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Notice of Exemption

To: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

County Clerk
County of: _____
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From: (Public Agency): Caltrans-District 2
1657 Riverside Drive

Redding, Ca 96001

(Address)

Project Title: Denny Road Left Turn Lane

Project Applicant: California Department of Transportation

Project Location - Specific:

The proposed project is located in Trinity County on State Route (SR) 3 at post mile (PM) 5.2/5.7.

Project Location - City: _____   Project Location - County: Trinity

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:
The purpose of this project is to improve roadway geometrics and operational efficiency and accommodate expected traffic volumes. The project is needed due to increased traffic accidents and volumes near the Denny Road intersection.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Caltrans

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Caltrans

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: 15301. Class 1.
☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:
The proposed project has no potential to result in significant effects to the environment given, class 1. Consists of the operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond that existing at the time of the lead agency's determination.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Carolyn Sullivan   Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (530) 225-2928

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: _Carolyn Sullivan_   Date: 1/28/2020   Title: SENIOR ENV. PLNR.

☒ Signed by Lead Agency ☐ Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____

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