

# Notice of Exemption

## Appendix E

**To:** Office of Planning and Research  
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113  
Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

County Clerk

County of: \_\_\_\_\_

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**From: (Public Agency):** Caltrans, District 6  
2015 East Shields Ave  
Fresno CA 93726

(Address)

Project Title: State Route 58 RAMP REPAIR PAVEMENT

Project Applicant: California Department of Transportation

Project Location - Specific:

**In Kern County, in Bakersfield on State Route 58 at various on and off ramp locations**

Project Location - City: Bakersfield Project Location - County: KER

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The project involves maintenance work on various on and off ramps in Bakersfield on State Route 58 in Kern County, from Post Mile 55.47 to 59.67. This project aims to repair deteriorated asphalt concrete pavement and update Intelligent Transportation System (ITS) elements affected by construction. The scope of work includes removing and replacing existing pavement and ditches at specific locations, where necessary. In addition, the project will also focus on replacing and upgrading Intelligent Transportation System (ITS) elements. All permanent work will be performed within Caltrans 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 15300 et seq.
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: \_\_\_\_\_

Reasons why project is exempt:

**This project is exempt because it involves maintenance work repairing asphalt concrete pavement and replacing/ upgrading Intelligent Transportation System (ITS) elements.**

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Judith Lopez Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 559-240-5068

**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: Judith Lopez Date: 4/21/2026 Title: Sr. Env Scientist, Sup.

Signed by Lead Agency      Signed by Applicant

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

Date Received for filing at OPR: \_\_\_\_\_