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Pursuant to Article 8 of the Rules of Practice and Procedure of the California Public Utilities Commission (“Commission”) The Vote Solar Initiative (“Vote Solar”) notices the following Ex Parte Communication.

On January 23, 2014, Jim Baak, Vote Solar’s Director of Policy for Utility-Scale Solar, met in person with Sepideh Khosrowjah, Marcelo Poirier, and Rachel Peterson, Chief of Staff and Policy Advisors to Commissioner Florio, respectively, from 1:00 pm to 2:00 pm. The meeting was requested by Mr. Baak and took place at the Commission’s offices at 505 Van Ness Avenue. No written materials were provided.

Mr. Baak discussed using preferred resources to meet the needs of the LA-Basin and San Diego areas after the closure of San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station. Mr. Baak also discussed Southern California Edison’s proposed Preferred Resources Pilot Program as a means for testing an integrated preferred resources solution to meet local capacity, flexible ramping and ancillary service requirements for these areas.

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Respectfully submitted,

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