BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Order Instituting Rulemaking to Oversee the Resource Adequacy Program, Consider Program Refinements, and Establish Annual Local Procurement Obligations.

Rulemaking 11-10-023 (Filed October 20, 2011)

DISTRIBUTED ENERGY CONSUMER ADVOCATES MOTION FOR PARTY STATUS

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Distributed Energy Consumer Advocates ("DECA") is a nonprofit California public benefit corporation that informs and educates residential and small commercial producerconsumers of electricity as well as advocates on their behalf in a variety of policy forums. DECA's members are located throughout the nation including the state of California. DECA's members either currently produce and consume electricity, or consume electricity and are interested in producing it as well. DECA seeks to promote the optimal regulatory climate and market in which its members and others may invest in distributed clean energy infrastructure, without preference to any single technology.

DECA accepts the record as submitted and no party's rights will be harmed by DECA's party status. Accordingly, DECA respectfully requests party status in this proceeding in accordance with Sections 1.4 and 11.1 of the California Public Utilities Commission ("CPUC") Rules of Practice and Procedure. DECA plans to participate in the full scope of this proceeding.

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