



BEFORE THE ENERGY RESOURCES CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT
COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
1516 NINTH STREET, SACRAMENTO, CA 95814
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California Energy Commission

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**APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION FOR THE
HIDDEN HILLS SOLAR ELECTRIC
GENERATING SYSTEM**

Docket No. 11-AFC-02

COMMITTEE ORDER GRANTING PETITION TO INTERVENE AND FURTHER ORDER

Upon consideration of the Petition to Intervene filed by Petitioner, Inyo County, the Committee designated to conduct proceedings in this matter makes the following findings:

On January 30, 2013, a Petition to Intervene was filed in the above-captioned proceeding by:

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1. The Petition was timely filed and contained the information required by Section 1207 of the Commission's regulations (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 20, § 1207);
2. No party or other person has filed an opposition to said Petition; and
3. Petitioner's interests are relevant to the above-captioned proceeding.

THEREFORE, the Committee **ORDERS** that the Petition to Intervene in this matter be **GRANTED** and that Petitioner be placed upon the Proof of Service List as an Intervenor. Petitioner may exercise the rights and shall fulfill the obligations of a party as set forth in Section 1712 of the Commission's regulations. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 20, § 1712.) The deadlines for conducting discovery and other matters shall not be extended by the granting of this Petition (the discovery phase of these proceedings is closed).

The Energy Commission welcomes and values intervenor participation in its energy facility siting process. A link to the Commission's regulations is posted on the Energy Commission website page at <http://www.energy.ca.gov/regs/title20/index.html>. As an Intervenor,

Petitioner is required to file and serve documents on other parties and to follow the Commission's procedures and orders regarding presenting witnesses and evidence. Petitioner is further required to review the rules regarding filings, the rules of evidence that apply at the evidentiary hearings and the rules prohibiting off the record contacts with Commissioners or the Hearing Adviser about the merits of a project. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 20, §§ 1001 through 1217, 1712 et seq.)

Petitioner may obtain help with participating in the siting process from the Energy Commission's Public Adviser's Office at (916) 654-4489 or (800) 822-6228, or e-mail: publicadviser@energy.ca.gov.

The Executive Director or his designee shall ensure that the Petitioner is immediately provided with a copy of the Application for Certification (AFC).

Dated: February 8, 2013 at Sacramento, California.

Original Signed By:

KAREN DOUGLAS
Commissioner and Presiding Member
Hidden Hills SEGS AFC Committee



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DECLARATION OF SERVICE

I, RoseMary Avalos, declare that on February 8, 2013, I served and filed copies of the attached COMMITTEE ORDER GRANTING PETITION TO INTERVENE AND FURTHER ORDER, dated February 8, 2013. This document is accompanied by the most recent Proof of Service, which I copied from the web page for this project at: <http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/hiddenhills/>.

The document has been sent to the other persons on the Service List above in the following manner:

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I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct, and that I am over the age of 18 years.

Dated: February 8, 2013

Original Signed By:

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