**CITY OF FRESNO**

 **CATEGORICAL EXEMPTION**

 **ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT FOR**

**DEVELOPMENT PERMIT APPLICATION NO. P20-00000**

 THE PROJECT DESCRIBED HEREIN IS DETERMINED TO BE CATEGORICALLY

 EXEMPT FROM THE PREPARATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENTS

 PURSUANT TO ARTICLE 19 OF THE STATE CEQA GUIDELINES.

 **APPLICANT:** John Doe

 ABC Development

 1234 North Blackstone Avenue

Fresno, CA 93721

 **PROJECT LOCATION**: 1234 North Blackstone Avenue; Located on the west side of North Blackstone Avenue between West Herndon and West Nees Avenues (APN: XXX-XXX-XX)

 **PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Development Permit Application No. P20-00000 was filed by John Doe of ABC Development, on behalf of [Property Owner], and pertains to xxx acres of property. The project proposes to [describe project].

**This project is exempt under Section 15330/Class 30 of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines as follows:**

Under Section 15330/Class 30, the proposed project is exempt from CEQA requirements when the project consists of any minor cleanup actions taken to prevent, minimize, stabilize, mitigate, or eliminate the release or threat of release of a hazardous waste or substance which are small or medium removal actions costing $1 million or less.

1. No cleanup action shall be subject to this Class 30 exemption if the action requires the onsite use of a hazardous waste incinerator or thermal treatment unit or the relocation of residences or businesses, or the action involves the potential release into the air of volatile organic compounds as defined in Health and Safety Code Section 25123.6, except for small scale in situ soil vapor extraction and treatment systems which have been permitted by the local Air Pollution Control District or Air Quality Management District. All actions must be consistent with applicable state and local environmental permitting requirements including, but not limited to, off-site disposal, air quality rules such as those governing volatile organic compounds and water quality standards, and approved by the regulatory body with jurisdiction over the site.

This includes [insert the applicable example from the CEQA Guidelines].

Provide brief analysis describing how project meets the Class 30 exemption.

None of the exceptions to Categorical Exemptions set forth in the CEQA Guidelines, Section 15300.2 apply to the project. [Have you verified none of the exceptions apply? Once verified, delete comment in green highlight.] Furthermore, the proposed project is not expected to have a significant effect on the environment. A categorical exemption, as noted above, has been prepared for the project and the area is not environmentally sensitive.

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