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NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

File Ref: Lease 7522; A2137

Item: 25

Title: Rescission of previous authorization and issuance of a General Lease – Right-of-Way Use – Lease 7522

Location: 0.05 acres. more or less, of State indemnity school land in a portion of Section 26, Township 9 North, Range 2 East, SBM, near the unincorporated community of Newberry Springs, San Bernardino County.

Description: Authorize issuance of a General Lease – Right-of-Way Use beginning October 21, 2021, for a term of 10 years, for the continued use and maintenance of an existing underground fiber optic communication cable and a copper communication cable.

Name of Approving Public Agency: California State Lands Commission

Name of Proponent (Person or Agency): Frontier California, Inc.

Exempt Status:

[√] Categorical Exemption:

CLASS 1, EXISTING FACILITIES (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 2, § 2905, subd. (a)(2))

Reasons for exemption:

Issuance of a 10-year General Lease – Right-of-Way 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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