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## NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

File Ref: A2848

Item: 26

Title: Issuance of a General Lease – Public Agency Use – A2848

**Location:** Sovereign land in the Pacific Ocea, adjacent to Pebbly Beach Road, near the city of Avalon, Santa Catalina Island, Los Angeles County.

**Description:** Authorize issuance of a General Lease – Public Agency Use beginning August 25, 2021, for a term of 20 years, for the stabilization of 23 sea-cave voids with quarry rock and concrete.

Name of Approving Public Agency: California State Lands Commission

Name of Proponent (Person or Agency): City of Avalon

## **Exempt Status:**

[√] Categorical Exemption:

CLASS 1, EXISTING FACILITIES (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, § 15301)

## Reasons for exemption:

Issuance of a 20-year General Lease – Public Agency Use for the above-mentioned structure(s) will not cause a physical change in the environment and will not change existing activities in the area. There is no reasonable possibility that the activity will have a significant effect on the environment due to unusual circumstances. Therefore, the project will not have a significant effect on the environment and the above categorical exemption(s) apply(ies).

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