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BEFORE THE ENERGY RESOURCES CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION FOR THE MISSION ROCK ENERGY CENTER

Docket No. 15-AFC-02

NOTICE OF COMMITTEE CONFERENCE (CLOSED SESSION)

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Energy Commission Committee¹ (Committee) assigned to conduct proceedings on the Application for Certification (Application) on the Mission Rock Energy Center (Project) has scheduled a Committee Conference/Closed Session on:

Friday, July 15, 2016
Beginning at 11:30 a.m.
Second Floor Fishbowl Conference Room

California Energy Commission 1516 Ninth Street Sacramento, CA 95814 Wheelchair Accessible (Map Attached)

(Parties and the public are advised not to travel to Sacramento as the public portion of the agenda will be brief—use the WebEx system instead.)

TELECONFERENCE OPTION: We recommend participation at this event by telephone and/or by computer via our "WebEx" web conferencing system. However, parties and the Public may attend the meetings in person at the above location or by telephone and/or by computer via our "WebEx" web conferencing system. For details on how to participate by WebEx, please see the "Participation through WebEx" directions attached to this Notice.

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¹ The Energy Commission appointed a Committee consisting of Karen Douglas, Commissioner and Presiding Member, and Janea A. Scott, Commissioner and Associate Member, at an Energy Commission Business Meeting on May 17, 2016. (TN 211537.)

Purpose of the Committee Conference

The Committee will conduct the Committee Conference for the primary purpose of deliberating in closed session on the issues presented by the Application. It may also address any then-pending motions or other requests that are ripe for consideration. The committee conference will be convened, public comment taken, and then the closed session will begin. The committee conference will reopen at the conclusion of the closed session to make any announcement of a required reportable action and to adjourn the committee conference. No oral argument will be taken.

Background

On December 30, 2015, Mission Rock Energy Center, LLC (Applicant) submitted an Application for Certification to the California Energy Commission (Energy Commission) seeking permission to construct and operate a 275-megawatt (MW) natural-gas-fired power generation facility: the Mission Rock Energy Center.²

The proposed Project would be sited on approximately 10 acres of land at 1025 Mission Rock Road in unincorporated Ventura County, approximately five miles west of downtown Santa Paula, California. The proposed Project site is located in an industrial park currently used for recreational vehicle and boat storage. Temporary construction laydown and parking facilities would be located north of the proposed Project site. Access to the proposed Project site would be via State Route 126.

The proposed Project would consist of five new General Electric Energy LM6000 PG (or equivalent) natural-gas-fired, combustion turbine generators with a combined nominal generation rating of 275 MW and associated auxiliaries. The proposed Project would also house 20 lithium-ion (and/or flow) batteries on site for electricity storage, providing an additional 25 MW of nominal capacity for up to four hours, and be enabled to provide voltage support to the electric grid.

The proposed Project would connect to the regional electrical grid at the Southern California Edison Santa Clara substation. To access this substation, the proposed projects requires the construction of a new 6.6-mile, 230 kilovolt (kV) transmission line.

Natural gas to operate the facility require the construction of a new 2.4-mile, 16-inch diameter pipeline that would connect to Southern California Gas Company's (SoCal Gas) existing high-pressure natural-gas transmission pipeline (Line 404/406). The new pipeline would run southwest from the proposed Project site along Shell Road and the Southern Pacific Railroad right-of-way.

The Application and all documents that have been filed in the project docket may be viewed at:

http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/missionrock/documents/afc.php

² The Application can be found at: http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/missionrock/documents/afc.php.

Public Participation and Public Adviser

Members of the public and other interested parties are welcome to attend and offer comments at the Committee Conference. It is not necessary to be an intervenor to participate in the public process. Written comments may be submitted by visiting http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/missionrock/index.html and clicking on the "Submit e-Comment" link in the "Original Proceeding" box. Otherwise, written comments may be submitted by e-mailing them to docket@energy.ca.gov, or by U.S. Mail to:

California Energy Commission Docket Unit, 15-AFC-02 1516 Ninth Street, MS-4 Sacramento, CA 95814

For all comments, please include the docket number and proceeding name, "Docket No. 15-AFC-02, Mission Rock Energy Center," in the subject line and on the cover page.

PLEASE NOTE: Your written and oral comments, attachments, and associated contact information (e.g., your address, phone, e-mail, etc.) become part of the viewable public record. Additionally, this information may become available via Google, Yahoo, and other search engines.

The Energy Commission's Public Adviser's Office is available to provide the public information on participating in the application review process and to make recommendations for meaningful participation. For information on participating, contact Alana Mathews, Public Adviser, at (916) 654-4489 or (800) 822-6228, or e-mail at PublicAdviser@energy.ca.gov.

If you have a disability and need assistance to participate in this event, contact Lourdes Quiroz at least five days prior to the event at (916) 654-5146, or e-mail at lou.quiroz@energy.ca.gov.

Information

Questions of a legal or procedural nature should be directed to Susan Cochran, Hearing Officer, by e-mail at susan.cochran@energy.ca.gov or (916) 654-3965.

Technical questions concerning the Project should be addressed to Mike Monasmith, Senior Project Manager, by e-mail at mike.monasmith@energy.ca.gov or (916) 654-4894.

Media inquiries should be sent to the Media and Public Communications Office at Mediaoffice@energy.ca.gov or (916) 654-4989.

Information concerning the status of the proposed Project, as well as notices and other relevant documents, may be viewed on the Energy Commission's web page at: www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/missionrock/.

Dated: July 5, 2016, at Sacramento, California

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Original signed by

KAREN DOUGLAS

Commissioner and Presiding Member Mission Rock Energy Center Committee

JANEA A. SCOTT

Commissioner and Associate Member Mission Rock Energy Center Committee





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Mission Rock Energy Center Committee Conference (Closed Session)

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Meeting Agenda

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Hearing on Any Pending Motions
- 3. Public Comment

Members of the public and other interested persons and entities may speak up to three minutes on a matter appearing on this agenda.

4. Committee Conference/Closed Session

Committee closed session consideration of the following items:

Mission Rock Energy Center and deliberation on matters for decision by the Committee such as the issues presented by the application, any pending motions and scheduling.

The Committee will adjourn to closed session in accordance with Government Code, section 11126, subdivision (c)(3), which allows a state body, including a delegated committee, to hold a closed session to deliberate on a decision to be reached in a proceeding the state body was required by law to conduct. The Committee may adjourn to a closed session at any point during the meeting and may conduct multiple closed sessions as necessary.

5. Adjourn

Agency contact: Susan Cochran, Hearing Officer, (916) 654-3965 or e-mail at susan.cochran@energy.ca.gov.

This agenda was prepared in advance of the committee conference. In the event of a substantial change to the agenda, revised agendas would be filed in the Docket and available in the proposed Project's Docket Log at: www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/missionrock/.

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