

## Notice of Exemption

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**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: 43305 Repair Damaged Median Barrier on I-15 in SD County

Project Applicant: Caltrans, District 11

Project Location – Specific: One location on I-15 at Camino del Rio South UC

Project Location - City: San Diego

Project Location - County: San Diego

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:

Caltrans proposes a concrete barrier repair project at one location in San Diego County along I-15 at Camino del Rio South UC(57-0883) at postmile 6.03. Project work would include repair of the damaged concrete barrier to current standards and to groove the existing travels ways to provide more friction for traveling motorists. All work would take place on the roadway.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Caltrans, District 11

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Caltrans, 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: 15301
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: 15269

Reasons why project is exempt:

Project is determined to be an emergency due to an imminent threat to life and property. Caltrans is restoring property to it's original capacity and standards, with no additional changes being made outside of the purpose for protecting against a emergency flooding and fire.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Morgan Tusa

Phone number: 858-472-7057

**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: Morgan Tusa      Date: 3/2/2026      Title: Environmental Scientist

Signed by Lead Agency       Signed by Applicant

Date Received for filing at OPR: 3/2/2026

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.

Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.