

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

To: Office of Planning and Research
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From: City of Palm Springs
3200 E. Tahquitz Canyon Way
Palm Springs, CA 92262

Clerk of the Board
County of Riverside
P.O. Box 751
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Project Title: Palm Springs International Airport (PSP) – Shade Structures along Kirk Douglas Way

Project Applicant: Palm Springs International Airport

Project Location (Specific): Palm Springs International Airport., 3400 E. Tahquitz Canyon Way, Suite 1 Palm Springs, CA 92262

Project Location (City): City of Palm Springs

Project Location (County): Riverside

Project Description: Installation of shade structures which consists of four (4) shade structures along the pedestrian walkway on Kirk Douglas Way to provide shade for passengers awaiting ground transportation. Each structure will be approximately 13 feet in height, 14 feet in width, and 22 feet in length. The structures would be located at the southern end of the terminal, near the ticketing area within Airport (Palm Springs International Airport) property.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Palm Springs

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Our Project: Palm Springs International Airport
3400 E. Tahquitz Canyon Way, Palm Springs, CA 92262

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: 15303 Class 3
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number:

Reasons why project is exempt: The installation of the shade structures is exempt from CEQA under Class 3 (New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures; Section 15303). The project consists of installing small shade structures along an existing pedestrian walkway on Kirk Douglas Way in front of the Airport Terminal. These structures are intended to provide shaded areas and enhance the overall customer experience. The project will not increase building area or customer capacity.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Nikki Gomez

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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

Signed by: Nikki Gomez Date: 4/14/2026 Title: Aviation Planner
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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.