



**BEFORE THE ENERGY RESOURCES CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT
COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
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**APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION FOR THE
*QUAIL BRUSH GENERATION PROJECT***

DOCKET No. 11-AFC-03

**REVISED
COMMITTEE SCHEDULING ORDER**

Background

On August 29, 2011, Quail Brush Genco, LLC submitted an Application for Certification (AFC) to the California Energy Commission seeking permission to construct and operate a nominal 100-megawatt (MW) intermediate/peaking load, electrical generating facility that would employ a set of 11 natural gas-fired, reciprocating, Wartsila engine generators to be called the Quail Brush Generation Project (QBG). The QBGP is proposed to be developed on a 21.6-acre parcel, located in the city of San Diego. The proposed site is located west of the city of Santee, south of the Sycamore landfill, and north of State Route 52.

Summary

The Energy Commission assigned a Committee of two Commissioners to conduct proceedings on the AFC. The Committee held a public site visit and informational hearing at the City of San Diego Mission Trails Visitor Center on January 25, 2012, to discuss the review process and to identify issues that could affect the schedule. Pursuant to Title 20, California Code of Regulations, section 1709.7(c), the Committee issued a schedule on March 5, 2012 based on Staff's proposed schedule and related discussions at the informational hearing. The schedule was revised in June, 2012 and October, 2012.

This revised schedule is based upon developments since issuance of the last schedule. It contains a list of events that must occur in order to complete the certification process. This schedule covers the period up to the prehearing conference with the balance of the schedule to be determined at the prehearing conference. The Committee encourages the parties to consider this schedule an outer boundary and make their best efforts to complete the milestones ahead of these dates. Some deadlines may be contingent upon reviews to be conducted by federal, state, and local agencies. The Applicant must

provide sufficient review time for the responsible agencies to meet the deadlines specified in the schedule.

Status Reports

Through their status reports, the parties have advised the Committee of certain issues that have impacted the schedule. The attached revised schedule reflects revisions necessitated by those issues. It also requires a status report to be submitted by each party by January 9, 2013. Status reports shall inform the Committee whether or not case development is progressing satisfactorily, and bring potential schedule delays and other relevant matters to the Committee's attention.

Public Adviser and Public Participation

The Energy Commission invites members of the public and other interested parties to participate either on an informal basis or by intervening in the proceeding. Both types of participation allow written and oral comments. At the informal participation level, written and oral public comments are considered by the Commissioners and are part of the record, but are not part of the formal evidentiary record. Intervenors have the right to introduce evidence into the evidentiary record and cross-examine the other parties' witnesses.

The Energy Commission's Public Adviser's Office is available to provide the public with an understanding of a proceeding and to make recommendations for meaningful participation. For assistance, contact Jennifer Jennings, the Public Adviser, at (916) 654-4489 or 800-822-6228 or e-mail at: publicadviser@energy.ca.gov.

Contact Information

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Information concerning the status of the project, as well as notices and other relevant documents, may be viewed on the Energy Commission's Internet web page at: <http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/quailbrush/index.html>.

Dated: December 14, 2012

Original Signed By:

KAREN DOUGLAS
Commissioner and Presiding Member
Quail Brush Generation Project AFC Committee

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**COMMITTEE SCHEDULE
QUAIL BRUSH GENERATION PROJECT**

	ACTIVITY	DATE
1	Applicant files Supplement to Alternatives	10-31-12
2	Status conference	12-10-12
3	Discovery phase ends	12-14-12
4	All parties file status reports	01-09-13
5	SDAPCD issues Preliminary Determination of Compliance (PDOC)	01-23-13
6	Preliminary Staff Assessment (PSA) filed	01-31-13
7	Status Conference (if needed)	TBD
8	PSA workshop(s)*	02-08-13
9	Public and agency comments on PSA are due	03-04-13
10	SDAPCD issues Final Determination of Compliance (FDOC)	03-06-13
11	Final Staff Assessment (FSA) filed	03-22-13
12	Prehearing Conference**	TBD
13	Evidentiary Hearing**	TBD
14	Committee files Presiding Member's Proposed Decision (PMPD)**	TBD
15	Hearing on the PMPD**	TBD
16	Committee files errata or revised PMPD (if necessary)**	TBD
17	Full Commission issues its Final Decision**	TBD
	*Staff workshop dates are tentative and subject to change	
	**Items to be scheduled by the Committee	

TBD – to be determined

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DECLARATION OF SERVICE

I, RoseMary Avalos, declare that on December 17, 2012, I served and filed copies of the attached REVISED COMMITTEE SCHEDULING ORDER, dated December 14, 2012. This document is accompanied by the most recent Proof of Service list, which I copied from the web page for this project at: <http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/quailbrush/index.html>.

The document has been sent to the other parties in this proceeding (as shown on the Proof of Service list) and to the Commission's Docket Unit, as appropriate, in the following manner:

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I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct, and that I am over the age of 18 years.

Dated: December 17, 2012

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