Notice of Exemption

To: Office of Planning and Research
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From: Caltrans District 11
4050 Taylor Street, MS 242
San Diego, CA 92110

Project Title: Replace Damaged Overhead Sign Structure on SR-94

Project Applicant: Caltrans, District 11

Project Location - Specific: WB SR-92 pm 3.26 near SR 94/15 separation

Project Location - City: San Diego Project Location - County: San Diego

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:
A Damaged Overhead Sign Replacement Project on SR 94 in San Diego County. Project work consists of removing the damaged overhead sign structure, installation of the new overhead sign structure, and re-installing some existing TMS elements. The removal and installation of the new overhead sign will be placed in-kind. The new foundation is anticipated to be 24 feet deep and 60 inches wide. The existing foundation is assumed to be approximately 54 inches wide

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Caltrans, District 11

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Caltrans, District 11

Exempt Status:

- ☐ 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: 15302
- ☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number:

Reasons why project is exempt:
Project consists of the replacement or reconstruction of existing structures and facilities where the new structure will be located on the same site as the structure replaced and will have substantially the same purpose and capacity as the structure replaced. Caltrans is replacing an existing overhead sign and the structure will have the same purpose as the structure replaced.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Petra El-Shammas Phone number: 858-472-7328

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

Signature: Petra El-Shammas Date: 5/27/2025 Title: Environmental Scientist

☒ Signed by Lead Agency ☐ Signed by Applicant

Date Received for filing at OPR: 5/27/2025

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.