Notice of Exemption

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From: University of California, San Diego
Campus Planning, MC 0074
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Project Title: Replacement Trailer at Deep Sea Drilling Facility
Project Location – Scripps Institution of Oceanography, 2350 Downwind Way
Project Location – City: La Jolla
Project Location – County: San Diego

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project (Project Description): The project would remove an existing trailer (24 feet by 48 feet) and replace it with a new trailer (24 feet by 60 feet). The trailer would include an ADA-compliance restroom, kitchenette, wet fire sprinkler system, and ADA-compliant access ramp and stairs to the main entrance. Associated utilities connections including some trenching is required. All work is limited to within an existing developed and paved area known as the “Deep Sea Drilling C” facility.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: University of California, San Diego
Parties Undertaking Project: University of California, San Diego

Exempt Status:

☐ 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 15302: Replacement or Reconstruction
☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number: 20180.35
☐ General Exemption (Sec. 15061(b)(3)).

Reason Why Project is Exempt: The project is exempt from CEQA under Class 2: Replacement or Reconstruction because the project consists of the in-kind replacement of an existing facility within the same site, involving no or negligible expansion of existing or former use. No exceptions to an exemption apply per 15300.2.

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☒ Signed by Lead Agency
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