

**Memorandum**

To: Commissioner John L. Geesman, Presiding Member  
 Chairman Jackalyne Pfannenstiel, Associate Member

Date: December 21, 2007  
 Telephone: (916) 651-8853  
 File: 05-AFC-3

From: California Energy Commission - *Robert Worl*  
 1518 Ninth Street  
 Sacramento, CA 95814-5512  
 Robert Worl  
 Siting Project Manager

Subject: **STATUS REPORT #7 FOR THE SUN VALLEY ENERGY PROJECT (05-AFC-3)**

The South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD or District) staff continues to work on the Determination of Compliance process for the Sun Valley Energy Project (SVEP). The applicant and the turbine vendor, GE Energy, have supplied additional emissions information to the District for the project's LMS100 turbines that will be used to develop the compliance requirements and revised modeling. The new information will be used by the District staff for the completion of a Revised Preliminary Determination of Compliance (PDOC-R) that will be circulated for public comment.

The California Air Resources Board (CARB) intends to adopt stricter nitrogen dioxide (NO<sub>2</sub>) standards by January of 2008 which reduce the 1-hour limit from 2.5 parts per million (ppm) to 0.18 ppm, and establishing an NO<sub>2</sub> annual standard of 0.18 ppm. It is unknown at this time what impact CARB's new standard will have on the SCAQMD requirements for this project.

**Project Management Staff Transition**

I have accepted a Siting Program Manager position in the Siting and Compliance Office, which was effective December 20, 2007. Mary Dyas will be the Energy Commission's new SVEP Project Manager. You may reach Mary at 916-651-8891, or through email at [mdyas@energy.state.ca.us](mailto:mdyas@energy.state.ca.us).

**Schedule**

Staff is now working towards the following revised schedule based upon this current information:

<b>DOCKET</b>	
<b>05-AFC-3</b>	
<b>DATE</b>	DEC 21 2007
<b>RECD.</b>	DEC 21 2007

**SUN VALLEY ENERGY PROJECT (05-AFC-3)  
ENERGY COMMISSION STAFF'S PROPOSED REVISED SCHEDULE**

	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Calendar Day</b>
1	Valle del Sol Energy, LLC (VSE), filed the Application for Certification (AFC)	December 1, 2005
2	Preliminary Determination of Compliance Issued	January 31, 2007
3	Preliminary Staff Assessment filed	May 16, 2007
4	Preliminary Staff Assessment workshop	May 31, 2007
5	VSE files final Comments on PSA	May 18, 2007
6	VSE and GE provide new information to SCAQMD	December 18, 2007
7	SCAQMD Issues Revised Preliminary Determination of Compliance (R-PDOC)	January, 2008
8	SCAQMD Issues Final Determination of Compliance (FDOC)	March, 2008
9	Final Staff Assessment Filed	FDOC + 40
10	Prehearing Conference	To Be Determined

**Shading indicates completed actions in the SVEP AFC process**

cc: Docket (05-AFC-3)  
Proof of Service List

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

**APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION  
FOR THE SUN VALLEY ENERGY  
PROJECT (SVEP)**

**DOCKET No. 05-AFC-3  
PROOF OF SERVICE LIST  
(Revised 3/23/07)**

**INSTRUCTIONS:** All parties shall 1) send an original signed document plus 12 copies OR 2) mail one original signed copy AND e-mail the document to the web address below, AND 3) all parties shall also send a printed OR electronic copy of the documents that shall include a proof of service declaration to each of the individuals on the proof of service:

**DOCKET UNIT**

**CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION**

Attn: Docket No. 05-AFC-3  
1516 Ninth Street, MS-4  
Sacramento, CA 95814-5512  
[docket@energy.state.ca.us](mailto:docket@energy.state.ca.us)

**APPLICANT**

Jenifer Morris  
Project Manager  
NJ Resources, LLC  
7240 Heil Ave.  
Huntington Beach, CA 92647  
[jenifer@njr.net](mailto:jenifer@njr.net)

