

## This Project is Exempt (224 CFR Part 58.34) from Environmental Review

**as indicated below:**

Project Name and Description: \_\_\_\_\_

Funding Amount: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature and Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### Check one or more below and place in the Environmental Review Record:

a. Except for the applicable requirements of Sec. 58.6, the Responsible Entity does not have to comply with the requirements of this part or undertake any environmental review, consultation or other action under NEPA and the other provisions of law or authorities cited in Sec. 58.5 for the activities exempt by this section or projects consisting solely of the following activities:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Environmental and other studies, resource identification and the development of plans and strategies;
<input type="checkbox"/>	Information and financial services;
<input type="checkbox"/>	Administrative and management activities;
<input type="checkbox"/>	Public services that will not have a physical impact or result in any physical changes, including but not limited to services concerned with employment, crime prevention, child care, health, drug abuse, education, counseling , energy conservation and welfare or recreational needs;
<input type="checkbox"/>	Inspections and testing of properties for hazards or defects;
<input type="checkbox"/>	Purchase of insurance;
<input type="checkbox"/>	Purchase of tools;
<input type="checkbox"/>	Engineering or dosing costs;
<input type="checkbox"/>	Technical assistance and training;
<input type="checkbox"/>	. Assistance for temporary or permanent improvements that do not alter environmental conditions and are limited to protection, repair, or restoration activities necessary only to control or arrest the effects from disasters or imminent threats to public safety including those resulting from physical deterioration;
<input type="checkbox"/>	. Payment of principal and interest on loans made or obligations guaranteed by HUD;
<input type="checkbox"/>	. Any of the categorical exclusions listed in Sec. 58.35(a) provided that there are no circumstances which require compliance with any other Federal laws and authorities cited in Sec. 58.5

b. A recipient does not have to submit an RROF and certification, and no further approval from HUD or the State will be needed by the recipient for the drawdown of funds to carry out exempt activities and projects. However, the Responsible Entity must document in writing its determination that each activity or project is exempt and meets the conditions specified for such exemption under this section.