

**Notice of Exemption**

**Appendix E**

To: Office of Planning and Research  
1400 Tenth Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
County Clerk  
County of: \_\_\_\_\_  
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From: (Public Agency) Caltrans, Dist. 06  
1352 W Olive Ave  
Fresno CA 93728

Project Title: Fresno and Tulare Co Bridge Maintenance

Project Applicant: California Department of Transportation

Project Location - Specific:  
3 bridges in Fresno and Tulare counties

Project Location - City: Fresno/Tulare Project Location - County: FRE/TUL

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:  
In Fresno County at the Gettysburg Avenue UC (bridge no. 42-0341R) on SR 168S at post mile R3.65 and at the Jensen Avenue OC (bridge no. 42-0268) on SR 41 at post mile R21.11, work includes replacing existing joint seal assemblies, preparing and replacing existing approach slabs, and bridge deck rehabilitation. A 1-inch polyester concrete overlay will be placed on the existing bridge. In Tulare County at the Outside Creek bridge (bridge no. 46-0120) on SR 137 at post mile 23.38, work will include removing the existing desk and installing a 1-inch polyester concrete overlay, removing unsound concrete, cleaning reinforcements, repairing spalls on spans 2& 3, and installing standard construction area signs off of the existing roadway on existing posts.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Department of Transportation

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: California Department of Transportation

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: 15301, Class 1
- Statutory Exemption. State code number: \_\_\_\_\_

Reason why project is exempt:

The purpose of the project is to maintain the existing roadway

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Shane Gunn Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (559) 417-8016

**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:  Date: 10/22/2021 Title: Senior Environmental Planner

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 \_\_\_\_\_