

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
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From: (Public Agency): California Department of Transportation
2015 E. Shields Ave. Ste. 200
Fresno, CA 93720

County Clerk

County of: _____

(Address)

Project Title: Tulare 190 Emergency Landslide Repair

Project Applicant: California Department of Transportation

Project Location - Specific:

On State Route 190 from post miles 32.0 to 57.0. Starting in the town of Springville.

Project Location - City: Springville

Project Location - County: Tulare

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

This emergency project repaired the damaged roadway and drainage system that resulted from heavy rains that caused multiple landslides. Replaced failed pavement and culverts, rebuilt failed washouts, and added slope protection.

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 15300 et seq.
- ☐ 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 15300, Existing Facilities, for maintenance repair on existing facilities.

Lead Agency Robert Scott Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 559-383-5239
Contact Person: _____

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: *Allyssa Kemp* Date: 1/15/2026 Title: Senior Environmental Scientist
☒ Signed by Lead Agency ☐ Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code. Date Received for filing at OPR: _____
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.