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CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT  
NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

To: ☑ Sonoma County Clerk  
2300 County Center Drive, Suite B-177  
Santa Rosa, CA 95403

From: City of Healdsburg  
Planning & Building Department  
401 Grove Street  
Healdsburg, CA 95448  
707-431-3348

Deva Marie Proto, County Clerk
BY: Betsy Penn, Deputy Clerk

Project Title: 2020 Energy Reach Code
Project Applicant: City of Healdsburg, 401 Grove Street, Healdsburg CA 95448
Project Location: Citywide, Healdsburg, CA 95448

Description of nature, purpose and beneficiaries of project:
City of Healdsburg amendments to the 2019 California Energy Code to require higher levels of building electrification.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Healdsburg
Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: City of Healdsburg

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: Type and Section Number: Sections 1506(b)(3) & 15308
☐ Statutory Exemption. Code Number: __________________________

Reasons project is exempt:
Pursuant to Section 15061(b)(3), the ordinance is exempt from the requirements of CEQA on the grounds that these standards are more stringent than the State energy standards, there are no reasonably foreseeable adverse impacts and there is no possibility that the activity in question may have a significant effect on the environment. In addition, the ordinance is also exempt under CEQA Guidelines Section 15308 on the grounds that the City, as a regulatory agency, is authorized to amend the Energy Code and Green Building Standards Code. The ordinance assures the maintenance and protection of the environment by amending the Energy Code and Green Building Standards Code to impose more stringent energy efficiency requirements for future building.

Lead Agency Contact: Joe Irvin Area Code/Telephone: 707-431-4463

Signature: [Signature] Date: 12/17/19 Title: Planning & Building Director
☐ Signed by Lead Agency ☐ Signed by Applicant

If filed by applicant:
1 Attach certified document of exemption finding
2. Has NOE been filed by the public agency approving the project? ☐ Yes ☐ No