



## California Supreme Court Denies Review in Expedited CEQA Litigation over Golden State Warriors Arena Project Approval

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On January 17, 2017, the California Supreme Court denied the losing appellants' petition for writ of supersedeas, stay request, and petition for review of the First District Court of Appeal's decision in *Mission Bay Alliance v. Office of Community Investment and Infrastructure, et al. (GSW Arena LLC, et al., Real Parties in Interest)* (2016) 6 Cal.App.5th 160; Supreme Court Case No. S239371. This action effectively ends the CEQA challenge to the Golden State Warriors San Francisco Arena project brought by a coalition of its opponents and removes the major legal hurdle to its construction. Consistent with the required "fast track" CEQA review of and litigation over this Governor-certified "environmental leadership development project," the high court's action came relatively quickly – just a month and a half after the filling of the Court of Appeal's decision. My detailed post on the Court of Appeal's published decision in the case, which now stands undisturbed as legal precedent, can be found here.

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