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Subject: LODI ENERGY CENTER REQUEST FOR STATUS CONFERENCE

DOCKET NO. (08-AFC-10)

Enclosed for filing with the California Energy Commission is the original copy of **LODI ENERGY CENTER REQUEST FOR STATUS CONFERENCE**, for the Lodi Energy Center (08-AFC-10).

Sincerely,

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission

In the Matter of:

Application for Certification for the Lodi Energy Center

DOCKET NO. 08-AFC-10

LODI ENERGY CENTER REQUEST FOR STATUS CONFERENCE

On September 30, 2009, Northern California Power Agency (NCPA) filed its *Lodi Energy Center Motion for Scheduling Order to Compel Staff to Publish Its Preliminary Staff Assessment* (Motion). On October 28, 2009 the Committee denied the motion. Specifically, the Order stated,

"The Motion seeks an Order compelling Staff to file its Preliminary Staff Assessment on or before October 8, 2009. The Energy Commission staff did not oppose the Motion but indicated in an e-mail, dated October 14, 2009, that the Preliminary Staff Assessment will be published before November 1, 2009. Since NCPA's Motion is now moot, the Motion is denied without prejudice, and NCPA may bring another Motion should Staff fail to publish the Preliminary Staff Assessment within a reasonable timeframe."

Today is November 4, and Staff has failed to publish its PSA on the date given to NCPA. As discussed in detail in our earlier motion, NCPA understands Staff's workload pressures. However, NCPA is compelled to seek a motion for a Status Conference to obtain a new revised Scheduling Order that ensures the LEC AFC can be processed in a timely fashion so that NCPA can meet its construction schedule.

To be clear, NCPA is requesting a Status or Scheduling Conference be set by the Committee in November. At that Status Conference, NCPA will be requesting specific orders from the Committee directing Staff to publish the PSA by a date certain, the consequence if it is not published by that time, and even if the PSA is published prior to scheduled date for the Conference, NCPA requests the conference be held to address future scheduling and specific direction requiring Staff to meet future deadlines.

Dated November 4, 2009

Respectfully Submitted,

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BEFORE THE ENERGY RESOURCES CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION FOR THE *Lodi Energy Center*

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PROOF OF SERVICE (Revised 2/17/09)

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DECLARATION OF SERVICE

I, Robert A. Gladden, declare that on November 4, 2009, I served and filed copies of the attached LODI ENERGY CENTER REQUEST FOR STATUS CONFERENCE dated November 4, 2009. The original document, filed with the Docket Unit, is accompanied by a copy of the most recent Proof of Service list, located on the web page for this project at: [www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/lodi]. The document has been sent to both the other parties in this proceeding (as shown on the Proof of Service list) and to the Commission's Docket Unit, in the following manner:

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I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

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