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NOTICE OF RECEIPT

REQUEST TO WITHDRAW THE AMENDMENT AND TERMINATE the CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION DECISION for the CALICO SOLAR PROJECT (08-AFC-13C)

On June 20, 2013, K Road Calico Solar, LLC, filed a letter with the California Energy Commission (Energy Commission) requesting to withdraw the amendment and terminate the Energy Commission license for the Calico Solar Project (CSP). The 663.5-megawatt project was licensed by the Energy Commission on December 1, 2010. The proposed project would be constructed on an approximate 4,613-acre site located in San Bernardino County, California. The project site is approximately 37 miles east of Barstow, 17 miles east of Newberry Springs, 57 miles northeast of Victorville, and approximately 115 miles east of Los Angeles (straight line distances).

DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED MODIFICATION

The request would terminate the Energy Commission license.

ENERGY COMMISSION REVIEW PROCEDURES

The purpose of the Energy Commission's review process is to receive any comments relating to the granting of the request. A public hearing for the purpose of approving or denying the request will be held at the **August 14, 2013** Energy Commission business meeting. If the request is approved, the Energy Commission's order will also be posted on the webpage.

The letter requesting withdrawal and termination is attached to this notice and also available on the Energy Commission's webpage along with other documents and submittals pertaining to the Calico Solar Project at: http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/calicosolar/compliance 2012/index.html.

If you have any questions, please call Craig Hoffman, Compliance Project Manager, at (916) 654-4781, or fax your questions to (916) 654-3882, or e-mail them to craig.hoffman@energy.ca.gov.

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

Any person may file written comments on the petition. All comments must be in writing and filed with the Energy Commission's Dockets Unit. Those who wish to provide comments on the petition are asked to file them prior to **July 25, 2013**. All written comments and all materials filed with the Dockets Unit will become part of the public Notice of Receipt Calico Solar Project (08-AFC-13C) Page 2

record of the proceeding and may be posted on the Energy Commission's webpage for the Calico Solar Project.

All comments must be in writing. Those submitting comments electronically should provide them as either a Microsoft Word document (.doc or .docx) or in Portable Document Format (.pdf) and include your name or your organization's name in the file name. Please e-mail electronic written comments to <u>docket@energy.ca.gov</u> and include the docket number (08-AFC-13C) in the subject line of your e-mail. Those submitting non-electronic written comments should include the docket number (08-AFC-13C) in the first paragraph and mail or hand-deliver the comments to:

California Energy Commission Dockets Unit, MS-4 Docket No. 08-AFC-13C 1516 Ninth Street Sacramento, CA 95814-5512

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

Date: June 24, 2013

CHRISTOPHER J. MARXEN/Manager Compliance Office Siting, Transmission & Environmental Protection Division

Attachment: K Road Calico Letter to Withdraw Amendment and Terminate License

Mail List # 7337

k Road Calico

June 20, 2013

Commissioner Robert Weisenmiller, Chairman Commissioner Karen Douglas, Committee Presiding Member California Energy Commission 1516 Ninth Street Sacramento, CA 95814-5512

> Re: Request to Withdraw Petition to Amend and Surrender License, Calico Solar Project, Docket 08-AFC-13 and Calico Solar Project Amendment, Docket 08-AFC-13C

Dear Chairman Weisenmiller,

K Road Calico Solar LLC (K Road) requests that its Petition to Amend in Docket No. 08-AFC-13C be withdrawn, and wishes to surrender its license issued in 2010 in Docket 08-AFC-13. Due to changed market conditions, we will not be able to move this project forward, either as licensed or as proposed to be amended.

K Road requests that termination of the license be effective immediately and no later than June 30, 2013. We do not believe that there would be any purpose served in incurring or paying for compliance fees for the upcoming fiscal year.

We appreciate your consideration of the matters set forth herein. You may direct any questions to the undersigned at (415) 799-4093.

Sincerely,

Alice L. Harron K Road Calico Solar LLC

cc: Commissioner Janea Scott Chief Hearing Officer Paul Kramer Siting Division Deputy Director Roger Johnson Project Manager Craig Hoffman