

NOTICE OF DECISION BY THE CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION

To: California Resources Agency
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Sacramento, CA 95814

From: California Energy Commission
1516 9th Street, MS-2000
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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: Kern River Cogeneration Project

Energy Commission Docket Number: 82-AFC-2C

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

Project Location: Five miles north of Bakersfield, Kern County

Project Description: 300 MW cogeneration project consists of four 75-MW natural-gas fired combustion turbines equipped with dry Low NOx combustors and four heat recovery steam generators capable of providing steam to the adjacent oilfield for use in enhanced oil recovery.

Modification Description: Modify air quality conditions AQ-17 and AQ-18 to include a 12-hour startup period for the purpose of conducting tuning of the units following removal and replacement of combustion hardware.

On November 30, 2011, 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 Energy 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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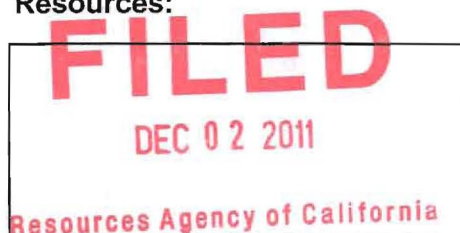
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