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BEFORE THE ENERGY RESOURCES CONSERVATION AND
 DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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| In the Matter of: |) | Docket No. 08-AFC-08 |
| |) | Order No: 09-826-3 |
| Application for Certification |) | Commission Appointment |
| for Hydrogen Energy California |) | of Committee |
| by Hydrogen Energy International (HEI) |) | |
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I. INTRODUCTION

On May 28, 2009, Hydrogen Energy International filed an Application for Certification (AFC) for Hydrogen Energy California, a nominal 350 MW integrated gasification combined cycle power generating facility in western Kern County, near the unincorporated community of Tupman, California.

II. SUMMARY OF HEARING

At a regularly scheduled business meeting on August 26, 2009, the Commission accepted the AFC as complete and appointed a Committee to preside over the Hydrogen Energy California Application for Certification proceedings pursuant to Public Resources Code section 25211 and Title 20, California Code of Regulations, section 1204.

III. ORDER

Having been accepted as complete on August 26, 2009, under Public Resources Code section 25522, the Application for Certification for Hydrogen Energy California is deemed filed as of that date. The statutory timeline for a final decision under Public Resources Code section 25540.6 shall begin as of August 26, 2009, the filing date. The Commission hereby appoints **James D. Boyd** as Presiding Member and **Jeffrey D. Byron** as Associate Member to serve as a Committee to preside over the Hydrogen Energy California Application for Certification proceedings.

Dated August 26, 2009

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 DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

KAREN DOUGLAS
 Chairman