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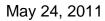
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SUBJECT: CPV SENTINEL ENERGY PROJECT (08-AFC-3C), CONDITIONAL APPROVAL TO START CONSTRUCTION

Dear Mr. Murphy:

The Energy Commission staff has completed its review of the preconstruction submittals required prior to the start of construction of the CPV Sentinel Energy Project.

In addition, all required plan approvals and/or permits from the Chief Building Official (CBO), have been secured and Bureau Veritas issued an Authority to Construct letter dated May 18, 2011.

With verification of payments associated with AQ-SC8 and SOCIO-1, 2, and 3, which will be made prior to construction, CPV Sentinel Energy Project will be in compliance with all pre-construction conditions of certification.

Construction may commence once proof of payment has been provided.

If you have any questions, please call me at (916) 651-2072 or e-mail me at drundqui@energy.state.ca.us.

Sincerely,

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