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Subject: EASTSHORE ENERGY CENTER (06-AFC-6) STATUS REPORT 8

Pursuant to the Second Revised Committee Scheduling Order dated July 2, 2007, the following is staff's Status Report 8 for the Eastshore Energy Center (Eastshore).

Preliminary Staff Assessment

The Eastshore Preliminary Staff Assessment (PSA) was published on August 17, 2007.

The PSA concluded that even if all mitigation measures and recommended conditions of certification are adopted by the Commission and implemented by the applicant, all applicable laws, ordinances, regulations and standards (LORS) will not be complied with and significant adverse indirect environmental impacts to Land Use and Traffic and Transportation would likely result from the Eastshore project.

Staff conducted a PSA workshop on September 6th at the Hayward City Hall and obtained informal verbal comments from the applicant, agencies, interveners, and the public. The applicant plans to submit their formal response to the PSA by September 21st. The public and agencies have been requested to return comments on the PSA to staff by September 28th. Comments will be considered and appropriately responded to the Final Staff Assessment (FSA).

Status of FSA Schedule

The critical factor that will determine the publication date of the FSA is the involvement of the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA). FAA staff (divisions of Flight Standards, Air Traffic, and Airports) are forming a team to review the aviation issues associated with both the Russell City Energy Center and the Eastshore project. Staff has requested that the FAA provide its analysis of the Eastshore project by October 8th. Receipt of the FAA's analysis will determine the publication date of the Eastshore FSA. Depending on the timing and complexity of the applicant's and the FAA's comments, staff could publish the FSA by the end of October 2007. Staff's high overall workload expected for October will also affect the FSA publication date.

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APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION
FOR THE EASTSHORE ENERGY CENTER
IN CITY OF HAYWARD
BY TIERRA ENERGY

Docket No. 06-AFC-6

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