NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

From: Kern County Planning and Natural Resources Department

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Project Title: PLN19-02216

Project Location -- Specific: 298-070-038

Project Location -- City: Unincorporated area of Kern County

Project Location -- County: Kern

Description of Project: CREH is proposing to sidetrack well 48SW-1G-RD1 in the Elk Hills Oil Field. In addition, the proposed project may complete additional downhole work as approved by the Division of Oil, Gas and Geothermal Resources. The well depth of the sidetrack is up to 4,000 feet.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: KERN COUNTY PLANNING AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARMENT

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: California Resources Elk Hills

Exempt Status: (Sections 21080(b)(1) and 15268

Reason Why Project Is Exempt: O&G Conformity Review are ministerial under Kern County Zoning Ordinance and are exempt under Sections 21080(b)(1) and 15268 of the State CEQA Guidelines

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