

# **EXHIBIT A**



**BEFORE THE ENERGY RESOURCES CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT  
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**APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION  
For the *PALMDALE HYBRID  
POWER PROJECT***

**Docket No. 08-AFC-9**

**PROOF OF SERVICE**

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# **EXHIBIT B**



Final PSD Permit for Palmdale Hybrid Power Project

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All,

Please see the attached documents relating to the final PSD permit for the Palmdale Hybrid Power Project. The final permit was signed yesterday, October 18, 2011. I have included the final PSD permit, EPA's responses to comments received during the public comment period, the cover letter sent to the applicant, and the announcement for the final permit. The final permit is also available on Region 9's website:

<http://www.epa.gov/region9/air/permit/r9-permits-issued.html#pubcomment>



PHPP PSD Permit Cover Letter.pdf



Final PSD Permit.pdf



Response to Comments.pdf



Notice of Final Permit Decision.pdf

If you have any questions regarding the final PSD permit, please let me know.

Thanks,  
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FINAL PERMIT - Palmdale Hybrid Power Project (SE 09-01)

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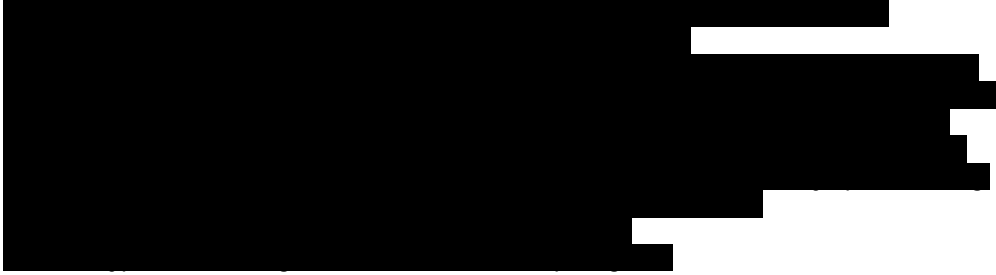
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Please see attached information regarding EPA's final PSD permit for the Palmdale Hybrid Power Project, Palmdale, CA.



Notice of Final Permit Decision.pdf

\*\*\* ANNOUNCEMENT \*\*\*  
OF A FINAL DECISION TO ISSUE A PSD PERMIT THAT REGULATES THE EMISSION  
OF AIR POLLUTANTS  
PALMDALE HYBRID POWER PROJECT  
PERMIT APPLICATION NO. SE 09-01

In August 2011, the United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9 (EPA) requested public comment on our proposal to issue a Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) permit authorizing the construction and operation of a 570 megawatt (MW) natural gas-fired combined-cycle power plant, with an integrated 50 MW solar-thermal plant, known as the Palmdale Hybrid Power Project (PHPP or Project), in Palmdale, California.

During the public comment period, which ended on September 14, 2011, EPA received written and oral comments regarding its proposed PSD permitting action for the Project. EPA has carefully reviewed each of the comments submitted and, after consideration of the expressed views of all commenters, the pertinent Federal statutes and regulations, and additional material relevant to the application and contained in our Administrative Record, EPA has made a decision in accordance with 40 CFR 52.21 to issue a final PSD permit to the City of Palmdale for the Project. The final permit was signed on October 18, 2011.

Key portions of the Administrative Record for this decision (including the final permit, all public comments, EPA's responses to the public comments, and additional supporting information) are available online at [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov) (Docket ID # EPA-R09-OAR-2011-0560), with a link from our website at [www.epa.gov/region09/air/permit/r9-permits-issued.html#psd](http://www.epa.gov/region09/air/permit/r9-permits-issued.html#psd).

Hard copies of the final permit and EPA's responses to the public comments, and the Administrative Record for this action, may also be viewed in person, Monday through Friday from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM, at the EPA Region 9 address below. Due to building security procedures, please call Lisa Beckham at (415) 972-3811 to arrange a visit at least 24 hours in

advance. Hard copies of the final permit and EPA's responses to the public comments are available upon request in writing, by e-mail, or by fax to:

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Air Permits Office (AIR-3)  
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The contact information above may also be used to request copies of other portions of the administrative record for this action.

Within 30 days after the service of notice announcing this final permit decision, any person who filed comments on the proposed permit for the Project or participated in any of the public hearings for the Project may petition EPA's Environmental Appeals Board (EAB) to review any condition of the final permit. Persons who did not file comments or participate in the public hearings may petition for administrative review only to the extent of changes from the proposed to the final permit decision. The petition must include a statement of the reason(s) for requesting review by the EAB, including a demonstration that any issues being raised were raised during the public comment period to the extent required by the regulations at 40 CFR Part 124 and when appropriate, a showing that the conditions in question are based on 1) a finding of fact or conclusion of law which is erroneous, or 2) an exercise of discretion or an important policy consideration which the EAB should, in its discretion, review. Please see 40 CFR 124.19 and visit <http://www.epa.gov/eab/> for important information regarding the procedures for appeal of a PSD permit decision to the EAB.

EPA's PSD permit for the Project shall take effect thirty (30) days from the date of service of notice of this permit decision unless a petition for review is properly and timely filed with the EAB. In the event that a petition for review is filed with the EAB, construction of the facility is not authorized under this PSD permit until resolution of the EAB petition(s).

\*\*\* END OF ANNOUNCEMENT \*\*\*  
Issued October 19, 2011