

## Data Request – 2012 Long Term Procurement Plan, Renewables Assumptions

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**Background:**

The 33% RPS Calculator<sup>1</sup> is used to develop portfolios of renewable resources to be used in various long term planning efforts. As part of the 2012 LTPP proceeding (R.12-03-014) staff intends to update the data on the renewables projects included in the 33% RPS Calculator. The most recent version of the 33% RPS Calculator relies on data from the August 2011 and February 2012 Project Development Status Reports (PDSRs). The three IOUs have requested increased involvement and review of the data included in the 33% RPS Calculator.

**Request:**

Staff requests that the IOUs provide data from the August 2012 PDSRs in the format directly used by the 33% RPS Calculator, in addition to the PDSR. This will expedite the update of the Calculator and reduce the chance of data errors. This request does not supersede or modify the existing data request for the PDSRs generally, this is an additional request to provide some of the PDSR data in a different, additional format.

Please provide data, consistent with the August 2012 PDSRs in the format of tabs i – CommProjData and j – GenericProjData from version 2 of the Calculator as posted online.<sup>2</sup> The March 23 description of updates explains the approach that staff recommends for compiling the data in this format.<sup>3</sup> Only a small portion of the total projects included in the PDSR are likely to meet the tests for inclusion in the Calculator. Please only include the PDSR projects that meet the following tests:

I – CommProjData	Executed or approved PPA or projects (e.g. solar PV programs) which do not require a PPA, complete application for major environmental permit (i.e. permit
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<sup>1</sup> A recent version, along with other relevant materials, is available online:

<http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/PUC/energy/Procurement/LTPP/2012+LTPP+Tools+and+Spreadsheets.htm>

<sup>2</sup> Version 2, dated 2012-05-016: [http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/NR/rdonlyres/38C42FBC-1355-4AA9-A73B-8F92DC17642B/0/RPSCalculator\\_2007\\_v2\\_20120516.xlsm](http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/NR/rdonlyres/38C42FBC-1355-4AA9-A73B-8F92DC17642B/0/RPSCalculator_2007_v2_20120516.xlsm)

<sup>3</sup> <http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/NR/rdonlyres/6E7C875F-3BF2-4A07-9D4C-A7A3FE3BB0A2/0/DescriptionofCalculatorUpdates20120323.docx>

	status score >= 5)
J – GenericProjData	Executed or approved PPA or projects (e.g. solar PV programs) which do not require a PPA, without complete application for major environmental permit

A spreadsheet template with the headers from the two tabs is attached. The 2<sup>nd</sup> row on each tab indicates whether or not we request a value for each project.

Please provide this data on August 1<sup>st</sup>, 2012. For questions about this request, please contact Kevin Dudney. For questions about the PDSRs, please contact Robert Blackney.