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**BEFORE THE ENERGY RESOURCES CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT
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***PETITIONS TO AMEND THE
CARLSBAD ENERGY CENTER
PROJECT***

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REVISED COMMITTEE SCHEDULING ORDER

Background

On April 29 and May 2, 2014, Carlsbad Energy Center LLC (the Petitioner), an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of NRG Energy, Inc., submitted two petitions to amend the May 31, 2012, Energy Commission Decision approving the Carlsbad Energy Center Project (CECP). The approved CECP and the amendment petitions are described in previously filed documents.¹ The CECP would be located on the eastern portion of the Encina Power Station (EPS), north of Canon Road, east of the AT&SF/North County Transit District Rail Corridor, west of Interstate-5 and south of the Agua Hedionda Lagoon, in the city of Carlsbad in San Diego County.

Schedule

The attached Revised Committee Schedule follows a review and discussion conducted during a public Committee status conference on October 23, 2014. The Committee may modify the schedule at any time upon either its own motion or that of a party. Cal. Code Regs., tit. 20, § 1709.7 (c).

Status Reports and Status Conferences

The attached schedule requires monthly status reports to be submitted by all parties. Those status reports shall inform the Committee whether or not case development is progressing satisfactorily, and bring potential schedule delays and other relevant matters to the Committee's attention. It also lists monthly status conferences, which have been separately noticed.²

¹ Notice of Public Site Visit, Environmental Scoping Meeting and Committee Conference, TN 202623, filed June 27, 2014; Notice of Committee Status Conferences, TN 203255 filed October 24, 2014.

² TN 203255

Hearing Format

No later than the Prehearing Conference, the Committee will decide which portions of the hearings will be conducted using a formal (direct and cross-examination of witnesses by party representatives) process and which will be conducted by an informal process. In either process, the parties will identify witnesses and exhibits prior to the hearing. For the informal portions, all of the witnesses for a topic will be seated as a panel to answer questions from the parties and the Committee. While a question can be directed to a particular witness in the first instance, the other panelists may also answer the question if they choose. Panelists may also ask questions of each other.

Public Adviser and Public Participation

The Energy Commission invites members of the public and other interested parties to participate either on an informal basis or by intervening in the proceeding. Both types of participation allow written and oral comments. At the informal participation level, written and oral public comments are considered by the Commissioners and are part of the record, but are not part of the formal evidentiary record. Intervenors have the right to introduce evidence into the evidentiary record and cross-examine the other parties' witnesses.

The Energy Commission's Public Adviser's Office is available to provide the public with an understanding of a proceeding and to make recommendations for meaningful participation. For assistance, contact Alana Mathews, Public Adviser at (916) 654-4489 or (800) 822-6228 or e-mail at: publicadviser@energy.ca.gov.

Information

Questions of a legal or procedural nature should be directed to Chief Hearing Adviser Paul Kramer at (916) 654-5103, or e-mail: paul.kramer@energy.ca.gov.

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

Media inquiries should be directed to the Office of Media and Public Communications at (916) 654-4989, or e-mail: mediaoffice@energy.ca.gov.

Information regarding the status of the project, as well as notices and other relevant documents pertaining to this proceeding, may be viewed on the Energy Commission's Internet web page at: <http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/carlsbad/>.

If you would like to receive e-mail notifications about project related meetings and documents, sign up on the listserve at <http://www.energy.ca.gov/listservers/>.

Dated: October 30, 2014, at Sacramento, California.

Original Signed By:

KAREN DOUGLAS
Commissioner and Presiding Member
Carlsbad Amendments Committee

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**CARLSBAD ENERGY CENTER AMENDMENTS
07-AFC-06C
REVISED COMMITTEE SCHEDULE
(AS OF OCTOBER 30, 2014)**

ACTIVITY	DATE
Petition to Remove Filed	4-29-14
Petition to Amend Filed	5-02-14
Site Visit and Informational Hearing	8-07-14
Data Response and Issue Resolution Workshop	9-24-14 – 9-25-14
Discovery (Data Requests) Cut Off (requests must be filed by this date or Committee permission for later filing obtained)	10-29-14
Parties file Status Reports	10-31-14
Committee Status Conference	11-3-14
San Diego Air Pollution Control District (SDAPCD) files Preliminary Determination of Compliance (PDOC)	11-10-14 or earlier
California Coastal Commission files comments	Tbd
Parties file Status Reports	12-1-14
Committee Status Conference	12-3-14
Staff publishes Preliminary Staff Assessment (PSA)	12-15-14
Parties file Status Reports	1-2-15
Committee Status Conference	1-7-15
PSA Workshop	1-12-15 *
PSA Public Comment Period ends	PSA + 30 days
Parties file Status Reports	1-30-15
Committee Status Conference	2-4-15
SDAPCD files Final Determination of Compliance (FDOC)	Tbd
Staff publishes Final Staff Assessment (FSA)	2-17-15
Parties file Prehearing Statements Identifying Contested Issues, Witnesses, and Exhibits	3-6-15
Prehearing Conference	3-12-15 *
Evidentiary Hearing	3-23-15 – 3-24-15 *
Presiding Member's Proposed Decision (PMPD) Issued for 30 day comment period	4-29-15 *

Committee PMPD Conference (near end of PMPD comment period)	5-27-15 *
PMPD Comment Period ends	5-29-15 *
Errata or Revised PMPD issued (if necessary)	Tbd
PMPD Considered for adoption at Energy Commission Business Meeting	June 2015

Tbd – To be determined

* – approximate date