

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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Project Title: 25-Year Power Sales Agreement (PSA) with the Southern California Public Power Authority (SCPPA)

Project Location - Specific: Citywide

Project Applicant: Glendale Water & Power

Project Location - City: Glendale Project Location - County: Los Angeles

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The City Council adopted a Resolution authorizing the City Manager, or her designee, to execute a 25-year Power Sales Agreement (PSA) with the Southern California Public Power Authority (SCPPA) for a 12.5% share of the renewable solar energy, battery energy storage products, and associated environmental attributes from the Eland I Solar and Storage Center in Kern County, California.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Glendale

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: City of Glendale, Community Development Department

Exempt Status: (check one)

- Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
- Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
- Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
- Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: 15061(b)(3)
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number:

Reasons why project is exempt:

Entering into a power sale agreement with SCPPA to purchase power generated from solar and/or battery energy storage systems is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to the General Exemption described in CEQA Guidelines Section 15061(b)(3). General Exemptions apply in situations where it can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility that the activity in question may have a significant effect on the environment.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Erik Krause Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (818) 937-8156

If filed by applicant:

1. Attach certified document of exemption finding.
2. Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project?  Yes  No

Signature:  Date: 12/10/19 Title: Dep. Dir. Gen. Dev.

- Signed by Lead Agency
  - Signed by Applicant
- Date received for filing at OPR: