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**STATEMENT OF STAFF APPROVAL
CHANGE IN OWNERSHIP AND OPERATIONAL CONTROL
COSUMNES POWER PLANT
(01-AFC-19C)**

On November 24, 2025, the Sacramento Municipal Utility District Financing Authority (SFA), the project owner, filed a post certification petition with the California Energy Commission (CEC) requesting to transfer ownership of the Cosumnes Power Plant (CPP) from SFA to the Sacramento Municipal Utility District (SMUD), the new owner.

The 1,000-megawatt project was certified by the CEC in September 2003 and began commercial operation in February 2006. The CPP is located adjacent to the Rancho Seco Nuclear plant, 25-miles southeast of Sacramento.

A statement describing the change in ownership and operational control, signed under penalty of perjury by Lourdes White, Senior Attorney for SMUD, was submitted pursuant to California Code of Regulations, Title 20, section 1769(b) and 1707. The statement affirms that the project owner understands the conditions of certification in the Commission Decision or as previously amended and agrees to comply with those conditions.

The petition requesting the change of ownership and operational control is available on the [CEC's project webpage](https://www.energy.ca.gov/powerplant/combined-cycle/cosumnes-power-plant), <https://www.energy.ca.gov/powerplant/combined-cycle/cosumnes-power-plant>. In the box labeled "Compliance Proceeding" click on the Docket Log (01-AFC-19C) and locate the petition by its transaction number, [TN 267724](#).

Staff has reviewed the petition and has determined that the petition meets the requirements of California Code of Regulations, Title 20, section 1769(b). Accordingly, staff hereby approves the petition to change ownership and operational control for the CPP.

This Statement of Staff Approval is being mailed to interested persons on the project mail list.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Any person may file an objection to a staff approval within 14 days of the filing of staff's statement. Any such objection must state the grounds for the objection. If a person

files such an objection, the petition shall be considered by the CEC at a noticed business meeting or hearing.

Objections to staff's approval may be submitted using the CEC's e-Commenting feature, as follows: Go to the [CEC's project webpage](#) and click on "Submit e-Comment" link. When your comments are filed, you will receive an email with a link to them.

Written objections may also be mailed to:

California Energy Commission
Docket Unit, MS-4
Docket No. 01-AFC-19C
715 P Street
Sacramento, CA 95814-5512

All objections and associated materials filed with the Docket Unit will be added to the facility Docket Log and be publicly accessible on the [CEC's project webpage](#).

If you have questions about this notice, please contact Compliance Project Manager Ashley Gutierrez, Compliance Monitoring and Enforcement Unit, Safety and Reliability Branch, at (916) 839-0400 or via e-mail at Ashley.Gutierrez@energy.ca.gov.

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