

CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION

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**NOTICE OF RECEIPT
PETITION TO AMEND
THE ENERGY COMMISSION DECISION FOR THE
ORANGE GROVE PROJECT (08-AFC-4C)**

On September 14, 2009, Orange Grove Energy, L.P., filed a petition with the California Energy Commission requesting to modify the Orange Grove Project. The 96-megawatt project was certified by the Energy Commission on April 8, 2009, and is currently under construction and is approximately five percent complete. The facility is located in the unincorporated area of Pala, in San Diego County.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED MODIFICATION

The modification proposed in the petition would modify several Conditions of Certification in the Commission Decision. These conditions mirror changes in conditions in the Final Determination of Compliance (FDOC) issued for the Orange Grove Project by the San Diego Air Pollution Control District (APCD) on December 4, 2008. The APCD staff has recommended these minor changes to the FDOC Conditions, and this petition proposes to incorporate these changes into the license.

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 or denying 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/orangegrovepeaker/compliance/index.html>. The staff analysis, when published, will also be posted on the website. If you would like to receive a hard copy of the petition and/or staff's analysis, please complete the enclosed Information Request Form and return it to the address shown.

If you have any comments or questions, please contact Ron Yasny, Compliance Project Manager, at (916) 651-1227, or by fax to (916) 654-3882, or via e-mail at: ryasny@energy.state.ca.us within 14 days of the date of this notice.

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Date: 10/15/09



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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE COMMISSION DECISION TO: MODIFY SEVERAL AIR QUALITY CONDITIONS OF CERTIFICATION

PLEASE CHECK THE DOCUMENTS YOU WOULD LIKE TO RECEIVE:

- PETITION TO AMEND
- STAFF ANALYSIS
- COMMISSION ORDER

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