Notice of Determination

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 County of Kings
 Kings County Government Center
 Hanford, California 93230

FROM: Kings County Community Development Agency Kings County Government Center Hanford, CA 93230

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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): 2022050298

Project Title: Conditional Use Permit No. 22-01 (Utica Avenue Solar Project)

Project Applicant: Josh Butt, CEO, Kuubix Global, Inc., 7401 West Sunnyview Avenue, Visalia, CA 93291, (858) 458-8249

Project Location: <u>South side of Utica Avenue approximately 2.8 miles east of Interstate 5, Kettleman City, Kings County, CA</u>

Project Description: <u>The applicant proposes to establish a utility-scale photovoltaic solar facility with a generating capacity of 3 MW including battery storage to be constructed on approximately 29 acres of Assessor's Parcel Number 048-030-050. The project would include a single 3 MW transformer which would step up the generation voltage to 12-kV distribution voltage to be conveyed to the existing PG&E power distribution line running along the south side of Utica Avenue. An approximately 375-foot gen-tie line would convey the solar generation from the on-site project switchgear and production meter to the point of interconnection with the PG&E system at an existing power pole on the south side of Utica Avenue, approximately 115 feet west of the project site.</u>

This is to advise that the <u>Kings County Community Development Agency</u> (Lead Agency or Responsible Agency) has approved the above described project on <u>August 1, 2022</u> and has made the following determinations regarding the above described project:

- 1. The project [will [will not] have a significant effect on the environment.
- An Environmental Impact Report was prepared for this project pursuant to the provision of CEQA.
 A Negative Declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
- 3. Mitigation measures [X] were i were not made a condition of the approval of the project.
- 4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan [X was was not] adopted for this project.
- 5. A Statement of Overriding Considerations [was was not] adopted for this project.
- 6. Findings [X] were \Box 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 the Kings County Community Development Agency, 1400 W. Lacey Boulevard, Hanford, CA 93230.

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Signature (Public Agency)	
Title: Victor Hernandez, Planner (559)852-2685	

Date <u>8/17/2022</u>

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