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## **U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY - NETL**

## CATEGORICAL EXCLUSION (CX) DESIGNATION FORM

Project No.: Not Yet Assigned Recipient Name: Austin Ande	rson Project Location: NETL Albany, Oregon
Sub-recipient(s) and Locations:  N/A; NETL Albany Site	
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NETL Sponsoring Org.: FE/LOC/FO/Facility Operations Team NETL Contact: Austin Anderson (541) 967-5909  Brief Title of Proposed Action: B28 Architectural and HVAC Upgrades Phase 2	
Brief Description of Activities:	
Remodel to provide new plumbing, electrical, HVAC, fire protection, egress, asbestos remediation, and historic windows.	
THE PROPOSED ACTION FALLS WITHIN THE FOLLOWING CATEGORICAL EXCLUSION(S) FROM APPENDICES A AND B TO SUBPART D OF DOE NEPA IMPLEMENTING PROCEDURES (10 CFR 1021):	
General Administration/Management	Electrical Power and Transmission
<ul> <li>□ A1 – Routine business actions</li> <li>□ A9 – Info gathering, analysis, documentation, dissemination, and training</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>□ B4.4 – Power management activities (storage, load shaping, and balancing)</li> <li>□ B4.6 – Transmission support addition/modifications at developed facility sit</li> </ul>
A11 – Technical advice and planning assistance	☐ B4.11 – Construction of power substations and interconnection facilities
Facility Operations	☐ B4.13 – Upgrading and rebuilding existing power lines (< 20 miles)
<ul> <li>□ B1.3 – Routine maintenance and custodial services</li> <li>□ B1.7 – Communication system and data processing equipment acquisition,</li> </ul>	Conservation, Fossil, and Renewable Energy Activities  B5.1 – Actions to conserve energy, no indoor air quality degradation
installation, operation, removal	☐ B5.3 – Modification/abandonment of wells
☐ B1.15 – Support building or structure, non-waste storage, construction/ operation	☐ B5.5 – Short crude oil/gas/steam/geothermal/carbon dioxide pipeline const/oper within an existing right-of-way (< 20 miles) between
Safety and Health	existing facilities  B5.13 – Experimental wells for injection of small quantities of carbon
<ul> <li>B2.1 – Modifications to enhance workplace habitability</li> <li>B2.2 – Installation/improvement of building/equipment instrumentation</li> </ul>	dioxide (< 500,000 tons)
■ B2.2 – Installation of equipment for personnel safety and health	<ul> <li>□ B5.15 – Small scale renewable energy research/development/pilot projects</li> <li>□ B5.22 – Alternative fuel vehicle fueling stations</li> </ul>
General Research	B5.23 – Electric vehicle charging stations
B3.1 – Site characterization/environmental monitoring	<u>Other</u>
<ul> <li>□ B3.6 – R&amp;D or pilot facility construction/operation/decommissioning</li> <li>□ B3.7 – New infill exploratory, experimental oil/gas/geothermal well</li> </ul>	Specify category:
construction and/or operation  B3.9 – Certain CCT demonstration activities, emissions unchanged	☐ Specify category:
B3.11 – Outdoor tests, experiments on materials and equipment components	
	☐ Specify category:
This action (1) would not present any extraordinary circumstances such that the action might have a significant impact upon the human environment; (2) is not connected to other actions with potentially significant impacts; (3) is not related to other actions with cumulatively significant impacts; and (4) is not inconsistent with 10 CFR 1021.211 - Interim Actions or 40 CFR 1506.1 - Limitations during the NEPA process.	
SELECT ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:	
This Categorical Exclusion includes all tasks and phases in the Statement of Work or Statement of Project Objectives for this project.  This Categorical Exclusion is only valid for the following tasks/phases responsibility to obtain a NEPA determination prior to initiating any activities outside the scope of this Categorical Exclusion.	
SELECT ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:  ☐ This Categorical Exclusion includes all locations and activities for this project. ☐ Additional sites, sub-recipients, or activities cannot be identified at this time. The DOE initiator acknowledges the responsibility to obtain a NEPA	
determination prior to initiating any activities outside the scope of this Categorical Exclusion.	
NOTE: ANY CHANGE(S) TO THE PROJECT SCOPE OR LOCATIONS MAY REQUIRE A NEW NEPA DETERMINATION.	
DOE Initiator Signature: AUSTIN ANDERSON Date: 2023.07.28 09:47:14-070	
NEPA Compliance Officer: MARK LUSK Digitally signed by MARK LUSK	SK
The following special condition is provided for the consideration of the Contracting Officer:	