

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: Governor's Office of Planning & Research State Clearinghouse 1400 Tenth Street, Room 113 Sacramento, CA 95812	FROM: State Water Resources Control Board Division of Financial Assistance 1001 I Street 16 th Floor Sacramento, CA 95814
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PROJECT TITLE: Lead Testing and Remediation in Drinking Water at Child Care Centers Project (Project);
 Agreement # SWRCB0000000000D1918001

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State Clearing House Number	Contact Person	Contact Number

PROJECT LOCATION: The Project will take place within licensed child care centers (Licensed CCCs) that are regulated by the California Department of Social Services and located throughout the state of California.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The Project will be implemented by University Enterprises, Inc./Office of Water Programs at California State University, Sacramento (Grant Recipient). The Grant Recipient will set up a program to test for the presence of lead in the drinking water of high-priority Licensed CCCs. The program also includes the replacement of faucets and fixtures shown by testing to include excessive levels of lead. The Grant Recipient will conduct outreach and prepare both technical and educational materials, such as questionnaires, a sampler training video, a Quality Assurance Project Plan, and guides for Licensed CCCs.

LEAD AGENCY AND ENTITY APPROVING PROJECT: State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board)

ORGANIZATION CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: University Enterprises, Inc./Office of Water Programs at California State University, Sacramento

EXEMPT STATUS:

- 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: (Secs. 15301; 15302; 15304 and 15311)
- Statutory Exemption (Sec. 15262).

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:

The Project activities identified by the Grant Recipient to be funded are categorically exempt under the California Environmental Quality Act Guidelines, Title 14 California Code Regulations, Chapter 3;

Article 19;

- Section 15301, Class 1 for "operation, repair, maintenance, or minor alteration of existing structure or facilities not expanding existing use"
- Section 15302, Class 2 for "replacement or reconstruction of existing structures or facilities on the same site having substantially the same purpose and capacity"

Pursuant to the California Department Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) Code, Section 711.4(d)(1), the CDFW environmental review filing fees do not apply.

This is to advise that the State Water Board made the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) determination on the date specified below. This is to certify that the record of funding approval for the Project is available to the general public at the State Water Board, Division of Financial Assistance at the above address.

 Deputy Director	4/23/20 Date
Signature	Title

DATE RECEIVED FOR FILING AND POSTING AT OPR: _____ **Governor's Office of Planning & Research**

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