



BEFORE THE ENERGY RESOURCES CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT
COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
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APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION FOR THE
**RIDGECREST SOLAR
POWER PROJECT**

DOCKET No. 09-AFC-9

REVISED COMMITTEE SCHEDULE

For good cause shown during the May 17, 2010, Mandatory Status Conference, the Committee hereby establishes revised scheduling milestones to replace and supersede the milestones set forth in the Committee Order dated April 29, 2010.

The Committee **ORDERS** Commission Staff to:

1. Conduct at least two additional workshops by the end of July 2010, with one conducted in June 2010 and one conducted in July 2010, addressing outstanding Biological Resources issues; and
2. Publish a complete Revised Staff Assessment by the end of September 2010.

In addition, the Committee hereby **VACATES** the August 20, 2010, Prehearing Conference date and September 1 through September 3, 2010, Evidentiary Hearing dates set forth in the Committee Order, dated April 29, 2010. Revised dates for these particular proceedings will be determined at the discretion of the Committee after publication of the complete Revised Staff Assessment.

These scheduling changes are reflected in the attached Revised Committee Schedule.

Dated: June 8, 2010, at Sacramento, California.

Original signed by: _____

JAMES D. BOYD

Vice Chair and Presiding Member
Ridgecrest Solar AFC Committee

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ANTHONY EGGERT

Commissioner and Associate Member
Ridgecrest Solar AFC Committee

**REVISED
COMMITTEE SCHEDULE
FOR THE
RIDGECREST SOLAR POWER PROJECT
(09-AFC-9)**

ACTIVITY	DATE
Commission's determination that AFC is complete	11/18/09
Staff files Data Requests	12/22/09
Staff files Issues Identification Report	12/23/09
Technical staff receive final comments and conditions from appropriate agencies	1/4/10-1/10/10
Energy Commission Informational Hearing/Site Visit and BLM Public Scoping Meeting	1/5/10
Applicant provides Data Responses	1/22/10
Data Response and Issue Resolution workshops	As needed
Local, state and federal agency draft determinations AQMD files PDOC	2/18/10 and after
Mandatory Status Conference	2/24/10
CEC Publishes and Files SA/DEIS	3/26/10
EPA Publishes Notice of Availability (NOA) for SA/DEIS in Federal Register (90-day comment period begins)	4/9/10
BLM Submits Biological Assessment (BA) to USFWS	4/21/10
Staff Assessment Workshops/DEIS Public Meetings	4/22/10 – 4/23/10
Mandatory Status Conference	4/27/10
Staff Assessment Workshops/DEIS Public Meetings (Biological Resources)	5/3/10 – 5/4/10
Mandatory Status Conference	5/17/2010
Staff Assessment Comment Period Ends	5/21/10
Staff Assessment Workshops/DEIS Public Meetings (Biological Resources)	June 2010
Mandatory Status Conference	7/8/10
Staff Assessment Workshops/DEIS Public Meetings (Biological Resources)	July 2010
AQMD files FDOC	7/30/10
BA Determined adequate by USFWS	TBD

ACTIVITY	DATE
USFWS issues Biological Opinion (90 days after consultation initiated) and Incidental Take Statement	8/20/10
EPA Publishes Notice of Availability (NOA) for FEIS in Federal Register	8/20/10
BLM Plan Amendment Protest Period Ends	9/20/10
Expedited Governor's review period ends	9/20/10
CEC Publishes Revised Staff Assessment	By 9/30/10
BLM Resolution Period Ends (assuming protest was filed)	10/20/10
Prehearing Conference and Evidentiary Hearings	11/10
Presiding Members Proposed Decision (PMPD) - Issued for 30-Day Comment Period	TBD
Committee Hearing on PMPD	TBD
BLM Record of Decision/Right of Way (ROD/ROW) issued	By 11/10
BLM Notice to Proceed	By 11/10
Commission Decision	1 st Quarter 2011

TBD – To be Determined.

Dated: June 8, 2010



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DECLARATION OF SERVICE

I, Maggie Read, declare that on, June 9, 2010, I served and filed copies of the attached Revised Committee Scheduling, dated June 8, 2010. The original document, filed with the Docket Unit, is accompanied by a copy of the most recent Proof of Service list, located on the web page for this project at: [http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/solar_millennium_ridgecrest].

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I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct, that I am employed in the county where this mailing occurred, and that I am over the age of 18 years and not a party to the proceeding.

Original signed by:

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Hearing Adviser's Office