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Energy Resources Conservation
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In the Matter of:

Docket No. 09-AFC-7

Application for Certification
For Palen Solar Power Project

Energy Commission Staff's Issues Statement

On April 5, 2010, the Committee assigned to this proceeding issued a Notice of Mandatory Status Conference and requested that parties file an Issues Statement prior to the status conference outlining a proposed schedule including dates for publication of the Supplemental Staff Assessment, Prehearing Conference, and Evidentiary Hearings and a brief discussion of what obstacles may exist that would hinder completion of this proceeding by September, 2010.

There are issues in Biological Resources, Cultural Resources, and Soil and Water Resources that still need to be resolved and may affect the timing of publication of the Supplemental Staff Assessment. Additionally, staff has not been able to confirm the availability of key staff from participating agencies for evidentiary hearings. Therefore, staff tentatively proposes the following schedule, with the caveat that changes may need to be made:

Final Staff Assessment: June 18, 2010
Applicant and Intervenor Testimony: June 25, 2010
Prehearing Conference: July 2, 2010
Evidentiary Hearings: July 19-20, 2010

Dated: April 14, 2010

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APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION
FOR THE *PALEN SOLAR POWER
PLANT PROJECT*

Docket No. 09-AFC-7

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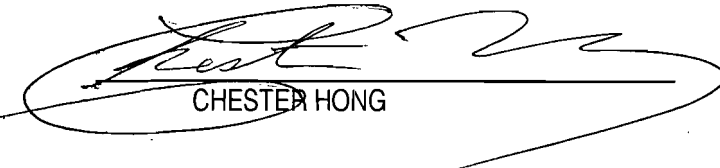
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