CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION

1516 NINTH STREET SACRAMENTO, CA 95814-5512



80-AFC-1C

NOTICE OF RECEIPT

DATE MAR 2 6 1999 RECD. MAR 3 0 1999

The California Energy Commission has received a petition requesting an ownership change for the Sonoma Geothermal Power Project (80-AFC-1C). The Calpine Geysers Company, L.P., current owner of the project, proposes to transfer the license, and the obligation to perform the conditions of certification under that license to the Geysers Power Company, LLC. Both the Geysers Power Company and the Calpine Geysers Company are wholly owned subsidiary companies of the Calpine Corporation.

Commission Review Procedures

A statement describing the ownership change, signed under penalty of perjury by a representative of the proposed new owner of the project, was submitted to the Energy Commission staff for review and approval as required by Title 20, California Code of Regulations, section 1769(b). The statement affirms that the new owner agrees to be bound by the requirements of the Energy Commission Decision for the Sonoma Geothermal Power Project.

Based on the information provided, staff intends to recommend that the Energy Commission at the April 14, 1999 business meeting approve the proposed ownership change.

If you have any questions, or wish to make comments regarding this ownership change, please contact Ms. Jeri Zene Scott, Compliance Project Manager, at (916) 654-4228, or by e-mail at jscott@energy.state.ca.us, within 10 days of the date of this notice.

For information on how you may participate in this process, please contact Ms. Roberta Mendonca, the Energy Commission's Public Adviser, at (916) 654-4489 or toll free in California at (800) 822-6228. If you require special accommodations, contact Robert Sifuentes, at (916) 654-5004. News media inquiries should be directed to Assistant Executive Director, Claudia Chandler, at (916) 654-4989.

If you would like to receive a copy of the amendment request or the Energy Commission's order if this change is approved, please complete the enclosed Information Request Form and return it to the address shown.

Date: <u>3 /26</u>

ROBERT L. THERKELSEN, Deputy Director for Energy Facilities Siting & Environmental Protection

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INFORMATION REQUEST FORM

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COMPLIANCE UNIT

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Please circle the documents you wish to receive:

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SONOMA PROJECT

DOCKET No:

80-AFC-1C

CONDITION(S)*:

OWNERSHIP CHANGE

1) Amendment Request

2) Commission Order

^{*}Please circle the condition numbers you are interested in if more than one appears.