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Notice of Determination

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By: Deputy Clerk

From:

Public Agency: Imperial Cty Planning Dev Svcs

Address: 801 Main Street, El Centro CA 92243

Contact: David Black

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Lead Agency (if different from above): OCT 27 2023

Address: Imperial County Clerk-Recorder California

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County Clerk

County of: Imperial

Address: 940 Main Street, El Centro CA 92243

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): 2021050013

Project Title: Vega 2, 3 & 5 SES Solar Energy Storage Project

Project Applicant: Apex Energy Solutions

Project Location (include county): Between US/Mexico International Border and the All-American Canal

Project Description:

Applicant proposes to develop approximately 350-megawatt (MW) solar photovoltaic (PV) energy generation project with an integrated battery storage system not to exceed 700 MW. The project includes a solar energy generation facility, a battery storage system, a switching station and a gen-tie line. The project includes a Water Supply Assessment, Conditional Use Permit #20-0021, #20-0022, #20-0022, #20-0023 application and an EIR. CUP's #20-0025, #20-0026 & #20-0067 for water wells.

This is to advise that the Imperial County has approved the above (Lead Agency or Responsible Agency)

described project on October 24, 2023 and has made the following determinations regarding the above described project.

- 1. The project will have a significant effect on the environment.
2. An Environmental Impact Report was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
3. Mitigation measures were made a condition of the approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan was adopted for this project.
5. A statement of Overriding Considerations was adopted for this project.
6. Findings were 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:

801 Main Street, El Centro, CA, 92243

Signature (Public Agency): Title: ICPDS Director

Date: 10/26/2023 Date Received for filing at OPR: