Appendix D

Notice of Determination

To:	Office of Planning and Research		From: Public Agency: <u>Caltrans District8</u>
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SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21108 or 21152 of the Public Resources Code.

State Clearinghouse Number (if submitted to State Clearinghouse): 2021010067

Project Title: SR-74 Bridge Replacement Project (EA-08-1G470)

Project Applicant: Caltrans District 8

Project Location (include county): Along SR-74 near Lake Elsinore and Hemet, Riverside County.

Project Description:

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) proposes to replace Morrill Canyon Bridge (Bridge No. 56-0169, Post Mile 3.08) near Lake Elsinore, and Strawberry Creek Bridge (Bridge No. 56-0180, Post Mile 53.5) near Hemet, on SR-74 in Riverside County. Both bridge structures have non-standard lane and shoulder widths. Due to significant deterioration and non-standard features, there is a need to replace these structures to meet current design, crash, and safety standards. This is to advise that the <u>Caltrans</u> has approved the above (Image Lead Agency or Image Responsible Agency) described project on <u>3/19/2021</u> and has made the following determinations regarding the above (date)

described project.

- 1. The project [will will not] have a significant effect on the environment.
- 2. An Environmental Impact Report was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
 A Negative Declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
- 3. Mitigation measures [were not] made a condition of the approval of the project.
- 4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan [was a was not] adopted for this project.
- 5. A statement of Overriding Considerations [was local was not] adopted for this project.
- 6. Findings [were let were not] made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

This is to certify that the final EIR with comments and responses and record of project approval, or the negative Declaration, is available to the General Public at:

State Clearinghouse website at: opr.ca.gov and/or project website at: SR74BridgeReplacement.com

Signature (Public Agency):	to Cloud	Title: Senior Environmental Planner
Date:3/19/2021	Date Received for	r filing at OPR:

Authority cited: Sections 21083, Public Resources Code. Reference Section 21000-21174, Public Resources Code.