BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Order Instituting Rulemaking to Integrate and Refine Procurement Policies and Consider Long-Term Procurement Plans. Rulemaking 12-03-014 (Filed March 22, 2012)

WOMEN'S ENERGY MATTERS LATE FILED EX PARTE NOTICE

May 2, 2012

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In accordance with Rules 8.3 and 8.4 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, Women's Energy Matters(WEM) hereby gives notice of the following *Ex Parte* communication in the above-captioned proceeding. This notice is late-filed, because we did not realize that we should have served it to the entire list at the same time we sent it to the Commissioner. We apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused.

On Friday, April 27, 2012 at 5:37 pm, the undersigned, Barbara George of WEM, sent the attached email with four attachments to Commissioner Florio and his advisor, Matthew Tisdale. The issues addressed in the email and the attachments were substantially the same as those that WEM raised in the Prehearing Conference, namely the urgency of treating energy efficiency as comparable to grid resources.

The attachments from New England ISO — the "Manual for Measurement and Verification of Demand Reduction Value from Demand Resources," and slides extracted from Eric Johnson's power point showing the results of the ISO-NE's Forward Capacity Auction in 2009 were also presented by WEM in the previous LTPP, R1005006.

Two other attachments are from FERC — its press release and proposed rulemaking proposing draft rules for demand resources (including EE) which were based in part on the ISO-NE protocols.

Dated: May 2, 2012

Respectfully Submitted,

/s/ Barbara George

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