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Alan Solomon Project Manager California Energy Commission 1516 Ninth Street Sacramento, CA 95814

RE: **Palen Solar Power Project, Docket No. 09-AFC-7** *Zoning letter from the County of Riverside Technical Area: Land Use* 

Dear Mr. Solomon:

Attached please find the following letter from the County of Riverside regarding zoning for the Palen Solar Power Project.

If you have any questions on this submittal, please feel free to contact me directly.

Sincerely,

Alice Harron

Senior Director, Development

## **County of Riverside Zoning Letter**

Palen Solar Power Project

Docket No. 09-AFC-7

Alice Harron
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Ms. Alice Harron 1625 Shattuck Ave. Suite 270 Berkeley, CA 94709

May 20, 2010

Re: APN 810-110-007

Ms. Harron:

After researching the above referenced parcel-I have found it to be compatible with the proposed land use, a solar generating plant. The parcel currently has the land use designation of OS-RUR-the Planning Director has determined that a solar facility is compatible. Zoning for the subject parcel is W-2 and is compatible with a solar facility.

If the proposed project was to be processed through the County of Riverside, a land use entitlement would be required.

Thank you for your inquiry in this matter.

Regards,

Bob Lyman

Regional Office Manager

## STATE OF CALIFORNIA ENERGY RESOURCES CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

# In the Matter of: APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION for the PALEN SOLAR POWER PROJECT

## Docket No. 09-AFC-7 PROOF OF SERVICE

(Revised 5/14/2010)

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#### **DECLARATION OF SERVICE**

I, Carl Lindner, declare that on, May 21, 2010, I served and filed copies of the attached zoning letter from the County of Riverside, dated May 20, 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 palen].

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, in the following manner:

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I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Carl E. Lindner