



BEFORE THE ENERGY RESOURCES CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA 1516 NINTH STREET, SACRAMENTO, CA 95814 1-800-822-6228 – WWW.ENERGY.CA.GOV

APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION For the *RIDGECREST SOLAR POWER PROJECT*

DOCKET NO. 09-AFC-9

REVISED - NOTICE OF PREHEARING CONFERENCE AND EVIDENTIARY HEARING

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Committee designated by the Energy Commission to conduct proceedings on the Application for Certification (AFC) for the **RIDGECREST SOLAR POWER PROJECT** has cancelled or changed **the following Hearings**:

A Prehearing Conference Status Conference will be conducted on:

MONDAY, May 17, 2010 Beginning at 9 a.m.

California Energy Commission Hearing Room A 1516 9th Street Sacramento, CA 95814

TELECONFERENCE OPTION: The following toll free phone number will be available at 9 a.m. for callers to participate in the Status Conference:

Call: 1-888-469-3052 Use Passcode: *"Ridgecrest"* Conference Leader: *"Kourtney Vaccaro"*

The Evidentiary Hearings scheduled as follows:

TUESDAY, June 1, 2010, THURSDAY, June 3, 2010, FRIDAY, June 4, 2010 are

<u>POSTPONED</u>

And will be rescheduled at a later date.

Public Participation and Public Adviser

The Energy Commission Public Adviser's Office is available to assist the public in participating in the application review process. For those individuals who require general information on how to participate, please contact the Public Adviser's Office at (916) 654-4489 or (800) 822-6228 or e-mail: **[publicadviser@energy.state.ca.us]**.

If you have a disability and need assistance to participate in this event, contact Lourdes Quiroz at (916) 654-5146 or e-mail: **[lquiroz@energy.state.ca.us]**.

Information

Questions of a legal or procedural nature should be directed to Kourtney Vaccaro, the Hearing Officer, at (916) 654-4328 or e-mail: **[kvaccaro@energy.state.ca.us]**.

Technical questions concerning the project should be addressed to Eric Solorio, the Staff Project Manager, at (916) 651-0966, or e-mail: **[esolorio@energy.state.ca.us]**.

Technical questions concerning the BLM permitting process should be addressed to Janet Eubanks at (951) 697-5376, or e-mail: [Janet_Eubanks@ca.blm.gov].

Media inquiries should be directed to the Office of Media and Public Communications at (916) 654-4989 or e-mail at: [mediaoffice@energy.state.ca.us].

Information concerning the status of the project, as well as notices and other relevant documents, may be viewed on the Energy Commission's Internet web page at: **[www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/ridgecrest/**].

Dated: April 29, 2010, at Sacramento, California.

<u>Original signed by:</u> JAMES D. BOYD Vice Chair and Presiding Member Ridgecrest Solar AFC Committee Original signed by:

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PROOF OF SERVICE (Revised 4/12/2010)

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DECLARATION OF SERVICE

I, Maggie Read, declare that on, April 29, 2010, I served and filed copies of the attached, REVISED - NOTICE OF PREHEARING CONFERENCE and EVIDENTIARY HEARING. The original document, filed with the Docket Unit, is accompanied by a copy of the most recent Proof of Service list, located on the web page for this project at: [http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/solar_millennium_ridgecrest].

The document has been sent to both the other parties in this proceeding (as shown on the Proof of Service list) and to the Commission's Docket Unit, in the following manner:

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I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct, that I am employed in the county where this mailing occurred, and that I am over the age of 18 years and not a party to the proceeding.

<u>Original signed by:</u> Maggie Read