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**NOTICE OF RECEIPT
PETITION TO AMEND
THE CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION DECISION FOR THE
MOUNTAINVIEW GENERATING STATION PROJECT (00-AFC-02C)**

On January 11, 2016, the Southern California Edison Company (SCE), the owner of the Mountainview Generating Station (Mountainview), filed a petition with the California Energy Commission (Energy Commission) requesting to amend the March 22, 2001 Final Decision for Mountainview. The 1,056-megawatt project was certified on March 21, 2001, and began commercial operation on January 19, 2006. The facility is located in the City of Redlands, in San Bernardino County.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED MODIFICATION

SCE proposes to replace certain existing combustion turbine components with Advanced Gas Path upgraded components at the Mountainview Generating Station. These replacement components will improve turbine heat rate, increase generator ramp rate, reduce the generator minimum-load operating point, and increase Mountainview's rated MW output by 48 MW. The Project will continue to meet all existing emissions limits established in the existing permits. The modifications proposed in the petition will require administrative changes to several Air Quality Conditions of Certification.

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 (LORS) (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 Petition to Amend (PTA) has been posted on the Energy Commission's Mountainview webpage at <http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/mountainview/>. The Staff Analysis, when completed, will also be posted on the same 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 Mountainview mail list and sent electronically to the Mountainview Listserv. The listserv is an automated Energy Commission e-mail system by which information can be distributed to all parties who have subscribed. You can subscribe from the Commission's Mountainview webpage, cited above.

Any person may comment on the PTA. Those who wish to comment on the PTA can use the Energy Commission's e-commenting feature as follows: Go to the Energy Commission's Moutainview 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: Moutainview 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.

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

California Energy Commission
Dockets Unit, MS-4
Docket No. 00-AFC-02C
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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 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 Moutainview, call the Public Adviser at (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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