



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

DOCKET No. 09-AFC-6

NOTICE OF MANDATORY STATUS CONFERENCE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Committee designated by the Energy Commission to conduct proceedings on the Application for Certification (AFC) for the **BLYTHE SOLAR POWER PROJECT** has scheduled a Mandatory Status Conference to take place as follows:

Thursday, April 15, 2010
Beginning at 1 p.m.

California Energy Commission
Hearing Room A
1516 Ninth Street
Sacramento, CA 95814

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| DATE | APR 5 2010 |
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TELECONFERENCE OPTION: The following toll-free phone number will be available for callers to participate in the Status Conference:

Call: 1-800-369-1177
Use Passcode: SOLAR
Conference Leader: "MR. RAOUL RENAUD"

Purpose of the Status Conference

This Status Conference is sponsored by the Committee assigned to this matter to resolve issues that might hinder timely and orderly progress of the proceedings. At the Status Conference, the Committee will discuss with the parties proposed dates for a Prehearing Conference and Evidentiary Hearings, and other scheduling issues that may arise.

Issues Statements

The parties shall prepare, docket and serve an Issues Statement of no more than two pages in length by Monday, April 12, 2010. The Issues Statement shall contain a proposed schedule including dates for publication of the SSA/FEIS, Prehearing Conference, and Evidentiary Hearings. In addition, the Issues

Statement shall include a brief discussion of what obstacles may exist that would hinder completion of this proceeding by September, 2010.

Conference Participation

The Committee **directs** each party to participate and be represented by an agent with authority to bind and make decisions on the party's behalf. The Committee also invites the attendance of the Bureau of Land Management (BLM).

Public Participation

The Energy Commission's Public Adviser, is available to assist the public in participating in the application review process. Contact the Public Adviser's Office at (916) 654-4489 or 800-822-6228 or e-mail: **[publicadviser@energy.state.ca.us]**.

If you have a disability and need assistance to participate in any scheduled event, contact Lourdes Quiroz no less than five days prior to the hearing at (916) 654-5146 or e-mail: **[lquiroz@energy.state.ca.us]**.

Information

Questions of a legal or procedural nature should be directed to Raoul Renaud, the Hearing Officer, at (916) 651-2020 or e-mail: **[rrenaud@energy.state.ca.us]**.

Technical questions concerning the Project should be addressed to Alan Solomon, the Staff Project Manager, at (916) 653-8236 or e-mail: **[asolomon@energy.state.ca.us]**.

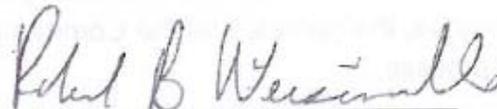
Media inquiries should be directed to the Office of Media and Public Communications at (916) 654-4989 or e-mail: **[mediaoffice@energy.state.ca.us]**.

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/solar_millennium_blythe]**.

Dated: April 5, 2010 at Sacramento, California.



Chairman and Presiding Member
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POWER PLANT PROJECT

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DECLARATION OF SERVICE

I, Maggie Read, declare that on April 5, 2010, I served and filed a copy of the attached Notice of Mandatory Status Conference, dated April 5, 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:
[\[http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/solar_millennium_blythe\]](http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/solar_millennium_blythe)

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

(Check all that Apply)

FOR SERVICE TO ALL OTHER PARTIES:

- sent electronically to all email addresses on the Proof of Service list;
 by personal delivery;
 by delivering on this date, for mailing with the United States Postal Service with first-class postage thereon fully prepaid, to the name and address of the person served, for mailing that same day in the ordinary course of business; that the envelope was sealed and placed for collection and mailing on that date to those addresses **NOT** marked "email preferred."

AND

FOR FILING WITH THE ENERGY COMMISSION:

- sending an original paper copy and one electronic copy, mailed and emailed respectively, to the address below (*preferred method*);

OR

- depositing in the mail an original and 12 paper copies, as follows:

CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION
Attn: Docket No. 09-AFC-6
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I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Original signed by:
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