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Dear Librarian:

**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION FOR THE APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION  
COMMUNITY POWER PLANT PROJECT (07-AFC-07)**

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Enclosed with this cover letter is a copy of Supplement B. Please file the supplemental information with the original AFC, along with the enclosed letter to the public.

Thank you for your cooperation. If you have any questions please contact Alan Solomon, Energy Commission Project Manager, at (916) 653-8236, or by email at [asolomon@energy.state.ca.us](mailto:asolomon@energy.state.ca.us).

Sincerely,

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**To: MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC****SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION FOR THE APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION COMMUNITY POWER PLANT PROJECT (07-AFC-07)**

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**Energy Commission's Facility Certification Process**

The Energy Commission is responsible for reviewing and ultimately approving or denying all applications to construct and operate thermal electric power plants, 50 MW and greater, 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 permitted by federal law). The Energy Commission is the Lead Agency under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), and because the siting process is a Certified Regulatory program, it produces several environmental and decision documents rather than an Environmental Impact Report.

**Public Participation**

Over the coming months, the Energy Commission will conduct a number of public workshops and hearings on the proposal to determine whether the project should be approved for construction and operation and under what set of conditions. These workshops will provide the public as well as local, state and federal agencies the opportunity to ask questions about, and provide input on, the proposed project. The Energy Commission will issue notices for these workshops and hearings at least 10 days prior to the meeting. If you are not currently receiving these notices and want to be placed on the mailing list, please contact Hilarie Anderson, Project Secretary, at (916) 651-0479, or by e-mail at [handerso@energy.state.ca.us](mailto:handerso@energy.state.ca.us).

Technical or project schedule questions should be directed to Alan Solomon, Energy Commission Project Manager, at (916) 653-8236, or by email at [asolomon@energy.state.ca.us](mailto:asolomon@energy.state.ca.us). The status of the proposed project, copies of notices, and other relevant documents are also available on the Energy Commission's Internet web site at <http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/communitypower>. You can also receive email notification of all project related activities and availability of reports by subscribing to the Listserve at <http://www.energy.ca.gov/listservers/index.html>. If you want information on participating in the Energy Commission's review of the project, please contact the Energy Commission Public Adviser Office, at (916) 654-4489 or toll free in California, at (800) 822-6228 or by email at [publicadviser@energy.state.ca.us](mailto:publicadviser@energy.state.ca.us). News media inquiries should be directed to Susanne Garfield, Assistant Executive Director, at (916) 654-4989 or by email to [mediaoffice@energy.state.ca.us](mailto:mediaoffice@energy.state.ca.us).

**Please retain this letter with the AFC. Thank you.**