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Dear Librarian:

DOCUMENT HANDLING FOR THE AES ALAMITOS ENERGY CENTER (13-AFC-01)

On December 27, 2013, AES Southland Development, LLC (AES-SD) submitted an Application for Certification (AFC) to the California Energy Commission to modernize the existing Alamitos Generating Station (AGS). The Alamitos Energy Center (AEC) would be located on approximately 63 acres of privately owned land. The proposed project site is bounded to the north by State Route 22; to the east by the San Gabriel River; to the south by 2nd Street; and to the west by N. Studebaker Rd., in the city of Long Beach, Los Angeles County, California. Existing Alamitos Generating Station Units 1–6 are currently in operation with a net generating capacity of 1,950 megawatts (MW). All six operating units and retired Unit 7 would be demolished as part of the proposed project. Construction and demolition activities at the project site are anticipated to last 139 months, from first quarter 2016 until third quarter 2027.

The AEC is under the Energy Commission's siting authority. The Commission's power plant certification process examines engineering, public health and safety, and environmental aspects of power plant proposals and provides analyses pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). When issuing a license, the Energy Commission is the lead state agency under CEQA and through its certified regulatory program produces several environmental and decision documents rather than an environmental impact report.

The Energy Commission's siting process is open to the public and incorporates the input of the public as well as local, state, and federal agencies. To facilitate public participation in our review process, the Energy Commission has sent copies of the AFC to libraries in the project area, and Eureka, San Francisco, Sacramento, Fresno, Los Angeles, and San Diego.

Please make the enclosed AFC available for those who may wish to be informed about the project. We request that you not allow the AFC or any of its contents to be removed from the library. To increase accessibility of the document, we ask, if possible, that you cross reference it as a general reference work under the title and author categories, as well as under such subjects as "Energy Commission," "electricity," "energy/generation," "power plant siting," or any other relevant subject.

Thank you for your cooperation. If you have any questions, please contact Keith Winstead, Energy Commission Project Manager, at (916) 654-5191 or by e-mail at keith.winstead@energy.ca.gov or Cenne Jackson, Project Assistant, at (916) 651-9010 or by e-mail at cenne.jackson@energy.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

Date: _____

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