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APPROVAL OF MODIFICATION TO
APPLICATION LISTS AND CRITERIA
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Calendar Item 35 was deferred to the next meeting so Commissioners could review the copy of the modification to the lists and criteria as a result of an amendment to the old 884.

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The Commission has previously adopted, pursuant to Government Code Section 65920, et. seq. (Permit Streamlining Act), application lists and criteria for projects requiring Commission approval.

Recent changes to the law make it necessary to modify the existing application forms to incorporate new notice provisions. The suggested changes provide, in part, a definition of a development project and also require the applicant to indicate whether the application for Commission action falls within said definition of a development project.

In addition, the application forms have been modified to advise applicants of related notice requirements which are applicable to their items. The forms advise that, if the applicant wishes for the "deemed approved" provisions of the law to apply to their project, they must comply with the specified general notice provisions and that a copy of the Commission's mailing list is available upon request for the transmittal of such notice.

AB 884: N/A.

OTHER PERTINENT INFORMATION:

1. Pursuant to the Commission's delegation of authority and the State CEQA Guidelines (14 Cal. Code Regs. 15061), the staff has

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determined that this activity is exempt from the requirements of the CEQA because the activity is not a "project" as defined by CEQA and the State CEQA Guidelines.

Authority: P.R.C. 21065 and 14 Cal. Code Regs. 15378.

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT THE COMMISSION:

1. FIND THAT THE ACTIVITY IS EXEMPT FROM THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE CEQA PURSUANT TO 14 CAL. CODE REGS. 15061 BECAUSE THE ACTIVITY IS NOT A PROJECT AS DEFINED BY P.R.C. 21065 AND 14 CAL. CODE REGS. 15378.
2. DETERMINE THAT THE NOTICE PROVISIONS OF STATE ADMINISTRATIVE MANUAL SECTION 1082 HAVE BEEN MET.
3. ADOPT MODIFICATIONS TO ITS GENERAL APPLICATION FORMS (SURFACE AND MINERAL LEASING) SUBSTANTIALLY IN THE FORM ON FILE IN THE PRINCIPLE OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION, AND BY REFERENCE MADE A PART HEREOF, AND AUTHORIZE STAFF TO TRANSMIT SAME TO THE STATE OFFICE OF PLANNING AND RESEARCH.