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**NOTICE OF RECEIPT  
PETITION TO AMEND  
THE CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION DECISION FOR THE  
AMENDED CARLSBAD ENERGY CENTER (07-AFC-6C)**

On August 11, 2017, Carlsbad Energy Center LLC (Project Owner) filed a Petition to Amend (PTA) with the California Energy Commission (Energy Commission) requesting to modify the Final Decision for the Amended Carlsbad Energy Center Project (ACECP). The 632-megawatt, simple-cycle project was certified by the Energy Commission on May 31, 2012. The facility will be located in the City of Carlsbad, in San Diego County.

**DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED MODIFICATION**

The Project Owner requires a communication line to be established and operational by November, 2017 in order to start the commissioning of equipment in the ACECP control room and communication with the California Independent System Operator (CAISO) and San Diego Gas & Electric (SDG&E) for future ACECP plant operations.

The purpose and necessity of the conduit for communications services have been discussed in the 2007 Application for Certification (AFC) and a 2014 PTA the Carlsbad Energy Center Project. The provider of these communication services, Cabrillo Power I LLC (Cabrillo), is the landlord for ACECP and has also been referenced in the AFC and PTA. The new conduit segment and the existing conduit segment leading to the eastern ACECP parcel will be owned and maintained by Cabrillo. A specific conduit run was not defined in the AFC or the 2014 PTA, but Cabrillo was previously identified to provide these communication services.

The Project Owner is proposing to trench 520 feet between two existing conduit junction boxes and install conduit entirely within the Encina Power Station (EPS)<sup>1</sup> property boundary to bridge between two existing conduit runs at EPS. For this work, the Project Owner intends to follow the ACECP conditions of certification, including abiding by applicable compliance plans.

**ENERGY COMMISSION AMENDMENT REVIEW PROCEDURES**

The Energy Commission's webpage for this facility, <http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/carlsbad/index.html>, has a link to the August 11, 2017 PTA on the right side of the webpage in the box labeled "Compliance Proceeding." Click on the "Documents for this Proceeding (Docket Log)" option.

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<sup>1</sup> A review of the planned demolition of the EPS and existing administration building and the design of the new administration building/control room was included during detailed design of the ACECP.

Energy Commission staff is currently reviewing the petition. The purpose of the Energy Commission's review process is to assess the impacts of this proposal on environmental quality and on public health and safety. The review process includes, among other things, an evaluation of the consistency of the proposed changes with the Energy Commission's Decision and a determination on whether the facility, as modified, would remain in compliance with applicable laws, ordinances, regulations, and standards (20 Cal. Code of Regs., § 1769). Upon completion of its review, the staff will provide written notice of its intent to either process the proposed changes as a Staff Approved Project Modification or schedule it for consideration by the Energy Commission at a regularly scheduled Business Meeting.

This Notice of Receipt has been mailed to the Energy Commission's facility mail list of interested parties and property owners adjacent to the facility site. It has also been e-mailed to the facility listserv. The listserv is an automated Energy Commission e-mail system by which information about this facility is e-mailed to parties who have subscribed. To subscribe, go to the Commission's webpage for this facility, cited above, scroll down the right side of the project's webpage to the box labeled "Subscribe," and provide the requested contact information.

Any person may comment on the petition. To use the Energy Commission's electronic commenting feature, go to the Energy Commission's webpage for this facility, cited above, click on the "Submit e-Comment" link, and follow the instructions in the on-line form. Be sure to include the facility name in your comments. Once submitted, the Energy Commission Dockets Unit reviews and approves your comments, and you will receive an e-mail with a link to them.

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California Energy Commission  
Dockets Unit, MS-4  
Docket No. 07-AFC-6C  
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All comments and materials filed with and approved by the Dockets Unit will be added to the facility Docket Log and become publicly accessible on the Energy Commission's webpage for the facility.

If you have questions about this Notice, please contact Dale Rundquist, Compliance Project Manager, at (916) 651-2072, or by fax to (916) 654-3882, or via e-mail at [dale.rundquist@energy.ca.gov](mailto:dale.rundquist@energy.ca.gov).

For information on participating in the Energy Commission's review of the petition, call Alana Mathews, Public Adviser, at (916) 654-4489 or (800) 822-6228 (toll-free in California) or send your e-mail to [publicadviser@energy.ca.gov](mailto:publicadviser@energy.ca.gov).

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