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**Exempt per Gov't Code 6103**

RETURN TO: Jo Ann Corey  
Irvine Ranch Water District  
P.O. Box 57000  
15600 Sand Canyon Avenue  
Irvine, CA 92619-7000  
949-453-5300

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION  
(State Guidelines 15062)

County Clerk's Filing Stamp

TO: Orange County Clerk-Recorder  
12 Civic Center Plaza, Room 101  
Santa Ana, CA 92701

FROM: Irvine Ranch Water District (Applicant & Lead Agency)  
P.O. Box 57000  
15600 Sand Canyon Avenue  
Irvine, CA 92619-7000  
(949) 453-5300

Project Name: Bake Parkway Zone 5 to 4 Pressure Relief Valve and Pipeline Project  
Project Location: Bake Parkway near North Pointe Drive, Lake Forest, CA (see Exhibit A)  
County: Orange

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

Irvine Ranch Water District (IRWD) provides domestic water to the City of Lake Forest. IRWD will construct approximately 1,000 linear feet of 8-inch diameter domestic water pipeline and a pressure reducing valve (PRV) station on Bake Parkway, near North Pointe Drive, in the City of Lake Forest. The proposed PRV station will be located below ground in a vault and include above ground appurtenances. The PRV station and appurtenances will be constructed in the parkway area behind the sidewalk and within an existing IRWD easement. The pipeline and PRV station will provide additional reliability to IRWD's domestic water system in the area.

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Name of Public Agency Approving  
and Carrying out this Project:

Irvine Ranch Water District (IRWD)  
15600 Sand Canyon Avenue, Irvine, CA 92618

Contact Person: Jo Ann Corey, Environmental Compliance Specialist

Area Code 949

Phone 453-5326

Exempt Status: (check one)

- Ministerial (Sec 21080(b)(1); (State Guidelines Sec. §15268)
- Declared Emergency (Sec 21080(b)(3); State Guidelines Sec. §15269(a))
- Emergency Project (Sec 21080(b)(4); (State Guidelines Sec. §15269(b)(c))
- Categorical Exemption (State Guidelines Sec. §15301)
- Categorical Exemption (State Guidelines Sec. §15302)
- Categorical Exemption (State Guidelines Sec. §15303)
- Categorical Exemption (State Guidelines Sec. §15306)
- Statutory Exemption State code number (State Guidelines §15282)

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Reasons why project is exempt:

The project includes the installation of a new pressure relief valve vault, accompanying appurtenances, and the installation of an approximately 1,000 feet domestic water pipeline. State Guideline §15303 provides exemption for new, small facilities or structures; installation of small new equipment and facilities in small structures; water main, sewage, electrical, gas and other utility extensions, including street improvements of reasonable length to serve such construction. State Guideline §15282 provides exemption for the installation of a new pipeline as long as the pipeline does not exceed one mile in length (i.e. 5,210 ft).

Submission of this form is optional. Local agencies may file this form with the county clerk pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 21152(b). The filing of the notice starts a 35-day statute of limitations on court challenges to the approval of the project under Public Resources Code Section 21167(d). Failure to file the notice results in the statute of limitations being extended to 180 days.

Jo Ann Corey, Environmental Compliance Specialist  
Staff Member Responsible for Preparation

  
District Secretary

2/19/19  
Date

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EXHIBIT "A"

