

Department of Cannabis Control

NOTICE of EXEMPTION from CEQA CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CANNABIS CONTROL

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Project Title: ELEMENT 7 CATHEDRAL CITY

Project Location: The Project is located at 68945 Vista Chino, Cathedral City, CA 92234 in Riverside County.

County: Riverside

Project Description:

The Department of Cannabis Control, pursuant to authority granted under Business and Procession Code Division 10, Chapter 2, Section 26012, approved a Cannabis Retail License submitted on 05/20/2018 by Robert Devito.

Project Activities:

The Project will consist of a cannabis retail store within an existing 3,205 SF building located at 68945 Vista Chino, Cathedral City, CA 92234. The APN is 675-143-058. There are no exterior changes proposed to the building. It is located within the PCC zoning district. The surrounding uses are primarily residential, office, and automobile service station.

Exemption Status: (check one)

Ministerial [PRC, Sec. 21080(b)(1); CCR, Sec. 15268]

Declared Emergency [PRC, Sec. 21080(b)(3); CCR, Sec.15269(a)]

Emergency Project [PRC, Sec. 21080(b)(4); CCR, Sec.15269(b)(c)]

- 🛛 Categorical Exemption: [Class 1 Categorical Exemption Cal. Code Regs,. Title 14, §15301]
- Statutory Exemptions: [State code section number]

General Rule [CCR, Sec. 15061(b)(3)]

Reasons Why Project is Exempt:

The Department of Cannabis Control has determined that the project is a Class 1 Categorical Exemption Project. Class 1 Categorical Exemptions consist of the operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing, or minor alterations to existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond that existing at the time of the lead agency's determination. The Project involves the use of an existing industrial building with no proposal for building expansion. The design, location, size, and operating characteristics of the Project are compatible with the existing and future land uses within the vicinity as it is zoned light industrial zoned. None of the exceptions to the exemption defined in Section 15300.2 apply to the Project.

This is to certify that the final environmental document, comments and responses, and the record of project approval are available to the public at the following location:

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