline; all encased in concrete.

Name of Approving Public Agency: California State Lands Commission

Name of Proponent (Person or Agency): The Abalone Farm, Inc.

**Exempt Status:** 

[√] Categorical Exemption:

CLASS 1, EXISTING FACILITIES (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 2, § 2905, subd. (a)(2))

## Reasons for exemption:

Issuance of a 20-year General Lease – Right-of-Way Use for the above-mentioned structure(s) will not cause a 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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