Notice of Exemption

To: Office of Planning and Research
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Project Title: State Route 180 Barbed Wire Fence

Project Applicant: California Department of Transportation

Project Location - Specific: State Route 180 between post mile R66.30 and post mile R74.50.

Project Location - City: Fresno Project Location - County: Fresno

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:
The project would replace the existing chain link fence with barbed wire fence on both sides of State Route 180 between De Wolf Avenue and Oliver Avenue near the City of Sanger. All work is within State Right-of-Way.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Department of Transportation

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: California Department of Transportation

Exempt Status **(check one)**:

- ☐ 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: Class 1: PRC 21084; 14 CCR 15303
- ☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:
The project has been determined not to have a significant effect on the environment and is considered “exempt” from CEQA under Class 1 of 14 CCR 15303, Existing Facilities, for maintenance repair on existing facilities.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Robert Scott Phone number: 559-383-5239

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: Robert Scott Date: 9/10/25 Title: Senior Environmental Scientist

☒ Signed by Lead Agency ☐ Signed by Applicant

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____

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