

**NOTICE OF EXEMPTION**

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**From:** Kern County Planning and Natural Resources Department  
2700 "M" Street, Suite 100  
Bakersfield, CA 93301

**Project Title:** PLN20-00736

**Project Location -- Specific:** 220-010-102

**Project Location -- City:** Unincorporated area of Kern County

**Project Location -- County:** Kern

**Description of Project:** CREH New Drill 5-2H-11D: California Resources Elk Hills is proposing to drill a new production well within the BV Hills Oil Field. The proposed project involves drilling a new well, completing at various intervals, using sumps and installing ancillary facilities as detailed in the site plan. In addition, the proposed project may complete additional down-hole work as approved by the California Geologic Energy Management Division (CalGEM).  
Approximate Depth: 7,000-ft

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

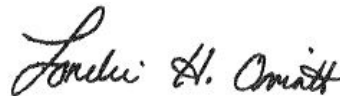
**Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project:** California Resources Elk Hills

**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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