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Sent: Friday, September 16, 2011 11:01 AM
To: Noir, Yvette
Subject: FW: Mount Signal Solar Farm question

From: Angelina Havens [<mailto:AngelinaHavens@co.imperial.ca.us>]
Sent: Wednesday, August 17, 2011 3:36 PM
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Please see attached comments from the Division of Oil, Gas & Geothermal Resources.

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From: Minx, Benjamin [<mailto:Benjamin.Minx@conservation.ca.gov>]
Sent: Wednesday, August 17, 2011 3:31 PM
To: Angelina Havens
Subject: RE: Mount Signal Solar Farm question

Angelina,

Thanks again for the information in regards to this project. My supervisor, Clifford Parli, asked me to write you a letter informing you of what we have found.

The Division of Oil, Gas, and Geothermal Resources (Division) has reviewed the Mount Signal Solar Farm, Calexico Solar Farm 1, and Calexico Solar Farm 2. The Division supervises the drilling, maintenance, plugging and abandonment of oil, gas, and geothermal wells in California. The Division offers the following comments for your consideration.

There may be a potential risk of construction near plugged and abandoned wells. According the Division's database, three abandoned shallow temperature gradient wells are located in the area of the proposed projects that may require abandonment to present standards if the wells are exposed or the present abandonment plugs are altered. This office must be contacted to obtain information on the requirements for approval to perform any remedial operations on these wells.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on these projects. If you have any questions, please contact Cliff Parli at 760-353-9900 or his cell at 760-996-3127.

Sincerely,

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