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Mr. Patrick Blanchard
Director, EHS
Calpine Corporation
Channel Energy Center, LLC
717 Texas, Suite 1000
Houston, TX 77002

Dear Mr. Blanchard:

We wish to inform you that the draft Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) permit for greenhouse gas emissions and the permit statement of basis have been completed. The public notice for the draft permit starts on Thursday August 30, 2012 and will end on Monday October 1, 2012. A copy of the draft permit and statement of basis are enclosed and will be made available to the public for review at the Pasadena Public Library and our website (<http://yosemite.epa.gov/r6/Apermit.nsf/AirP.>)

In the public notice we have planned for a public hearing on Wednesday October 3, 2012 from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm. If the public hearing is held, the public comment period shall automatically be extended to the close of the public hearing. The public hearing is scheduled for the following location:

Pasadena Public Library-Central
1201 Jeff Ginn Memorial Dr.
Pasadena, TX 77506
(713) 477-0276

However, if no request for a public hearing is received by September 25, 2012, or we determine that there is not a significant interest, the hearing will be cancelled. If the hearing is cancelled, we will notify you and the public by September 27, 2012.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me or Jeff Robinson at (214) 665-6435.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "C. Edlund".

Carl E. Edlund, P.E.
Director
Multimedia Planning and Permitting Division

Enclosures: