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From: Gates, Thomas@Energy
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To: Braun, Matthew@Energy
Subject: FW: Sonoran Energy Project (formerly Blythe Energy Project Phase II)- Docket: 02-AFC-01C

Please docket the following email exchange; both CRITS request and my response.

From: Gates, Thomas@Energy
Sent: Tuesday, April 26, 2016 12:47 PM
To: 'Nancy Jасsulca'; Miller, Elena@Energy
Cc: Rebecca Loudbear; Dyas, Mary@Energy; Energy - Public Adviser's Office; Johnson, Roger@Energy; Knight, Eric@Energy
Subject: RE: Sonoran Energy Project (formerly Blythe Energy Project Phase II)- Docket: 02-AFC-01C

Dear Nancy,

I am replying to your e-mailed inquiry of Friday, April 15th addressed to Elena Miller and sent to myself and others at the Energy Commission. Staff is currently proceeding with a proposed publish date of May 27, 2016 for the Final Staff Assessment (FSA). There is the potential for the publish date to be delayed. Though I cannot provide you with a precise publish date for the FSA, Staff is currently working to complete the FSA sections, which means that now is the best time to receive CRIT's comments. Comments received prior to May 6th would be assured Staff review and responses incorporated into the FSA. Thus, I encourage CRIT to comment and to do so soon, though it is important to note that comments can be made up to a final Commission Decision. However, for them to be contemplated before the next environmental document is published, Staff hopes that CRIT can provide comments by the end of the first week of May.

Sincerely,
/signed/

Thomas Gates, Ph.D.

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From: Nancy Jасsulca [<mailto:NJасsulca@critdoj.com>]
Sent: Friday, April 15, 2016 4:05 PM
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Dear Ms. Miller,

I am writing to inquire as to the timing of preparing the Final Staff Assessment in the above-referenced matter. Specifically, please be advised that the Colorado River Indian Tribes may be submitting comments for staff consideration in the near future.

Please feel free to call me at (928) 669-1271 to discuss further if needed.

Sincerely,

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