

November 7, 2018, California Energy Commission Business Meeting

Item 2. McLAREN BACKUP GENERATING FACILITY PROJECT SMALL POWER PLANT EXEMPTION (17-SPPE-01).

Committee Proposed Decision

<https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/getdocument.aspx?tn=225112>

Errata to the Committee Proposed Decision:

<https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/getdocument.aspx?tn=225828>

Proposed Commission Adoption Order:

<https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/getdocument.aspx?tn=225809>

List of Documents filed in the McLaren Backup Generating Facility Small Power Plant Exemption, including any filed after this list was created on November 2, 2018:

<https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Lists/DocketLog.aspx?docketnumber=17-SPPE-01>

Project Web page:

<https://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/mclaren/>



Before the Energy Resources Conservation and Development
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**APPLICATION FOR A SMALL POWER PLANT
EXEMPTION FOR THE:**

**MCLAREN BACKUP GENERATING
FACILITY PROJECT**

Docket No. 17-SPPE-01

Order No: 18-1107-2

COMMISSION ADOPTION ORDER

By this **ORDER**, the California Energy Commission adopts as its own Decision the October 26, 2018 Proposed Decision,¹ which was issued by the Committee assigned to the above-captioned matter, and the Errata dated November 6, 2018.² The Decision addresses the Application for a Small Power Plant Exemption filed by Vantage Data Centers for the McLaren Backup Generating Facility Project. The Commission Decision is based upon the hearing record of these proceedings.

FINDINGS

The California Energy Commission finds as follows:

1. The McLaren Backup Generating Facility will not generate electricity in excess of 100 megawatts.
2. The construction and operation of the McLaren Backup Generating Facility will not create a substantial adverse impact on the environment.
3. The construction and operation of the McLaren Backup Generating Facility will not create a substantial adverse impact on energy resources.

ORDER

The California Energy Commission **GRANTS** the McLaren Backup Generating Facility Project a Small Power Plant Exemption from the Application for Certification provisions of the Commission's power plant licensing process.³ The Hearing and Policy Unit shall incorporate the McLaren Backup Generating Facility Project Committee Proposed Decision, Errata, and any modifications made by the Commission during the November 7, 2018, Business Meeting into a single document.

¹ TN 225112.

² TN 225828.

³ Pub. Resources Code, § 25541.

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 November 7, 2018.

AYE:

NAY:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

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Secretariat

ATTACHMENT A

ADDITIONAL CHANGES TO COMMITTEE PROPOSED DECISION ADOPTED AT NOVEMBER 7, 2018 ENERGY COMMISSION BUSINESS MEETING

[No modifications were adopted at the November 7, 2018, Energy Commission Business Meeting.]