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**Notice of Exemption - Inyo County**

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**Project Title:** One Year Time Extension for Conditional Use Permit #2014-01/7-11  
Materials, Inc.

**Project Applicant:** 7-11 Materials, Jeff Welch, P.O. Box 4770, Modesto, Ca. 95352  
email: jeff.welch@reed.net; Phone: (209) 521-9771

**Project Location - Specific:** 598 Old State Hwy, APN: 031-020-06

**Project Location - City:** Keeler, CA

**Project Location - County:** Inyo

**Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:** A one (1) year time extension to the Temporary Conditional Use Permit for the operation of a portable concrete plant to furnish materials to the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power Owens Lake Dust Mitigation Project, along with other potential projects in the area that might need similar materials.

**Name of Public Agency Approving Project:** Inyo County Planning Commission

**Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project:** Inyo County Planning Department

**Exempt Status:** (check one)

- Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
- General Rule (Sec. 15061(b)(3));
- Categorical (Class 5; Section 15305 (a));
- Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
- Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));

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**Reasons why project is exempt:** This project is Categorically Exempt for the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), under the Class 8 exemption, "actions taken by regulatory agencies, as authorized by state or local ordinance, to assure...protection of the environment where the regulatory process involves procedures for protection of the environment". This project provides material to the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power for the Owens Lake Dust Mitigation Project.

This amendment is Categorically Exempt, under Class 1 exemption, "consists of the operation...mechanical equipment, involving no negligible or no expansion of use beyond that existing at the time of the lead agency's determination". This project is an existing use.

**Lead Agency:** Inyo County Planning Department

**Contact Person:** Diane Fortney

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Signature:   
Josh Hart, AICP, Inyo County Planning Director

Date: 