

CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION

1516 NINTH STREET
 SACRAMENTO, CA 95814-5512
 www.energy.ca.gov



**STATE OF CALIFORNIA
 ENERGY RESOURCES CONSERVATION
 AND DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION**

In the Matter of:)	Docket No. 97-AFC-2C
SUTTER ENERGY CENTER)	
PIPELINE)	
)	
)	Order No.
Calpine Corporation)	ORDER APPROVING Transfer of
)	Ownership of the pipeline to CPN
)	Pipeline Company
)	

Calpine Corporation requests that the Energy Commission change the ownership of the Sutter Energy Center Project pipeline (also known as the Grimes Pipeline) from “Calpine Construction Finance Company, L.P.” to “CPN Pipeline Company”. Both are subsidiaries of Calpine Corporation. There will be no operational change to the project. A representative of the new project owner has provided a declaration, under penalty of perjury, that CPN Pipeline Company agrees to comply with the conditions of certification in the Energy Commission’s Decision for the Sutter Energy Center Project pipeline.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff has reviewed the petition and finds that it complies with the requirements of Title 20 of the California Code of Regulations, Section 1769(b), and recommends approval of the ownership change.

CONCLUSION AND ORDER

The California Energy Commission hereby adopts the staff’s recommendation and approves the transfer of ownership of the Sutter Energy Center Project pipeline from Calpine Construction Finance Company, L.P. to CPN Pipeline Company.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned Secretariat to the Commission does hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of an Order duly and regularly adopted at a meeting of the California Energy Commission held on December 14, 2011.

AYE:

NAY:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

*Harriet Kallemeyn,
Secretariat*

**Briefing Outline for
December 14, 2010 Business Meeting
SUTTER ENERGY CENTER (97-AFC-2C)
Petition to Change Ownership**

Contact: Christine Stora, CPM 645-4745

Time Needed: 5 Minutes

Business Meeting Date: December 14, 2011

Background: Calpine Corporation requests that the Energy Commission change the ownership of the Sutter Energy Center Project pipeline (also known as the Grimes Pipeline) from “Calpine Construction Finance Company, L.P.” to “CPN Pipeline Company”. Both are subsidiaries of Calpine Corporation. There will be no operational change to the project.

The petition for change of ownership meets all the requirements of Section 1769(b) of Title 20 of the California Code of Regulations (20 CCR); and contains a statement signed by a representative of the new owner that the new owner/operator understands the conditions of certification and agrees to comply with those conditions.

The petition for owner ship change was docketed and posted to the website on April 6, 2011. A Notice of Receipt (NOR) was docketed and mailed to the public on April 18, 2011. The NOR was posted to the website on April 20, 2011 and no public comments received.

Justification for Action Requested: Staff has found that the Petition request meets all the filing criteria of Section 1769(b) of 20 CCR.