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NOTICE OF RECEIPT

PETITION TO AMEND THE CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION DECISION FOR THE IVANPAH SOLAR ELECTRIC GENERATING SYSTEM (07-AFC-5C)

On March 26, 2014, Solar Partners I, L.L.C., Solar Partners II, L.L.C., and Solar Partners VIII, L.L.C. filed a petition with the California Energy Commission (Energy Commission) requesting to amend the Final Decision for the Ivanpah Solar Electric Generating System (ISEGS). The 370-megawatt project was certified by the Energy Commission on September 22, 2010 and began construction on October 7, 2010. The facility is located in the Mojave Desert, near the Nevada border, in San Bernardino County.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED MODIFICATION

The modifications proposed in the petition would allow ISEGS to increase the maximum allowable annual fuel usage limit for boilers from 328 to 525 million standard cubic feet (MMSCF) per power block. The requested change would require modification of the annual fuel use limits in Air Quality Conditions of Certification AQ-12 and AQ-34. Additionally, the petition requests conforming changes to Air Quality Condition of Certification AQ-SC10, which limits total annual natural gas fuel heat input to each of the three ISEGS power plants to no more than 5 percent of the total heat input from the sun. According to the petition, the proposed revisions to condition AQ-SC10 are necessary to make the condition consistent with the proposed changes to conditions AQ-12 and AQ-34.

ENERGY COMMISSION AMENDMENT REVIEW PROCEDURES

The purpose of the Energy Commission's review process is to assess the impacts of this proposal on environmental quality and on public health and safety. The review process includes an evaluation of the consistency of the proposed changes with the Energy Commission's Decision and a determination on whether the facility, as modified, would remain in compliance with applicable laws, ordinances, regulations, and standards (20 Cal. Code of Regs., § 1769). Energy Commission staff is currently analyzing the request and will publish an analysis in the near future. A public hearing for the purpose of approving, denying, or modifying the amendment proposal will be held at a regularly scheduled Energy Commission business meeting.

The amendment petition has been posted on the Energy Commission's ISEGS webpage at http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/ivanpah/. The Staff Analysis, when completed, will also be posted on the facility webpage.

This Notice of Receipt is being provided to interested parties and property owners adjacent to the facility site. This Notice has been mailed to the ISEGS mail list and sent electronically to the ISEGS list serve. The list serve is an automated e-mail system by

which information can be distributed to all parties who have subscribed. You can subscribe from the ISEGS webpage at http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/ivanpah/.

Any person may comment on the petition. Those who wish to comment on the petition can use the Energy Commission's e-commenting feature as follows: Go to the Energy Commission's CGS webpage and click on the "Submit e-Comment" link. In the form, provide the required information—your full name, e-mail address, the comment Title, and either a comment or an attached document. The comment Title should be "[Your Name]'s Comments re ISEGS Petition." Type your comments into the "Comment Text" field, or upload and attach a document with your comments. The maximum upload file size is 10MB, and only .doc, .docx, or .pdf attachments will be accepted. Enter the CAPTCHA that is used to prevent spamming. Then click on the "Agree and Submit your Comments" button to submit your comments to the Energy Commission Dockets Unit for review. When your comments are approved and docketed, you will receive an e-mail with a link to them on the facility webpage.

Written comments may also be mailed or hand-delivered to:

California Energy Commission Dockets Unit, MS-4 Docket No. 07-AFC-5C 1516 Ninth Street Sacramento, CA 95814-5512

All comments and materials filed with and approved by the Dockets Unit will be added to the facility Docket Log and become publically accessible on the Energy Commission's webpage for the facility.

If you have questions about this Notice, please contact Joseph Douglas, Compliance Project Manager, at (916) 653-4677, or by fax to (916) 654-3882, or via e-mail at joseph.douglas@energy.ca.gov.

For information on participating in the Energy Commission's review of the proposed modification to the ISEGS, call (800) 822-6228 (toll-free in California). The Public Adviser's Office can also be contacted via e-mail at publicadviser@energy.ca.gov. News media inquiries should be directed to the Energy Commission Media Office at (916) 654-4989, or by e-mail at mediaoffice@energy.ca.gov.

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