Notice of Staff Data Response & Issue Resolution Workshop for the CPV Sentinel Energy Project (07-AFC-3)

The California Energy Commission (Energy Commission) staff will conduct a Data Response and Issue Resolution Workshop for the CPV Sentinel Energy Project (CPV Sentinel). The purpose is to discuss the Application for Certification (AFC) Supplement (Revised Water Plan), responses to staff’s data requests and to work toward resolving issues. All interested agencies and members of the public are invited to participate.

THURSDAY, APRIL 17, 2008
1:00 to 5:00 p.m.
CARL MAY CENTER
11711 WEST DRIVE
DESERT HOT SPRINGS, CA 92240
(Wheelchair Accessible)
(Map Attached)

Purpose

The Energy Commission staff is currently analyzing CPV Sentinel, LLC’s AFC for the proposed development of the CPV Sentinel project. Staff published data requests on March 25, 2008 for the following technical areas: Biology, Cultural Resources, Socioeconomics, and Water Resources. Responses are due April 14, 2008. The staff workshop will focus on CPV Sentinel LLC’s data responses and work toward resolving project issues. Following the workshop, staff will consider the comments it receives and initiate preparation of the Preliminary Staff Assessment (PSA) containing a preliminary analysis of the project’s environmental impacts, including recommendations for mitigation and conditions of certification.

Background

On June 25, 2007, CPV Sentinel, LLC submitted an AFC to the Energy Commission to construct and operate a simple-cycle (peaking) power plant. The CPV Sentinel project is a proposed nominally rated 850 megawatt (MW) electrical generating facility that would encompass 37 acres of land situated within unincorporated Riverside County, California, adjacent to the Palm Springs northern city limits. On February 19, 2008, the Energy Commission received a supplement to the CPV Sentinel AFC. This supplemental filing differs from the original AFC in that it provides a revised water supply plan.

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Public Participation

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Questions

General information and documents on the proposed project are available on the Energy Commission’s website at http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/sentinel/index.html. Please direct your technical or project schedule questions to Bill Pfanner, Energy Commission Project Manager, at (916) 654-4206, or by email at bpfanner@energy.state.ca.us. News media inquiries should be directed to the Energy Commission’s Media Office at (916) 654-4989, or by email at mediaoffice@energy.state.ca.us. The status of the proposed project, copies of notices, an electronic version of the AFC, and other relevant documents are also available on the Energy Commission’s Internet web site. You can also subscribe to receive email notification of all notices at http://www.energy.ca.gov/listservers.

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APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION
FOR THE CPV SENTINEL ENERGY PROJECT
Power Plant Licensing Case

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:

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I, Christina Flores, declare that on April 1, 2008, I deposited copies of the attached CPV Sentinel Energy Project (07- AFC-3) Notice of Staff Data Response & Issue Resolution Workshop, English and Spanish versions 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.

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