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Notice of Determination

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From:
Public Agency: County of Imperial
Address: 801 Main Street
El Centro, CA 92243
Contact: Jim Minnick, Director
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[x] County Clerk
County of: Imperial
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Lead Agency (if different from above):
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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): SCH#2025070239

Project Title: Seville 5 Solar Project

Project Applicant: Apex Energy Solutions, LLC

Project Location (include county): 2085 A West Hwy 78, Borrego Springs, Imperial County CA 92004

Project Description:

The proposed project consists of four primary components: 1) 65-megawatt (MW) solar photo-voltaic (PV) facility; 2) 130-MW battery energy storage system (BESS); 3) on-site substation; and 4) a gen-tie line to an existing substation immediately south of the project site (APN 018-170-058) with ultimate delivery to Imperial Irrigation District's (IID) existing 92-kV "K" Line.

This is to advise that the Imperial County Board of Supervisors has approved the above (x) Lead Agency or [] Responsible Agency

described project on 01/27/2026 and has made the following determinations regarding the above described project.

- 1. The project [] will [x] 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. [x] A Negative Declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
3. Mitigation measures [x] were [] were not] made a condition of the approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan [x] was [] was not] adopted for this project.
5. A statement of Overriding Considerations [] was [x] was not] adopted for this project.
6. Findings [x] 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:
Imperial County Planning & Development Services Department, 801 Main Street, El Centro, CA 92243.

Signature (Public Agency): [Signature] Title: Jim Minnick, ICPDS Director

Date: 01/27/2026 Date Received for filing at OPR: January 28, 2026