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Matt Stucky, PE Abengoa Solar Inc. 235 Pine Street, Suite 1800 San Francisco, CA 94104

SUBJECT: ABENGOA MOJAVE SOLAR PROJECT (09-AFC-5C)
START OF CONSTRUCTION

Dear Mr. Stucky:

The ABENGOA MOJAVE SOLAR PROJECT (ABENGOA) has completed all necessary submittals and received California Energy Commission (Energy Commission) staff approval for the pre-construction conditions of certification that are required prior to the start of construction for the power plant and related facilities. In addition, all required pre-construction plan approvals and/or permits from Bureau Veritas, the Energy Commission delegate Chief Building Official (CBO) for ABENGOA, have been completed.

Site construction may commence as of August 29, 2011.

If you have any questions, please call me at (916) 651-2072 or e-mail me at <a href="mailto:drundqui@energy.state.ca.us">drundqui@energy.state.ca.us</a>

Sincerely,

Dale Rundquist Compliance Project Manager

cc: Docket Unit

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