**\*Victor Yamada, Project Manager**  
**Edison Mission Energy**  
**18101 Von Karman Avenue,**  
**Suite 1700**  
**Irvine, CA 92612-1046**  
[vyamada@EdisonMission.Com](mailto:vyamada@EdisonMission.Com)

Tom McCabe  
Edison Mission Energy  
18101 Von Karman Avenue  
Irvine, CA 92612  
[tmccabe@edisonmission.com](mailto:tmccabe@edisonmission.com)

**APPLICANT'S CONSULTANT**

CH2M HILL  
Douglas M. Davy, Ph.D., Sr. Project  
Manager  
2485 Natomas Park Dr., Suite 600  
Sacramento, CA 95833  
[ddavy@ch2m.com](mailto:ddavy@ch2m.com)

**COUNSEL FOR APPLICANT**

Galati & Blek, LLP  
Scott Galatti  
Plaza Towers  
555 Capitol Mall, Suite 600  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
[sgalati@gb-llp.com](mailto:sgalati@gb-llp.com)

**INTERESTED AGENCIES**

Songzhe Zhu  
Ca. Independent System Operator  
151 Blue Ravine Road  
Folsom, CA 95630  
[SZhu@caiso.com](mailto:SZhu@caiso.com)

Eric Saltmarsh  
Electricity Oversight Board  
770 L Street, Suite 1250  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
[esaltmarsh@eob.ca.gov](mailto:esaltmarsh@eob.ca.gov)

**INTERVENORS**

Roland Skumawitz, Superintendent  
Romoland School District  
25900 Leon Road  
Romoland, California 92548

California Unions for Reliable Energy  
Marc D. Joseph  
Gloria D. Smith  
Adams Broadwell Joseph & Cardozo  
601 Gateway Boulevard, Suite 1000  
South San Francisco, California 94080  
[mdjoseph@adamsbroadwell.com](mailto:mdjoseph@adamsbroadwell.com)

**INTERESTED PERSONS**

**\*Brenda Tomaras**  
**Tomaras and Ogas**  
**10755-F Scripps Poway Parkway,**  
**#281**  
**San Diego, CA 92131**  
**[btomaras@mtowlaw.com](mailto:btomaras@mtowlaw.com)**

**\*Laura Miranda,**  
**Deputy General Council**  
**Pechanga Indian Reservation**  
**Post Office Box 1477**  
**Temecula, CA 92593**  
**[lmiranda@Pachangansn.gov](mailto:lmiranda@Pachangansn.gov)**

**ENERGY COMMISSION**

John L. Geesman  
Presiding Member  
[jgeesman@energy.state.ca.us](mailto:jgeesman@energy.state.ca.us)

Jackalynne Pfannenstiel  
Associate Member  
[jpffannen@energy.state.ca.us](mailto:jpffannen@energy.state.ca.us)

Gary Fay  
Hearing Officer  
[gfay@energy.state.ca.us](mailto:gfay@energy.state.ca.us)

Project Manager  
Robert Worl  
[rworl@energy.state.ca.us](mailto:rworl@energy.state.ca.us)

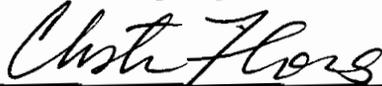
Staff Counsel  
Deborah Dyer  
[ddyer@energy.state.ca.us](mailto:ddyer@energy.state.ca.us)

Public Adviser  
[PAO@energy.state.ca.us](mailto:PAO@energy.state.ca.us)

**DECLARATION OF SERVICE**

I, Christina Flores declare that on December 21, 2007 I deposited copies of the attached Status Report #7 For the Sun Valley Energy Project in the United States mail at Sacramento, CA with first class postage thereon fully prepaid and addressed to those identified on the Proof of Service list above. Transmission via electronic mail was consistent with the requirements of California Code of Regulations, title 20, sections 1209, 1209.5, and 1210.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.



\_\_\_\_\_  
Christina Flores