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Re: Application for Certification, Palen Solar Power Project

Dear Ms. Jones:

Pursuant to the provisions of Title 20, California Code of Regulations, Solar Millennium, LLC and Chevron Energy Solutions ("the Applicants") hereby submit the Application for Certification (AFC) Volume 3 Data Adequacy Supplement ("Data Adequacy Supplement") for the Palen Solar Power Project (PSPP). The parabolic trough concentrating solar thermal power project consists of two nominal 250 MW solar powered electric generating facilities, which will be located near the City of Desert Center, in Riverside County.

This Data Adequacy Supplement addresses Staff's data adequacy recommendation dated September 23, 2009. For each topic area, the Data Adequacy Supplement lists the applicable CEC staff information request and the Project Applicants' response.

The Applicants appreciate the time and effort that staff has expended to further explain its needs for the Applicants to reach Data Adequacy.

As an officer, I hereby attest, under penalty of perjury, that the contents of this Data Adequacy Supplement are truthful and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Sincerely,

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 President
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Dave Stone
 Senior Vice President
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