AE Application	**AE Exemption Criteria**	**Operator submit technical package**	**CalGEM reviews & confirms technical information & supporting data**	**CalGEM judges the aquifer to meet exemption criteria based on 40 CFR 146.4 & PRC 3131 (a)**
Lynch Canyon - Lanigan	(a), (b) (1)			
Sespe	(a), (b) (1)			
Cat Canyon	(a), (b) (1)			
Oxnard	(a), (b) (1)			
Holser	(a), (b) (1)			
Lompoc	(a), (b) (1)			
Midway-Sunset II (Tulare)	(a), (b) (1)			
Kern River	(a), (b) (1)			
Mt. Poso (Dorsey Area)	(a), (b) (1)			

Aquifer Exemptions (with injection in Non-exempt Aquifers)			
SWRCB reviews & confirms technical information and supporting data/ SWB Estimated Preliminary Concurrence Date	**Public review and comment on the Aquifer exemption proposal**	**State agencies review and address comments and concerns illuminated through public scrutiny**	**SWB Estimated Final Concurrence Date**
			May-21
	Sep-21	Dec-21	Mar-22
	Sep-21	Dec-21	Mar-22
Jun-21	Dec-21	Mar-22	Jun-22
Jun-21	Dec-21	Mar-22	Jun-22
Aug-21	Feb-22	May-22	Aug-22
Aug-21	Feb-22	May-22	Aug-22

CalGEM send AE application package to EPA	EPA reviews technical information and supporting data. EPA makes a ruling in the aquifer exemption status
	Jun-21
Jan-22	Jun-22
Sep-21	Feb-22
Jul-22	Dec-22
Jul-22	Dec-22
Oct-22	Mar-23
Oct-22	Mar-23
Dec-22	May-23
Dec-22	May-23