NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

From: Kern County Planning and Natural Resources Department

2700 "M" Street, Suite 100 Bakersfield, CA 93301

Project Title: PLN20-00980

Project Location -- Specific: 098-113-186

Project Location -- City: Unincorporated area of Kern County

Project Location -- County: Kern

Description of Project: PROJECT TO DRILL 22 WELLS (12 PRODUCERS, 10 INJECTORS); INCLUDES MECHANICAL ROUTING WITH SUPPORTS, ELECTRICAL ROUTING WITH POLES, AND WELL PAD CONSTRUCTION; INJECTORS WILL RECEIVE STAGED PERFORATIONS; COMPLIANCE WITH MM 4.4-16 WITH VIA CONSERVATION CREDITS; PACKAGE 3 OF 3

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

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Aera Energy LLC

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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