

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
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From: (Public Agency): Department of Water
Resources, San Joaquin Field
Division
4201 Sabodan Street, Bakersfield, CA 93313

County Clerk
County of: _____

(Address)

Project Title: MM282.55 Void Repairs

Project Applicant: Department of Water Resources, O&M Engineering

Project Location – Specific:
On the primary side of the California Aqueduct at MM282.5.

Project Location – City: Mettler Project Location – Kern
County: _____

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:
Two voids were discovered along the California Aqueduct. The two voids are right next to each other. One is located on the earth slope of the aqueduct just above the concrete liner and the other just below the surface of the water where part of the concrete liner has collapsed and cracked. The two voids will be repaired using a combination of rocks and grout/concrete. Since one of the repairs will be done underwater a dive team will be assisting with the repairs. These repairs need to be done in order to maintain the integrity of the CA Aqueduct and the State Water Project.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Department of Water Resources

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: DWR - Operations & Maintenance

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)); 15301 (b)
- Categorical Exemption. State type and section


number:
 Statutory Exemptions. State code _____
number:

Reasons why project is exempt:
This project consists of maintenance activities that support the function of the California Aqueduct and water delivery within the State Water Project.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Juan Arellano Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 661.858.5664

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: 02/26/20 Title: Env. Scientist

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: _____