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This filing is in response to the December 10th, 2013 email from President Peevey's advisor, Scott Murtishaw.

Many residential grid tied battery backup photovoltaic systems have been backfeeding to the grid with interconnection agreements for years. Can you ask the utilities for specific events when these systems were a hazard to the grid?

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Respectfully submitted,

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