

Notice of Decision by the California Energy Commission

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From: California Energy Commission
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Subject: Filing of Notice of Decision in compliance with Public Resources Code Section 21080.5 and Title 20, California Code of Regulations, Section 1768

Project Title: PETITION TO INCREASE SIMPLE-CYCLE OPERATING HOURS FOR THE SUNRISE POWER PROJECT

Energy Commission Docket Number: 98-AFC-4C

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Project Location: 35 miles SW of Bakersfield, one mile SW of the intersection of St Rte 33 and Shale Road in Kern County, California

Project Description:

An increase of 4,992 hours/year for simple-cycle operations. This will allow for the current peak-only operations to be expanded to allow for baseload operations until December 31, 2003.

On December 5, 2001 the California Energy Commission approved the above-described project pursuant to a regulatory program certified by the California Secretary of Resources under Section 21080.5 of the California Public Resources Code.

1. The project will not have a significant effect on the environment.
2. Mitigation measures were made a condition of approval of the project.
3. A statement of Overriding Considerations was not adopted for the project.

The Commission's docket files containing the final Commission Decision and other information regarding the project are available to the public at: California Energy Commission, 1516 9th Street, Sacramento, California, 95814. The final Decision and other information regarding the project are also available on the Commission's web site--www.energy.ca.gov.

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