Notice of Determination

Appendix D

To:

☒ Office of Planning and Research

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County of: _____
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From:

Public Agency: California Public Utilities Commission
Address: 505 Van Ness Avenue
San Francisco, CA 94102
Contact: Billie C. Blanchard
Phone: 415-703-2068

Lead Agency (if different from above): _____
Address: _____
Contact: _____
Phone: _____

SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21108 or 21152 of the Public Resources Code.

State Clearinghouse Number (if submitted to State Clearinghouse): 2006091071

Project Title: Sunrise Powerlink Project

Project Location (include county): Imperial Valley and San Diego Counties

Project Description:

The CPUC approved the Final Environmentally Superior Southern Route Alternative, which would include a 500 kV transmission line from the Imperial Valley Substation to a new substation southeast of the town of Alpine, then continuing with a 230 kV transmission line with both overhead and underground components to the Sycamore Canyon Substation. Upgrades to the existing transmission system west of Sycamore Canyon Substation would also occur.

This is to advise that the California Public Utilities Commission has approved the above described project on
☒ Lead Agency or ☐ Responsible Agency

December 18, 2008 (Date) and has made the following determinations regarding the above described project:

1. The project [☒ will ☐ will not] have a significant effect on the environment.
2. ☒ An Environmental Impact Report was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
   ☐ A Negative Declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
3. Mitigation measures [☒ were ☐ were not] made a condition of the approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan [☒ was ☐ was not] adopted for this project.
5. A statement of Overriding Considerations [☒ was ☐ was not] adopted for this project.
6. Findings [☒ were ☐ were not] made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

This is to certify that the final EIR with comments and responses and record of project approval, or the negative Declaration, is available to the General Public at: http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/environment/info/aspen/sunrise/sunrise.htm

Signature (Public Agency) _____ Title Project Manager, PURA V

Date December 18, 2008 Date Received for filing at OPR _____

Authority cited: Sections 21083, Public Resources Code.
Reference Section 21000-21174, Public Resources Code.

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