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COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY AND NOTICE OF INTENT (NOI) TO ADOPT AN INTIAL STUDY / MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION FOR A PROPOSED PHOTOVOLTAIC SOLAR ENERGY **GENERATION FACILITY**

In accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and the CEQA Guidelines, County Staff prepared a Draft Initial Study / Mitigated Negative Declaration (IS/MND) that identify and evaluate the environmental impacts of the below-named project.

Project Title: CAL SP VII, LLC

Project No.: P201100209

Project Location: North side of East End Road, approximately 600 feet east of Dallas Avenue;

Community of Lucerne Valley, Assessor's Parcel Number: 0449-034-05

Project Description: A Conditional Use Permit to establish a 3-megawatt photovoltaic solar electricity generation

facility on a 30-acre portion of 40 acres.

Environmental Review and Public Comment: The Initial Study and Draft Mitigated Negative Declaration (IS/MND) is available for review at:

http://cms.sbcounty.gov/lus/Planning/Environmental/NoticesDeterminations/Desert.aspx and at the following locations:

San Bernardino County High Desert Government Center 15900 Smoke Tree Street, First Floor

Hesperia, CA 92345

San Bernardino County Government Center

Clerk of the Board

385 N. Arrowhead Avenue, Second Floor

San Bernardino, CA 92415

The public comment period will end on May 7, 2012 at 5:00 PM. Please submit comments to Imathieu@lusd.sbcounty.gov or to:

Loretta Mathieu, Project Planner County of San Bernardino Land Use Services Department, Planning Division 15900 Smoke Tree Street, First Floor Hesperia, CA 92345-3222

Public Hearing: A public hearing will be scheduled to consider adoption of the Final IS/MND at a future date. In advance of the hearing date, Staff will distribute a separate notice regarding that hearing.

Board of Supervisors