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## NOTICE OF RECEIPT PETITION TO AMEND THE CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION DECISION FOR THE CANYON POWER PLANT (07-AFC-9C)

On September 29, 2014, the Southern California Public Power Authority (SCPPA) filed a petition with the California Energy Commission (Energy Commission) requesting to modify the Final Decision for the Canyon Power Plant (CPP). The simple-cycle, 200-megawatt facility was certified by the Energy Commission in its Decision on March 17, 2010, and began commercial operation on September 15, 2011. The facility is located in the City of Anaheim, in Orange County, California.

## DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED MODIFICATION

SCPPA proposes to modify CPP's license to allow 335 hours per month of turbine operation; including 280 normal operating hours, plus 60 start-ups and shutdowns per month, and 10 hours of combustion turbine maintenance per year. In addition, SCPPA proposes to reduce the allowable particulate matter (PM10) emission rate, for each combustion turbine, from 3 pounds per hour (lb/hr) to 1.67 lb/hr, based on source test results. Finally, SCPPA proposes to reduce the maximum allowable operating hours, for the black start engine, from 200 to 50 hours per year, inclusive of maintenance and performance testing. These proposed changes will not require any construction activities or soil disturbance.

A modification to Air Quality Conditions of Certification AQ-1 (increase number of operating hours and reduce PM-10 emissions), AQ-2 (increase number of start-ups and shutdowns and limit maintenance activities to 10 hours per turbine per year), and AQ-20 (reduce black start engine annual operating hours) will be required.

## **ENERGY COMMISSION AMENDMENT REVIEW PROCEDURES**

The Energy Commission's webpage for this facility, <a href="http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/canyon/">http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/canyon/</a>, has a link to the amendment petition on the right side of the webpage in the box labeled "Compliance Proceeding." Click on the "Documents for this Proceeding (Docket Log)" option.

Energy Commission staff is currently reviewing the petition. 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). Staff will publish its analysis and recommendations for a 30-day comment period.

This Notice of Receipt has been mailed to the Commission's facility mail list of interested parties and property owners adjacent to the facility site. It has also been emailed to the facility listserv. The listserv is an automated Energy Commission e-mail system by which information about this facility is e-mailed to parties who have subscribed. To subscribe, go to the Commission's webpage for this facility, cited above, scroll down the right side of the project's webpage to the box labeled "Subscribe," and provide the requested contact information.

Any person may comment on the petition. To use the Energy Commission's electronic commenting feature, go to the Energy Commission's webpage for this facility, cited above, click on the "Submit e-Comment" link, and follow the instructions in the on-line form. Be sure to include the facility name in your comments. Once submitted, the Energy Commission Dockets Unit reviews and approves your comments, and you will receive an e-mail with a link to them.

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

California Energy Commission Dockets Unit, MS-4 Docket No. 07-AFC-9C 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 publicly accessible on the Energy Commission's webpage for the facility.

If you have questions about this Notice, please contact Dale Rundquist, Compliance Project Manager, at (916) 651-2072, or by fax to (916) 654-3882, or via e-mail at <a href="mailto:dale.rundquist@energy.ca.gov">dale.rundquist@energy.ca.gov</a>.

For information on participating in the Energy Commission's review of the petition, call the Public Adviser at (800) 822-6228 (toll-free in California) or send your e-mail to <a href="mailto:publicadviser@energy.ca.gov">publicadviser@energy.ca.gov</a>. News media inquiries should be directed to the Energy Commission Media Office at (916) 654-4989, or by e-mail to <a href="mailto:mediaoffice@energy.ca.gov">mediaoffice@energy.ca.gov</a>.

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