

GRANTS/CONTINGENT AWARD REQUEST



To: Grants and Loans Office

Date: 5/12/2011

Project Manager: Pablo Gutierrez

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Office: Energy Generation Research Office

Division: Energy Research and Development

MS- 43

Project Title: Potassium Production from Geothermal Brines in California

Type of Request: (check one)

Form for New Agreement with fields for Agreement Number, Program, Solicitation Name, Recipient Name, Address, Project Officer, and Dates.

Form for Amendment with checkboxes for Term Extension, Work Statement Revision, Budget Revision, Change of Scope, and Other.

ITEMS TO ATTACH WITH REQUEST:

- List of items to attach: A. Work Statement, B. Budget, C. Recipient Resolution, D. Special Conditions, E. CEQA Compliance Form, F. Other Documents.

California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA)

Form for CEQA compliance with checkboxes for CEC findings and NOE/NOD filing.

Funding Information:

Table of funding sources with columns for Source #, Amount, Statute, FY, and Budget List #.

If federally funded, specify federal agreement number:

* Source Examples include ERPA, PIER-E, PIER-NG, FED, GRDA, ARFVT, OTHER.

Business Meeting Approval: (refer to Business Meeting Schedule)

Proposed Business Meeting Date: 6/29/2011. Business Meeting Participant: Pablo Gutierrez. Time Needed: 5 minutes.

Agenda Notice Statement: (state purpose in layperson terms)

Possible approval of a Grant / Contingent Award to... Possible approval of Agreement GEO-10-004 for a grant of \$949,545.00 to Simbol, Inc. to develop one or more processes to extract potassium from geothermal brines and convert it into a cost competitive marketable form. (GRDA funding.) Contact: Pablo Gutierrez. (5 minutes)