Russell City Energy Company, LLC

717 Texas Avenue Suite 1000 Houston, TX 77002

October 10, 2011

Weyman Lee Bay Area Air Quality Management District 939 Ellis Street San Francisco, CA 94109

RE:

Russell City Energy Center Authority to Construct Plant ID # 18136

Dear Mr. Lee:

Russell City Energy Company, LLC is requesting an extension of the Authority to Construct (ATC) for the Russell City Energy Center. The Authority to Construct (ATC) was issued on November 18, 2010 and expires on October 31, 2011. In accordance with Regulation 2 Rule 2-1-407.3, if substantial use of the ATC has begun, the ATC can be renewed for additional two-year terms until the permit to operate is issued.

Russell City Energy Center started construction on September 10, 2010. The project has subsequently demonstrated substantial use of the authority to construct by erecting several pieces of the heat recovery steam generator as shown in the attached photograph. Because substantial use of the authority to construct has begun, renewal is not contingent on meeting current BACT and offsets requirements, per Regulation 2-1-407.3.

As required by Regulation 2-1-407, a check for \$101,237 is attached. If you have any questions or require additional information, please do not hesitate to call me at 925-570-0849.

Sincerely,

Barbara McBride

Director, Environmental, Health and Safety

Calpine Corporation

