

## CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION

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**98-AFC-1C**

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Barbara McBride  
Director, Environmental, Health and Safety  
Calpine Corporation  
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Dublin, CA 94568

**LOS MEDANOS ENERGY CENTER, LLC (98-AFC-1C): COMPLETION OF PRE-ENERGIZATION CONDITIONS FOR THE TRANSMISSION LINE PROJECT**

Dear Ms. McBride:

This letter confirms the Los Medanos Energy Center, LLC (LMEC), has satisfied and is in compliance with each of the Conditions of Certification required to energize the transmission line that will provide power to Dow Chemicals. Additionally, on February 22, 2010, the Energy Commission's Chief Building Official, Contra Costa County, provided us with the enclosed letter which serves as notification to the Commission that all engineering and building code requirements for initial energizing of the transmission lines have been satisfied.

We appreciate your diligent work with us during the construction phase of the transmission line project. LMEC remains obligated to comply with all Conditions of Certification written in the Final Commission Decision and subsequently approved Amendments. If you have any questions, please call Jack Caswell, Compliance Program Manager, at (916) 653-0062 or send an e-mail to [JCaswell@energy.state.ca.us](mailto:JCaswell@energy.state.ca.us).

Sincerely,

  
CHRIS MARXEN  
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February 22, 2010

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California Energy Commission  
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Sacramento, Ca 95814

**Re: CONDITION ON CERTIFICATION GEN-8, COMPLETION OF WORK- LOS  
MEDANOS TO DOW PITTSBURG TRANSMISSION LINE PROJECT AMENDMENT  
98-AFC-1C LOS MEDANOS ENERGY CENTER**

Dear Ms Garcia,

On Thursday February 18, 2010 The Contra Costa County Building Division began the process of performing a final Inspection at the Dow Chemical Company for the Los Medanos Energy Center (LMEC) transmission lines to Dow Chemical.

This letter serves as notification to the CEC to allow the energizing of the transmission lines, this is necessary to be able to perform the final inspection for the cables, and equipment which must be fully energized for the proper testing and reports that will be generated by the third party inspectors. These reports will be submitted to the Contra Costa County Building Department for approval so a final inspection can be performed.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kevin Dumford".

Kevin Dumford  
Supervisor, Inspection Services  
Department of Conservation & Development  
Building Inspection Division  
Contra Costa County