Palo Verde Solar I, LLC’s
Rebuttal Testimony: Socioeconomics

Blythe Solar Power Project (09-AFC-6)

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California Energy Commission
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Subject: **PALO VERDE SOLAR I, LLC’s REBUTTAL TESTIMONY: SOCIOECONOMICS**
**BLYTHE SOLAR POWER PROJECT**
**DOCKET NO. (09-AFC-6)**

Enclosed for filing with the California Energy Commission is the original of **PALO VERDE SOLAR I, LLC’s REBUTTAL TESTIMONY: SOCIOECONOMICS**, for the Blythe Solar Power Project (09-AFC-6).

Sincerely,

Marie Mills
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Energy Resources
Conservation and Development Commission

In the Matter of:

Application For Certification for the
BLYTHE SOLAR POWER PROJECT

DOCKET NO. 09-AFC-06

DECLARATION OF
Alice Harron

I, Alice Harron, declare as follows:

1. I am presently employed by Solar Millennium, LLC, as a Senior Director.

2. A copy of my professional qualifications and experience was included with my Opening Testimony and is incorporated by reference in this Declaration.


4. It is my professional opinion that the attached prepared Rebuttal testimony is valid and accurate with respect to issues that it addresses.

5. I am personally familiar with the facts and conclusions related in the attached prepared Rebuttal testimony and if called as a witness could testify competently thereto.

I declare under penalty of perjury, under the laws of the State of California, that the foregoing is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and that this declaration was executed on July 8, 2010.

Alice Harron
BLYTHE SOLAR POWER PROJECT
SOCIOECONOMICS AND ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE
REBUTTAL TESTIMONY

I. Name: Alice Harron

II. Purpose:

My Rebuttal testimony addresses the subject of Socioeconomics and Environmental Justice associated with the construction and operation of the Blythe Solar Project (09-AFC-06).

III. Qualifications:

**Alice Harron:** I am presently employed at Solar Millennium, LLC, and have been for the past 9 months and am presently a Senior Director Masters Degree in Business Administration and a Bachelor’s Degree in Economics and I have over 15 years of experience in the field of energy development and finance. I prepared or assisted in the AFC post-filing information, data responses, and supplemental filings for Socioeconomics and Environmental Justice. A detailed description of my qualifications is contained in the resume submitted in my Opening Testimony.

To the best of my knowledge all referenced documents and all of the facts contained in this testimony are true and correct. To the extent this testimony contains opinions, such opinions are my own. I make these statements and provide these opinions freely and under oath for the purpose of constituting sworn testimony in this proceeding.

IV. Exhibits

In addition to this written testimony, I am sponsoring the following exhibits in this proceeding.

**Exhibit 1**
Application for Certification Volumes I & II, dated August 24, 2009, and docketed on August 24, 2009, Section 5.11.

**Exhibit 3**
V. Opinion and Conclusions:

I have reviewed the Socioeconomic and Environmental Justice section of the Revised Staff Assessment and agree that the Project will not result in significant Socioeconomic or Environmental Justice impacts and will comply with all applicable laws, ordinances, regulations and standards (LORS).
**APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION**

**FOR THE BLYTHE SOLAR POWER PLANT PROJECT**

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DECLARATION OF SERVICE

I, Marie Mills, declare that on July 9, 2010, I served and filed copies of the attached PALO VERDE SOLAR I, LLC’s REBUTTAL TESTIMONY: SOCIOECONOMICS, dated July 9, 2010. 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:
[http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/solar_millennium_blythe]

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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Marie Mills