STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission

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Application for Certification for the MARIPOSA ENERGY PROJECT (MEP)

Docket No. 09-AFC-3

MARIPOSA ENERGY PROJECT STATUS REPORT #5

Pursuant to the Committee Scheduling Order dated October 29, 2010, Mariposa Energy,

LLC ("Applicant") submits the following Status Report #5.

Staff Assessment

The Mariposa Energy Project Staff Assessment was published on November 8, 2010.

The Applicant has thoroughly reviewed the Staff Assessment and provided detailed written comments on November 24, 2010. These comments were minor clarifications and requests for

minor modifications.

Staff Assessment Workshop

A Staff Assessment Workshop was held on November 29, 2010. The Applicant's written comments were discussed during the Workshop. Staff indicated which comments it could accept, which comments it could not accept and which comments required further review prior to publication of the SSA.

As a result of the Workshop discussion, the Applicant is pleased to report that it is in substantial agreement with all of Staff's proposed Conditions of Certification. The Applicant does not anticipate that there will be any topic area contested between Applicant and Staff.

Bay Area Air Quality Management District

The Bay Area Air Quality Management District ("BAAQMD") issued the Final

Determination of Compliance ("FDOC") on November 24, 2010. The FDOC contains only minor

revisions from the Preliminary Determination of Compliance ("PDOC").

Supplemental Staff Assessment

The Committee Scheduling Order calls for the Supplemental Staff Assessment to be

published on December 13, 2010. The Applicant is pleased that Staff will continue to work toward meeting this publication date.

Testimony

The Committee Scheduling Order calls for the Applicant's Opening Testimony to be filed

on December 20, 2010. The Applicant's Opening Testimony will be filed on time.

Dated: December 1, 2010

Respectfully submitted,

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PROOF OF SERVICE

I, Karen A. Mitchell, declare that on December 1, 2010, I served the attached Mariposa

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Energy Project Status Report #5 via electronic and U.S. mail to all parties on the attached service

list.

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

Karen A. Mitchell

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