

# Notice of Exemption

# Appendix E

**To:** Office of Planning and Research  
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113  
Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

County Clerk

County of: Fresno

2221 Kern Street

Fresno, CA 93721

**From:** (Public Agency): California State University, Fresno  
2351 E. Barstow Ave. M/S PO112  
Fresno, CA 93740

(Address)

Project Title: Gumz Enology Research & Teaching Winery Renovation

Project Applicant: California State University, Fresno

Project Location - Specific:

**Donald E. Gumz Enology Bldg, California State University, Fresno, 2400 E. Barstow**

Project Location - City: Fresno

Project Location - County: Fresno

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

This project will renovate existing space within the Donald E. Gumz Enology Building (#232) to provide approximately 3,600 sq ft of progressive research and teaching space for the Dept of Viticulture and Enology. The footprint and total gross square footage (GSF) of the building will remain the same.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California State University

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: California State University, Fresno

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: Section 15301, Class 1

Statutory Exemptions. State code number: \_\_\_\_\_

Reasons why project is exempt:

**As the project involves interior renovation of an existing facility, the project is considered categorically exempt per the provisions of CEQA.**

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Tinnah Medina, AIA LEED AP

Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (559) 278-2373

**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

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Signature: Tinnah Medina, AIA LEED AP Date: 11/3/2021

Title: Assoc VP Facilities Management

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▪ 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: \_\_\_\_\_