Notice of Exemption

To: Office of Planning and Research
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From: California Department of Transportation – District 11
4050 Taylor Street
San Diego, CA 92110

Project Title: I-15 Ramp Pavement Rehabilitation

Project Applicant: California Department of Transportation – District 11

Project Location - Specific: Postmile R0.5

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

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:
Caltrans is proposing a pavement rehabilitation project along NB I-15 at the Off Ramp to Ocean View Boulevard at PM R0.5 in San Diego County, California. The scope of work includes cold planing the top 0.2 feet of the existing asphalt concrete and replace with 0.2 feet of rubberized hot mix asphalt along the entire width of the on-ramp. No ground disturbance will occur. All work will be on the paved travel way within Caltrans ROW. Pavement rehabilitation will benefit users of the Off Ramp to Ocean View Boulevard.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Department of Transportation – District 11

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: California Department of Transportation – District 11

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 15031)
- ☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:
Class 1 - Operation, repair, maintenance, and minor alteration of existing public structures involving negligible or no expansion of existing use.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Ana Ela Palo **Phone number:** 858-472-7103

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: Ana Palo **Date:** 12/22/2025 **Title:** Environmental Scientist

☒ Signed by Lead Agency ☐ Signed by Applicant

Date Received for filing at OPR: 12/22/2025

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