

# Notice of Exemption

## Appendix E

**To:** Office of Planning and Research  
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County Clerk

County of: Los Angeles  
12400 Imperial Highway  
Norwalk, CA 90650

**From:** (Public Agency): City of Santa Monica/Environmental Planner  
1685 Main Street, Mail Stop 28  
Santa Monica, CA 90401

(Address)

Project Title: 1527-1547 Lincoln Boulevard Mixed Use Project

Project Applicant: US 1527 Lincoln Owner LLC

Project Location - Specific:

1527-1547 Lincoln Boulevard, Santa Monica, CA 90401

Project Location - City: Santa Monica

Project Location - County: Los Angeles

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The project consists of an 8-story, 85' tall, 161,044 square feet mixed-use housing development project consisting of 210 residential units (189 market rate units; 21 affordable units), 8,198 square feet of commercial area, and 279 vehicle parking spaces located in three subterranean levels.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Santa Monica

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: US 1527 Lincoln Owner LLC

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: \_\_\_\_\_

Statutory Exemptions. State code number: \_\_\_\_\_

Reasons why project is exempt:

This housing project (23ENT-0161) does not require discretionary review and has been administratively approved with density bonuses to which the project is entitled as a matter of law. Therefore, the project is a ministerial project exempt from CEQA. (CEQA Guidelines Section 15268)

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Rachel Kwok

Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (310) 458-8341

**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: Rachel Kwok Digitally signed by Rachel Kwok Date: 2024.08.18 12:09:03 -0700 Date: 8/18/2024 Title: Environmental Planner

■ 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: \_\_\_\_\_