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CEQA Filing Fee No Effect Determination

Applicant Name and Address: Los Angeles World Airports (LAWA), One World Way, Room 218
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CEQA Lead Agency: Los Angeles World Airports (LAWA)

Project Name: Los Angeles International Airport (LAX) Terminals 1.5 Project

CEQA Document Type: Mitigated Negative Declaration

State Clearing House Number and/or local agency ID number: N/A

Project Location: The project site is located within the Central Terminal Area (CTA) of LAX. LAX is situated within the City of Los Angeles, an incorporated city within Los Angeles County. The project site is in the northern portion of the CTA, west of Sepulveda Boulevard and Sky Way, north of World Way, east of the Tom Bradley International Terminal, and south of the LAX north airfield complex

Project Description: The proposed project is the construction of a structure between Terminals 1 and 2 at LAX to improve existing passenger processing capabilities, improve passenger quality of service, and provide additional space to comply with federal security requirements. The proposed connection between Terminals 1 and 2, characterized in this document as "Terminal 1.5," would include passenger and baggage screening, ticketing, and baggage claim facilities in support of existing operations within Terminals 1 and 2; a secure passenger connection (i.e., enclosed/controlled corridor) between existing Terminals 1 and 2; and office and support space. The project would involve the demolition of approximately 35,000 square feet of the existing Terminal 2 and approximately 4,200 feet of non-enclosed area currently covered by concrete pavers. The project would construct a new 417,575-square foot terminal building.

Determination: Based on a review of the project as proposed, the Department of Fish and Wildlife has determined that for purposes of the assessment of CEQA filing fees (Fish and Game Code [FGC] Section 711.4(c)) the project has no effect on fish, wildlife or their habitat and the project as described does not require payment of a CEQA filing fee. This determination does not in any way imply that the project is exempt from CEQA and does not determine the significance of any potential project effects evaluated pursuant to CEQA.

Please retain this original determination for your records. Local lead agencies are required to file two copies of this determination with the county clerk at time of filing of the Notice of Determination (NOD) after the project is approved. State lead agencies are required to file two copies of this determination with the Office of Planning and Research (State Clearinghouse) at the time of filing the NOD. If you do not file a copy of this determination as appropriate with the county clerk or State Clearinghouse at the time of filing of the NOD, the appropriate CEQA filing fee will be due and payable.

Without a valid CEQA Filing Fee No Effect Determination form or proof of fee payment, the project will not be operative, vested, or final and any local permits issued for the project will be invalid, pursuant to FGC Section 711.4(c)(3).

DFW Approved By: Scott P. Harris Date: 10/11/2016
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