Notice of Decision by California Energy Commission

To: Office of Planning and Research
   P.O. Box 3044
   1400 Tenth Street, Room 222
   Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

From: California Energy Commission
      1516 9th Street
      Sacramento, CA 95814

Subject: Filing of Notice of Decision in compliance with Public Resources Code Section 21080.5 and Title 20, California Code of Regulations, Section 1768

Project Title: BEACON SOLAR ENERGY PROJECT

Energy Commission Docket Number: 08-AFC-2

Energy Commission Contact Person: Eric Solorio

Telephone: (916) 651-0966

Project Location: The proposed Beacon Solar Energy Project would be located on a 2,012-acre parcel off of California State Route 14 (SR-14), in Kern County, CA. The nearest cross streets are Neuralia Road / Anne Avenue.

County: Kern County

Project Description: Construction and operation of a 250 MW solar thermal power plant, consisting of a solar field of parabolic troughs, a steam turbine generator and a wet-cooling system that uses tertiary treated wastewater. On August 25, 2010, the California Energy Commission approved the above-described project pursuant to a regulatory program certified by the California Secretary of Resources under Section 21080.5 of the California Public Resources Code.

1. The project will not have a significant effect on the environment.
2. Mitigation measures were made a condition of approval of the project.
3. A statement of Overriding Considerations was not adopted for the project.

The Commission docket files containing the final Commission Decision and other information regarding the project are available to the public at: California Energy Commission, 1516 9th Street, Sacramento, California, 95814. The final Decision and other information regarding the project is also available on the Commission’s web site located at www.energy.ca.gov.

Signature

Project Manager

Date

Title

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- Other $0

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**DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME**

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**PROJECT APPLICANT (Check appropriate box):**

- [ ] Local Public Agency  
- [ ] School District  
- [ ] Other Special District  
- [ ] State Agency  
- [x] Private Entity

**CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:**

- [ ] Environmental Impact Report (EIR)  
  - $2,792.25  
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- [ ] Negative Declaration (ND)(MND)  
  - $2,010.25  
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- [ ] Application Fee Water Diversion (State Water Resources' Control Board Only)  
  - $850.00  
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- [ ] Projects Subject to Certified Regulatory Programs (CRP)  
  - $949.50  
  - $949.50

- [ ] County Administrative Fee  
  - $50.00  
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- [ ] Project that is exempt from fees  
  - [ ] Notice of Exemption  
  - [ ] DFG No Effect Determination (Form Attached)

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**TITLE:**  
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