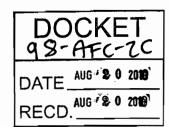
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August 20, 2010

Nick Park, Plant Manager La Paloma Generating Company, LLC PO Box 175 (Mail) 1760 West Skyline Road (Delivery) McKittrick, CA 93251

Subject: LA PALOMA GENERATING PROJECT (98-AFC-2C)

APPROVAL OF PETITION TO MODIFY CONDITION OF CERTIFICATION

AQ-51 AT BUSINESS MEETING ON AUGUST 11, 2010

Dear Mr. Park:

Enclosed please find a copy of the Energy Commission Order approving the La Paloma Generating project amendment petition that was heard at the California Energy Commission Business Meeting on August 11, 2010. The Order has been posted on the Energy Commission's website and was docketed on August 16, 2010. I have also enclosed a copy of the Notice of Decision filed with the Secretary of Resources and docketed at the Energy Commission on August 18, 2010.

This approved amendment changes the cooling tower PM10 limit, noted in Condition of Certification AQ-51, from 11.2 lbs/day to 20 lbs/day.

It was a pleasure working with you and your staff on this amendment. If you have any questions, please contact me at (916) 651-8891.

Sincerely,

Compliance Project Manager

Siting, Transmission & Environmental

Protection Division

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Enclosures: Commission Order, Notice of Decision

cc: Docket Unit