## NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

**To:** Office of Planning and Research P.O. Box 3044, Room 212 Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

From: California Department of Highway Patrol

601 N. 7th Street, Bldg. B Sacramento, CA 95811

Project Title: CHP- Benicia HVAC/Chiller Replacement

Project Location - Specific: 1551 Benicia Road

Project Location – City: Vallejo, CA Project Location – County: Solano

**Exempt Status:** 

**Date Signed** 

## **Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:**

The proposed project will remove and replace two air chiller units at the Highway Patrol Benicia office due to the existing chillers reaching the end of their life expectancy. Work will remove the two chiller units, and remove the associated mechanical and electrical equipment. Work will then install in-kind chiller units and install new mechanical and electrical components including new control panels, new conducts/connectors, and circuit breakers.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Department of Highway Patrol Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Kevin Luyster, Department of General Services

☐ Ministerial (§ 21080(b)(1); 15268)
☐ Declared Emergency (§ 21080(b)(3); 15269(a))
☐ Emergency Project (§ 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c))
Statutory Exemption Click here to enter text.
⊠ Categorical Exemption 15301 (a)
Reasons Why Project is Exempt: The exemption allows for the operation, repair, maintenance or minor alteration of existing public structures and facilities. The project involves no expansion of use and will have a negligible effect on resources in the area. The State confirms that no exceptions apply which would preclude the use of an exemption for this project.
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