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NOTICE OF RECEIPT

PETITION TO AMEND THE ENERGY COMMISSION DECISION for the PALOMAR ENERGY CENTER PROJECT (01-AFC-24C)

California Energy Commission
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01-AFC-24C

TN # 69939

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On February 22, 2013, the San Diego Gas & Electric Company filed a petition with the California Energy Commission (Energy Commission) requesting to modify the Palomar Energy Center Project. The 500-megawatt project was certified by the Energy Commission on August 6, 2003, and began commercial operation on April 1, 2006. The facility is located in the City of Escondido, in San Diego County, California.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED MODIFICATION

The modifications proposed in the petition would upgrade the advanced gas path technology for two existing General Electric Frame 7-FA combined-cycle combustion gas turbines, thereby improving efficiency and output without increasing emission limits, and would modify certain air quality conditions of certification in the Energy Commission Decision for consistency with the most recent San Diego County Air Pollution Control District air permits to operate.

ENERGY COMMISSION AMENDMENT REVIEW PROCEDURES

The purpose of the Energy Commission's review process is to assess the impacts of this proposal on environmental quality, public health and safety. The review process includes an evaluation of the consistency of the proposed changes with the Energy Commission's Decision and, if the project, as modified, will remain in compliance with applicable laws, ordinances, regulations, and standards (Title 20, Calif. Code of Regulations, section 1769). Energy Commission staff is currently analyzing the request and will publish an analysis in the near future. A public hearing for the purpose of approving, denying, or modifying the amendment proposal will be held at a regularly scheduled Energy Commission business meeting.

This Notice of Receipt is being mailed to interested parties and property owners adjacent to the project site who may want to participate in the amendment process.

The petition is available on the Energy Commission's website at http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/palomar/compliance/. The staff analysis, when published, will also be posted on the website. If you would like to receive a hard copy or CD of the petition and/or staff's analysis, please complete the enclosed Information Request Form and return it to the address shown.

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If you have any comments or questions, please contact Dale Rundquist, Compliance Project Manager, at (916) 651-2072, or by fax to (916) 654-3882, or via e-mail at: Dale.Rundquist@energy.ca.gov.

Any person may file written comments on the Petition to Amend. All comments must be in writing and must be sent to the Energy Commission Dockets Unit. Please include the docket number (01-AFC-24C) in the subject line or first paragraph of your comments. Those submitting comments electronically should provide them in either Microsoft Word format or as a Portable Document Format (PDF) to docket@energy.ca.gov. Please include your name or organization's name in the file name. Those preparing nonelectronic written comments should mail or hand deliver them to:

> California Energy Commission Dockets Unit, MS-4 Docket No. 01-AFC-24C 1516 Ninth Street Sacramento, CA 95814-5512

All written comments and all materials filed with the Dockets Unit will become part of the public record of the proceeding. Additionally, comments may be posted to the website.

For further information on how to participate in this proceeding, please contact the Energy Commission Public Adviser's Office, at (916) 654-4489, or toll free in California at (800) 822-6228, or by e-mail at publicadviser@energy.ca.gov. News media inquiries should be directed to the Energy Commission Media Office at (916) 654-4989, or by email at mediaoffice@energy.ca.gov.

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