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Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

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

From: (Public Agency): Coast Community College District
1370 Adams Avenue
Costa Mesa, CA 92626
(Address)

Project Title: Orange Coast College Solar Photovoltaic Panel Car Port System Expansion

Project Applicant: Coast Community College District

Project Location - Specific:
Orange Coast College - Adams Avenue Parking Lot

Project Location - City: Costa Mesa Project Location - County: Orange

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:
The project involves the construction, operation, and maintenance of an approximately 2.83 megawatt solar photovoltaic panel carport system to be installed in the existing Adams Parking Lot of the Orange Coast College campus. This project is an expansion of the existing 1 megawatt system installed in 2015.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Coast Community College District

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Jerry Marchbank, Senior Facilities Director

- 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:
[] Statutory Exemptions. State code number: PRC Section 21080.35 and Senate Bill 226

Reasons why project is exempt:
The project would not require the removal of protected or native trees over 25 years old, an individual take permit for species protected under the Endangered Species Act, a stream bed alteration permit, an individual permit pursuant to Section 401 or 404 of the Clean Water Act or waste discharge requirements pursuant to the Porter Cologne Water Quality Control Act, and would be located on an existing parking lot on campus.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Jerry Marchbank Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 714-438-4731

- 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: [Signature] Date: 3/24/20 Title: Senior Facilities Director

[] 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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