

## NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

**TO:**

Governor's Office of Land Use and Climate  
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**FROM:**

State Water Resources Control Board  
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**Project Applicant:** In and Out Food Mart

**Project Title:** Operation of In and Out Food Mart Nitrate Treatment System-Water Supply Permit Amendment (Project)

**Project Location:** 27908 Highway 99, Visalia, 93277, APN: 119-850-001-000

**Project County:** Tulare

**Project Description:** The Applicant proposes operating a nitrate treatment system adjacent to the existing well. The system uses nine stainless steel ion exchange tanks mounted on a 60 square foot concrete pad. Treatment media will be regenerated by Culligan offsite every 28 days.

**Public Agency Approving the Project:** State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board)

This is to advise that the State Water Board has issued a permit amendment for the above-described Project on May 8, 2025. A record of approval for the Project is available to the general public at the State Water Board, Division of Drinking Water district office listed above.

### **CATEGORICAL EXEMPTION STATUS:**

**Class 1: Existing Facilities** Cal. Code of Regs., section 15301

**Reason Why the Project Is Exempt:** The Project is exempt because it is the minor alteration of an existing water supply facility and there is no change in use. None of the exceptions listed in section 15300.2 of the CEQA Guidelines would apply to the proposed Project.

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