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## NOTICE OF RECEIPT

**SUPPLEMENT TO THE APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION  
SOUTH BAY REPLACEMENT PROJECT (SBRP)  
Docket No. (06-AFC-3)**

On June 30, 2006, the Application for Certification (AFC) for the South Bay Replacement Project (SBRP) was submitted by the LSP South Bay, LLC (Applicant). On August 29, 2006, the applicant filed Supplement A, providing additional information to the AFC to meet the Energy Commission's requirements for data adequacy (California Code of Regulations, Title 20, Section 1704, including Appendix B, for the 12-month AFC process).

LSP South Bay proposes to develop the SBRP as a natural gas-fired, combined-cycle power plant. The SBRP project will be configured as two natural gas-fired combustion turbines with heat recovery steam generators (HRSG) and one steam turbine, and will have a maximum capacity of 620 megawatt (MW). SBRP includes HRSG duct firing which can raise the nominal output of 500 MW up to 620 MW by boosting the output of the steam turbine.

The Energy Commission is responsible for reviewing and ultimately approving or denying all thermal electric power plants, 50 MW and greater, proposed for construction in California. The Energy Commission's facility certification process carefully examines public health and safety, environmental impacts and engineering aspects of proposed power plants, and all related facilities such as electric transmission lines and natural gas and water pipelines. The issuance of a certificate by the Energy Commission is in lieu of any local, state, or federal permit (to the extent allowed by federal law). The Energy Commission's responsibilities are those of a lead agency under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), except the Energy Commission's analysis takes the form of several environmental and decision documents rather than an Environmental Impact Report.

Over the coming months, the Energy Commission will conduct a number of public workshops and hearings to determine whether the project should be approved for construction and operation and under what set of conditions. These workshops will provide the public and local, state and federal agencies the opportunity to ask questions and provide input about the proposed project. The Energy Commission will issue notices for these workshops and hearings at least 10 days prior to the meeting.

If you desire information on participating in the Energy Commission's review of the project, please contact Ms. Margret Kim, the Energy Commission's Public Adviser, at (916) 654-4489 or toll free in California, at (800) 822-6228. The Public Adviser's Office can also be contacted via email at [pao@energy.state.ca.us](mailto:pao@energy.state.ca.us). Please direct your technical or schedule questions to Bill Pfanner, Energy Commission Project Manager, at (916) 654-4206, or [bpfanner@energy.state.ca.us](mailto:bpfanner@energy.state.ca.us). The status of the project, copies of notices, an electronic version of the AFC and Supplement A, and other relevant documents are also available on the Energy Commission's Internet web site at: <http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/southbay>. You can also receive email notification of all project related activities and availability of reports by subscribing to the Listserv on the

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website. News media inquiries should be directed to Assistant Executive Director, Claudia Chandler, at (916) 654-4989 or at [media@energy.state.ca.us](mailto:media@energy.state.ca.us).

This notice of receipt has been mailed to all parties that requested placement on the mailing list during the pre-filing period and to property owners located within 1000 feet of the proposed project site and within 500 feet of any linear feature. By being on the mailing list, you will receive notices of all project-related activities and notices when documents related to the project's evaluation are available for review. If you wish to be removed from the mailing list, please contact Ms. Dora Gomez, Project Secretary, at (916) 653-1608, or e-mail at [dgomez@energy.state.ca.us](mailto:dgomez@energy.state.ca.us).

### **Availability of the AFC Document**

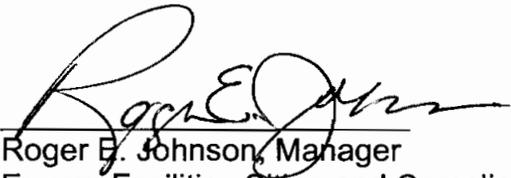
Copies of the AFC are available for public inspection at:

Chula Vista Civic Center Branch Library  
365 F Street  
Chula Vista, CA 91910

South Chula Vista Branch Library  
389 Orange Avenue  
Chula Vista, CA 91911

Copies are also available at the Energy Commission's Library in Sacramento, the California State Library in Sacramento, and at public libraries in Los Angeles, San Francisco, San Diego, Fresno, and Eureka. In addition, copies will be distributed to those public agencies that would normally have jurisdiction except for the Energy Commission's exclusive authority to certify sites and related facilities.

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