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Montauk Energy Holdings, LLC (“Montauk”), a Delaware limited liability company, is a developer, owner, operator and manager of 13 landfill methane to renewable energy projects in operation around the United States and is in the process of developing additional landfill methane to renewable energy projects, including a planned 20 MW project located at the Frank R. Bowerman Landfill in Irvine, California. Montauk respectfully moves for Party Status in this proceeding in accordance with Section 1.4 of the California Public Utilities Commission Rules of Practice and Procedure.

I. Montauk Energy’s Interest in this Proceeding

This motion for party status is filed to enable Montauk to participate formally as an active party in the proceeding. Montauk is developing the a renewable biogas generation project at the Frank R. Bowerman Landfill in Irvine, California, a base load 20 MW resource to be interconnected to the Southern California Edison (“SCE”) distribution system. As a future Distributed Generation resource, the Bowerman facility will be able to provide over 150 GWh per year of base load schedulable renewable energy in the southern California load center and, with the development of reasonable

rules for assigning deliverability to distributed resources, could provide valuable resource adequacy capacity as well. Montauk seeks to provide comments related to the assignment of Resource Adequacy deliverability to Distributed Generation, beginning with comments on the January 23, 2013, workshop in the referenced proceeding.

II. Notice

Montauk requests that it be granted party status in this proceeding and that the following individuals be placed on the service list for this docket as representatives of Brookfield:

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Montauk accepts the record as submitted, appreciates the opportunity to submit comments and looks forward to working with the Commission and other parties in this important matter. Participation by Montauk will not prejudice any party and will not delay the schedule or broaden the scope of the issues in this proceeding.

Respectfully Submitted,

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