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Pursuant to Rule 1.4 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, SunPower Corporation (SunPower) hereby moves to become a party in the above-captioned proceeding.

I. SUNPOWER'S INTEREST IN THE PROCEEDING

SunPower Corporation designs, manufactures and delivers the highest efficiency, highest reliability solar panels and systems available in the solar market today. As a developer of solar projects within the state, including projects within the various feed-in tariff programs currently established in California, SunPower is directly impacted by the transition from these programs program to the Re-MAT program. Accordingly, SunPower requests party status in this docket so that it may participate in the docket on development of the Re-MAT program as necessary.

II. THE FACTUAL AND LEGAL CONTENTIONS THAT SUNPOWER INTENDS TO MAKE IN THIS PROCEEDING ARE PERTINENT TO THE ISSUES ALREADY PRESENTED.

SunPower requests party status so that it may comment on issues raised by the Commission's recent Decision 12-05-035 mailed on May 31, 2012. In particular, SunPower seeks to respond to SCE's June 21, 2012 *Motion for Clarification Regarding Status of Existing Assembly Bill 1969 Feed-in Tariff Program Under Decision 12-05-035* (SCE Motion). Accordingly, concurrent with this *Motion for Party Status of SunPower Corporation*, SunPower is also joining a *Response of Silverado Power LLC, SunPower Corporation, and ImMODO Solar*

International Corporation to the Motion of Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E) for Clarification Regarding the Status of Existing Assembly Bill 1969 Feed-In Tariff Program Under Decision 12-05-035 so that it may bring its concerns to the Commission.

In addition, Rulemaking (R.) 11-05-005 remains open, and D.12-05-035 is only the first of two decisions that will implement the Re-MAT program.¹ Because of this fact, SunPower may participate further in this docket and the development of the Re-MAT program as necessary.

SunPower accepts the record established in R.11-05-005 related to the Re-MAT programs, and its participation will not prejudice any party, delay the schedule or broaden the scope of the proceeding.

III. SERVICE LIST

SunPower respectfully requests that the Commission list Joseph F. Wiedman as its representative in this matter, with the following information:

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¹ *Decision Revising Feed-In Tariff Program, Implementing Amendments to Public Utilities Code Section 399.20 Enacted by Senate Bill 380, Senate Bill 32, and Senate Bill 2 1X and Denying Petitions for Modification of Decision 07-07-027 by Sustainable Conservation and Solutions for Utilities, D. 12-03-015, at pp. 3, 5-6 (May 24, 2012).*

IV. CONCLUSION

The Commission should grant SunPower status as a party in this proceeding with all of the rights attached thereto.

Respectfully submitted,

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VERIFICATION

I am the attorney for SunPower Corporation in this matter. SunPower Corporation is absent from the County of Alameda, where my office is located, and under Rule 1.11(d) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, I am submitting this verification on behalf of SunPower Corporation for that reason. I have read the attached **"MOTION FOR PARTY STATUS OF SUNPOWER CORPORATION."** I am informed and believe, and on that ground allege, that the matters stated in this document are true.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed this 26th day of June, 2012, at Oakland, California.

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