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## NOTICE OF RECEIPT

## PETITION TO CHANGE THE OPERATIONAL CONTROL OF TRACY COMBINED-CYCLE POWER PLANT (08-AFC-7C)

On January 31, 2019, Ellison Schneider Harris & Donlan LLP, on behalf of AltaGas San Joaquin Energy Inc. (the owner of Tracy Combined-cycle Power Plant project), filed with the California Energy Commission (Energy Commission) a notice of name change for the project owner to MRP San Joaquin Energy LLC. The notification indicated that the name change to MRP San Joaquin Energy LLC was a result of an upstream sale. The notification stated that the upstream sale does not result in a change of ownership of the project. Further, it asserted that the name change does not constitute a change in the ownership of the project subject to Section 1769 of the Energy Commission's regulations.

On February 1, 2019, MRP San Joaquin Energy LLC filed a petition with the Energy Commission requesting approval of change of the operational control from AltaGas Tracy Operations Inc. to MRP San Joaquin Energy LLC.

The original Tracy Peaker Plant, a nominal 169-megawatt simple-cycle facility, was certified by the Energy Commission on July 17, 2002, and began commercial operation on June 1, 2003. On March 24, 2010, the Energy Commission approved the conversion of the Tracy Peaker Plant into a combined-cycle power plant, named Tracy Combined-cycle Power Plant (Tracy) project, with a new nominal generating capacity of 314 megawatts. Tracy began commercial operation on November 1, 2012. The facility is located southwest of the City of Tracy, about 20 miles southwest of Stockton, in an unincorporated portion of San Joaquin County, California.

The petition requesting approval for change of operational control, signed under penalty of perjury by the representative of the MRP San Joaquin Energy LLC, was submitted to the Energy Commission staff for review and approval as required by Title 20, California Code of Regulations, Section 1769(b). The petition affirms that MRP San Joaquin Energy LLC:

- Will be responsible for compliance with the Energy Commission conditions of certification: and
- As the owner and the new operator of the Tracy, it understands the conditions of certification and agrees to comply with those conditions.

Based on the information provided in the petition, staff intends to approve the petition to change the operational control of Tracy within 14 days of docketing this notice on the project's webpage at the Energy Commission.

## **ENERGY COMMISSION REVIEW PROCEDURES**

The petition has been docketed on the project's webpage at https://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/tracyexpansion/index.html.

This notice is being provided to interested parties and property owners adjacent to the Tracy project site. It has been mailed to the Tracy mail list and sent electronically to the Tracy 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.

Any person may file an objection to staff approval within 14 days of docketing this notice on the project's webpage. Any such an objection must state the grounds of the objection. If a person files an objection to this change in the operational control of Tracy, the petition will be considered by the Energy Commission at a noticed business meeting.

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 will review and approve your comments, and send you an e-mail with a link to them.

Written objection may also be mailed or hand-delivered to within 14 days of the docketing this notice on the Energy Commission's webpage:

California Energy Commission Dockets Unit, MS-4 Docket No. **08-AFC-7C** 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 Anwar Ali, Compliance Project Manager, at (916) 654-5020, or by fax to (916) 654-3882, or via e-mail at Anwar.Ali@energy.ca.gov.

For information on participating in the Energy Commission's review of the proposed change of operational control of the Tracy facility, call (800) 822-6228 (toll-free in California). The Public Adviser's Office can also be contacted via e-mail at <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 at <a href="mailto:mediaoffice@energy.ca.gov">mediaoffice@energy.ca.gov</a>.

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