

NOTICE OF DECISION BY THE CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION

To: California Resources Agency
1416 9th Street, Room 1311
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From: California Energy Commission
1516 9th Street, MS-2000
Sacramento, CA 95814

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: Elk Hills Power Project

Energy Commission Docket Number: 99-AFC-1C

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

Project Location: Kern County, California

Project Description: The Elk Hills Power Plant is a 500 megawatt facility located in Kern County, California

Modification Description: Modification to increase cooling tower particulate matter (PM10) emission limit in air quality conditions of certification AQ-50, to decrease gas turbine PM10 annual emission limit in condition of certification AQ-18, and to change the wording in condition of certification AQ-57 for consistency with San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District.

On September 8, 2010, 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.

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. A statement of Overriding Considerations was not adopted for the project.

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

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