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NOTICE OF DECISION by the CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION

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From: California Energy Commission
1516 9th Street, MS-2000
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Subject: Filing of Notice of Decision in compliance with Public Resources Code section 21080.5 and Title 20, California Code of Regulations, section 1768

Project Name: Blythe Energy Project

Energy Commission Docket Number: 99-AFC-8C

Energy Commission Contact Person: Mary Dyas **Phone #:** (916) 651-8891

Project Location: Blythe, CA

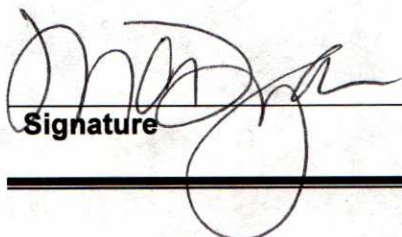
Project Description: A combined-cycle, natural gas-fired, 520-megawatt facility was certified by the Energy Commission in its Decision on March 21, 2001, and began commercial operation in July 2003. The facility is located in the City of Blythe, in Riverside County.

Modification Description: The modification to the Energy Commission Decision will reduce hourly and annual particulate matter (PM10) mass emission limits, reducing the annual natural gas fuel sulfur content limit, and reducing the annual oxides of sulfur (SOx) mass emission limit from the overly conservative emission limits required within the license to more accurately reflect potential emissions from the facility based upon operating experience and test data.

On June 14, 2016, the California Energy Commission approved the above-described project change pursuant to a regulatory program certified by the California Secretary of Resources under section 21080.5 of the California Public Resources Code, finding that:

1. The project will not have a significant effect on the environment;
2. Mitigation measures were made a condition of approval of the project;
3. The project is in compliance with all laws, ordinances, regulations, and standards; and
4. A statement of Overriding Considerations was not adopted for the project.

The Commission's docket files containing the Energy Commission's Final Decision and other information regarding the project are open to the public at: California Energy Commission, 1516 9th Street, Sacramento, California, 95814. This information is also available on the Energy Commission's web site—www.energy.ca.gov.



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