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Re: Data Request #14 for the SCE West of Devers Upgrade Project - Application No. A.13-10-020

Dear Mr. Stevenson:

The California Public Utilities Commission's (CPUC) Energy Division has reviewed all of the documents and materials that SCE has provided, including the Application and Proponent's Environmental Assessment (PEA; dated October 25, 2013), the PEA deficiency response items submitted in late 2013 and early 2014, and SCE's data responses to date. During the analysis of the aforementioned materials, we have identified one additional information item needed from SCE. Additional data requests may be necessary to address other CEQA or NEPA topics as we move forward with EIR/EIS preparation.

Attached please find Data Request No. 14, with additional follow-up to SCE's responses to Data Request No. 10, submitted to SCE on December 5 and 15, 2014. SCE's responses were provided to the CPUC on February 6 and 10, 2015.

We would appreciate your prompt responses to this data requests. We are requesting only a copy of an existing report; therefore, we request that responses be provided to us within two days (by March 4, 2015). If this is not possible, please provide me with an estimated response date for any information that can't be provided as requested. Delays in responding to these data needs will result in further delays in the publication of the Draft EIR/EIS.

Please submit one set of responses to me in both hard copy and electronic format and one to Susan Lee at Aspen Environmental Group in electronic format (unless there are hardcopy-only documents). Any questions on this data request should be directed to me at (415) 703-2068.

Sincerely,

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Attachments (1)

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SCE West of Devers Upgrade Project Data Request No. 14

The requests below present questions related to SCE's responses to comments presented by the CPUC in Data Request No. 10.

ALT-27 **Follow-up to SCE response on ALT-18a.** SCE's response to request ALT-18a states the following (emphasis added):

A *Project-specific meteorological study* was performed in 2011 and resulted in design wind conditions ranging from a minimum of 12 pounds-per-square-foot (PSF) to a maximum of 18 PSF that are applied on the conductor as appropriate to different segments of the Project.

Please provide a complete copy of the referenced 2011 meteorological study.