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| Subject | : RE: BrightSouce Assessment phone call 9:30 a.m. PDT |

Meredith, Reda, and Tyrone,

I apologize for the cancellation of our phone call with you concerning BrightSource.

Basically, in dealing with the CPUC at this time we are primarily dealing with plants being developed for SCE by BrightSource (BSE), but it would be helpful to understand the status of BSE plants being developed for PG&E. Our understanding is that the pllants in the attached spreadsheet plants are under development for PG&E per the CPUC approval 9/24/2009 per Advice Letter 3459-E. Our understanding is that each is a 200 MW plant using wireless heliostats.

Obviously, the CODs on at least some of these plants will change. What we would appreciate finding out is:

• What is the status of PPA negotiation with each of these plants (or have some been dropped)?

• U What are the current projected CODs for these plants?

• Can you tell us what BSE technology they are using? (subcritical, supercritical, thermal energy storage)?

We understand that for some or all of the state of negotiations may be that information is uncertain. If so, do you have any idea how much longer negotiations might take?

We appreciate your input on these. It would be helpful to get this information later today, if possible.

Larry Stoddard

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From: Allen, Meredith [mailto:MEAe@pge.com] Sent: Thursday, October 18, 2012 10:53 AM To: Larry Stoddard; Redacted Redacted ; Paul.douglas@cpuc.ca.gov; Jason.simon@cpuc.ca.gov Cc: 'Pletka, Ryan J.'; 'Pietruszkiewicz, Jon' Subject: RE: BrightSouce Assessment phone call 9:30 a.m. PDT

Yes. That works great.

From: Larry Stoddard [mailto:lstoddard@kc.rr.com] Sent: Thursday, October 18, 2012 8:51 AM To: Allen, Meredith;Redacted Redacted;; Paul.douglas@cpuc.ca.gov; Jason.simon@cpuc.ca.gov Cc: 'Pletka, Ryan J.'; 'Pietruszkiewicz, Jon' Subject: RE: BrightSouce Assessment phone call 9:30 a.m. PDT

Meredith,

Tomorrow is rather late for us (we need to be finishing up our memorandum for the CPUC). Would it be possible for me to send a brief email with some questions and get a response back today? I would send that following my 9:00 phone call today with BSE.

Larry Stoddard

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 From: Allen, Meredith [mailto:MEAe@pge.com]

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Larry,

Unfortunately, this afternoon does not work. Would 1:30 tomorrow work?

Thanks,

Meredith

From: Larry Stoddard [mailto:lstoddard@kc.rr.com] Sent: Thursday. October 18. 2012 8:00 AM To: Redacted Redacted Allen, Meredith; Paul.douglas@cpuc.ca.gov; Jason.simon@cpuc.ca.gov Cc: 'Pletka, Ryan J.'; Pietruszkiewicz, Jon Subject: RE: BrightSouce Assessment phone call 9:30 a.m. PDT Importance: High

I was just informed that we have had to move a call with BrightSource Israel to 9:00 a.m PDT today. It is essential that we talk with Israel. Could we move our PG&E call to 2:pm PDT today? Is there an better time for you? Any time after 11:30 a.m. PDT works for us.

My regrets for this late notice.

Larry Stoddard

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Hi,

This note is just to confirm our call at 9:30 a.m. PDT today. My intent is to discuss the status of PG&E negotiations on the BrightSource solar plants. B&V would like to understand which of the BrightSource plants are moving ahead, and the projected timing of those plants.

Thanks for your help.

Larry Stoddard

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