

**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: Ventura

**From:** (Public Agency): Ventura Port District  
1603 Anchors Way Drive  
Ventura, CA 93001

(Address)

Project Title: Maintenance Dredging of Ventura Harbor navigation channels  
berthing areas and sand traps

Project Applicant: Ventura Port District

Project Location - Specific:

Water areas within Ventura Harbor

Project Location - City: Ventura Project Location - County: Ventura

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

In order to assure adequate water depths for the vessels using Ventura Harbor, it is necessary to perform periodic maintenance dredging of all water areas within the harbor.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Ventura Port District

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Ventura Port District

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 4 - Section 15304 (g)
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: \_\_\_\_\_

Reasons why project is exempt:

Maintenance dredging where the dredged material is deposited in an area authorized by all applicable state and federal regulatory agencies.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Richard Parsons Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 805-890-8505

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:  Date: 6/30/16 Title: General Manager

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: \_\_\_\_\_