

Briefing Outline for Siting Lead Commissioner's Meeting Presentation

Sutter Power Plant/Sutter Energy Center (97-AFC-2C) Petition to Amend: Change of Ownership and Change of Facility Name

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Time Needed: 0 minutes (consent agenda)

Action Requested of Siting Policy Committee: Approval of the petition, per staff recommendation.

Business Meeting Date: August 27; 2013

Background:

Output & configuration: 578 megawatts, natural gas-fired, combined-cycle

Location: west of Yuba City in Sutter County

Certification date: April 14, 1999

Commercial operation date: July 2, 2001

Summary of Petition:

Date: May 31, 2013, Calpine Construction Finance Company, L.P., submitted a petition to amend the Final Decision for the Sutter Power Plant.

Request: Transfer ownership from Calpine Construction Finance Company, L.P., to CCFC Sutter Energy, L.L.C.

Attestation: New owner attested under penalty of perjury that he understands the obligations imposed by the conditions of certification and agrees to be bound by the requirements of the Energy Commission's Final Decision for the project.

Supplement: June 14, 2013 letter asking that the Commission acknowledge the change of name from the Sutter Power Plant to the Sutter Energy Center.

Public Process:

Web posting:

Petition: May 31, 2013.

Letter: June 27, 2013.

Notice of Receipt: July 11, 2013.

Public comment period (14-day) ends: July 25, 2013.

Petition processing: Staff-approved project modification

Staff analyses: None required.

Comments: July 16, 2013, Roy Stevenson, resides near the plant, called CPM to ask if ownership change was a sales of the plant to another owner. Does not like Calpine but did not express interest in making further comments at the Business Meeting.

Staff Recommendation: Proposed changes be approved at August 27, 2013 Business Meeting.