

**OUTLINE FOR FINDING OF EXEMPTION
OR
CENST STATUS NARRATIVE**

I. GENERAL INFORMATION

- A. Project Name
- B. Project Location
- C. Project Type
- D. Cost (source and amounts)
- E. Administrative Agency
- F. Applicant and Contact Person

II. DESCRIPTION (Attach the following documentation)

- A. Project Description
- B. Project Purpose (problem/need)
- C. Map(s)

III. STATEMENT OF EXEMPT OR CENST STATUS

_____ has found the above project to be _____,
 (Grantee) (Exempt/Categorically Excluded Not Subject to 58.5)

and thus does not need the environmental review required by the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA). The project consists solely of activities that the Department of Housing and Urban Development has determined to be categorically excluded from NEPA requirements in applicable regulations (24CFR 58). All activities in this project meet one of the set of conditions established in Sections 58.34 and 58.35(b) (copy attached) referenced below:

EXEMPT Projects

- _____ 58.34(a)(1)
- _____ 58.34(a)(2)
- _____ 58.34(a)(3)
- _____ 58.34(a)(4)
- _____ 58.34(a)(5)
- _____ 58.34(a)(6)
- _____ 58.34(a)(7)
- _____ 58.34(a)(8)
- _____ 58.34(a)(9)
- _____ 58.34(a)(10)
- _____ 58.34(a)(11)
- _____ 58.34(a)(12)

CENST Projects

- _____ 58.35(b)(1)
- _____ 58.35(b)(2)
- _____ 58.35(b)(3)
- _____ 58.35(b)(4)
- _____ 58.35(b)(5)
- _____ 58.35(b)(6)

In accordance with 58.34 and 58.35, evidence that the environmental requirements of the laws and authorities cited at 24 CFR 58.5 is filed elsewhere in the Environmental Review Record for this project.

IV. STATEMENT OF EXEMPTION

It is the finding of "....."that the above project as proposed in the 42 CDBG application is exempt from environmental review requirements of NEPA and the environmental requirements of related Federal authorities because the activities are defined as exempt activities in 58.34 and 58.35(b).

Signature of Certifying Officer

Date