



REGION 9

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94105

March 13, 2024

Sent via email only

Barbara McBride
Calpine California CCUS Holdings, LLC
3003 Oak Road
Walnut Creek, CA 94596

SUBJECT: Administrative Review – Notice of Complete Application
Sutter Decarbonization Project
Underground Injection Control (UIC) Permit Application
Class VI Pre-Construction Permit Application Nos. R9UIC-CA6-FY23-5.1,
R9UIC-CA6-FY23-5.2, and R9UIC-CA6-FY23-5.3

Dear Barbara McBride,

The United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9 (EPA), pursuant to 40 CFR §124.3(c), has conducted an administrative review of the subject permit application submitted by Calpine California CCUS Holdings, LLC for three proposed injection wells located in Sutter County, California. Following the review of your application, received on June 2, 2023, and updated application materials received on November 26, 2023 via the Geologic Sequestration Data Tool (GSDT), we have determined the application is administratively complete.

We will begin our technical review of the permit application. During this phase, please note that we may request additional information and clarification of previously submitted information. Please see the tentative project decision schedule for our review of the project, enclosed with this letter.

If you have any questions about this letter, please contact Elise Nord at (415) 972-3079, or call me at (415) 972-3971.

Sincerely,

David Albright
Manager, Groundwater Protection Section

Enclosure: Class VI Tentative Project Decision Schedule – Sutter Decarbonization Project

cc: Erwin Sison, CalGEM Northern District
Alex Olsen, Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board
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